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Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW 34-116, RELATIVE TO ENSURING ORGANIZATIONS THAT STRENGTHEN, ENHANCES, AND PROMOTE OUR TOURISM INDUSTRY ARE FUNDED.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Section 3 of Chapter X of Public Law 34-116 is amended to read:

“**Section 3. Authority to Allocate to Organizations.** For Fiscal Year 2019, the Board of Directors of the Guam Visitors Bureau ~~may~~ shall allocate ~~not more than~~ the sums appropriated or allocated in Fiscal Year 2018 from the appropriation in Section 1 of this Chapter, to ~~any or~~ all of the following organizations:

- (a) *På'å Taotao Tåno*’;
- (b) Historic *Inalåhan* Foundation;
- (c) Pacific War Museum Foundation;
- (d) *Håya* Cultural Preservation Foundation;
- (e) Guam International Film Festival;
- (f) *Humåtak* Foundation
- (g) *Åmot Taotao Tåno*’;
- (h) *Huråo* Academy, Inc.;
- (i) *Inetnon Gefpa’go* Cultural Arts Program, Inc.;
- (j) Humanities *Guåhan*;

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- 1 (k) Guam Symphony Society;
- 2 (l) Guam Unique Merchandise and Arts (GUMA);
- 3 (m) *Duk Duk* Goose, Inc.;
- 4 (n) *Ayuda* Foundation;
- 5 (o) Traditions Affirming our Seafaring Ancestry (TASA);
- 6 (p) Traditions About Seafaring Islands (TASI);
- 7 (q) *Guåfi*, Inc.; or
- 8 (r) University of Guam Press;
- 9 (s) *Ulitao*; or
- 10 (t) Micronesian Conservation Trust.”

11 **Section 2.** A new Section 6 is added to Chapter X of Public Law 34-116 to
12 read:

13 **“Section 6. Service and Reporting Requirements.**

14 (a) Organizations receiving funding from the TAF shall provide
15 community service in the amount of ten (10) hours of service per One
16 Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) appropriated to them for activities and/or events.
17 These community services shall be provided pursuant to the respective TAF
18 appropriations. The Guam Visitors Bureau, in coordination with the General
19 Manager of the Chamorro Village, shall establish procedures for certifying
20 community service hours and issuing community service hour certification
21 reports.

22 (b) All organizations that receive funding from the TAF pursuant to
23 this Act shall provide a budgetary breakdown by object category to the Guam
24 Visitors Bureau. These organizations shall attest under penalty of perjury that
25 they are meeting the requirements of this Section.

26 (c) Quarterly expenditure reports and community service hour
27 certification reports shall be submitted to the Guam Visitors Bureau, who

1 shall then compile and submit said reports to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* (the
2 Guam Legislature) on a quarterly basis.

3 (d) All research reports, literature, books, brochures, pamphlets, or similar
4 documents, including, but *not* limited to, mobile applications and software produced
5 using funds from the TAF *shall* be made accessible to the Guam Visitors Bureau.”

6 **Section 3. Effective date.** This Act shall be effective upon enactment.

7 **Section 4. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to any
8 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity *shall*
9 *not* affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be given effect without
10 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are
11 severable.