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BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES	NOTES
24-35 (COR)		AN ACT TO AMEND \$ 2103.4 (n) OF CHAPTER 2, TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE NINETY (90) DAY LIMIT OF ACTING APPOINTMENTS.	-,,	1/23/19	Committee on General Government Operations, Appropriations, and Housing	2/22/19 9:00 a.m.	3/21/19 9:15 a.m.	Request: 1/24/19 Fiscal Note: 3/5/19	
	SESSION DATE	TITLE	DATE PASSED	TRANSMITTED	DUE DATE	PUBLIC LAW NO.	DATE SIGNED	NOTES	
	3/21/19	AN ACT TO AMEND § 2103.4 (n) OF CHAPTER 2, TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE NINETY (90) DAY LIMIT OF ACTING APPOINTMENTS.		3/28/19	4/9/19	35-8	4/5/19	Received: 4/5/19 Mess and Comm. Doc. No. 35GL-19-0332.	

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April 5, 2019

Honorable Telena Cruz Nelson Acting Speaker I Mina'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Guam Congress Building Hagåtña, Guam 96910

35GL-19-0332 VICE SPEAKER TELENA CRUZ NELSON

Date / Time Initials:

RE: Bill No. 24-35 (COR), "An Act to Amend § 2103.4(n) of Chapter 2, Title 4, Guam Code

Annotated, Relative clarifying the Ninety (90) Day Limit on Acting Appointments"

Dear Madam Speaker:

Today I signed Bill No. 24-35 (COR) "An Act to Amend § 2103.4(n) of Chapter 2, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, Relative clarifying the Ninety (90) Day Limit on Acting Appointments," (the "Act") into law as Public Law 35-8.

I do not agree that this Act clarifies prior law; rather, it sets forth a new calculation of the ninety (90) day limit to an acting appointment, a calculation that now clearly reflects one side of an argument that occurred last year.

I sign this Bill into law, because I agree in this new calculation of the ninety (90) day limit to acting appointments.

Senseremente.

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO

Magà 'hågan Guåhan Governor of Guam

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes

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CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'HAGAN GUAHAN

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This is to certify that Bill No. 24-35 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND § 2103.4(n) OF CHAPTER 2, TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO CLARIFYING THE NINETY (90) DAY TIME LIMIT ON ACTING APPOINTMENTS," was on the 21st day of March 2019, duly and regularly passed.

Tina Rose Muña Barnes Speaker Attested: Amanda L. Shelton Legislative Secretary This Act was received by I Maga'hågan Guåhan this 28th day of March, 2019, at <u>3.08</u> o'clock <u>f</u>.M. Maga'håga's Office APPROVED: Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero I Maga'hågan Guåhan Undistant second ... Public Law No. 35-8

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Bill No. 24-35 (COR)

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AN ACT TO AMEND § 2103.4(n) OF CHAPTER 2, TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO CLARIFYING THE NINETY (90) DAY TIME LIMIT ON ACTING APPOINTMENTS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- 2 Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds
- 3 that appointments expire ninety (90) days from the date of the initial acting
- 4 appointment by I Maga'håga (the Governor) or appointing officials, excluding
- 5 intervening weekends and holidays.

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- 6 It is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to clarify that the ninety (90) day time
- 7 limit shall mean ninety (90) calendar days.

1	Section 2. § 2103.4(n) of Chapter 2, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, is
2	amended to read:
3	"(n) Ninety (90) days - in computing the ninety (90) day time limit
4	imposed in this Chapter, the term ninety (90) days shall mean ninety (90)
5	calendar_days from the date of the initial acting appointment."
6	Section 3. Severability. If any provision of this Act or its application to any
7	person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall
8	not affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be given effect without
9	the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are
10	severable.
11	Section 4. Effective Date. This Act shall be effective upon enactment.