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2026 (SECOND) REGULAR SESSION

Bill No. 266-38 (COR)

Introduced by:

**Committee on Rules**   
by request of *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*,  
the Governor of Guam, in accordance  
with the Organic Act of Guam.

**AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE  
EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM FOR FISCAL YEAR  
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2027, MAKING OTHER APPROPRIATIONS, AND  
ESTABLISHING MISCELLANEOUS AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS.**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

2 **CHAPTER I**

3 **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

4 **Section 1. Short Title.** This Act *shall* be known as the "*General Appropriations Act of*  
5 *2027*". *Except* as otherwise provided by this Act, the appropriations made by this Act identifying Fiscal  
6 Year 2027 shall be available to pay for obligations incurred on *or* after October 1, 2026 but *no later than*  
7 September 30, 2027. *If* any appropriation in this Act is found contrary to federal law, all other portions of  
8 this Act *shall* remain valid.

9 **Section 2. Business Privilege Tax.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rule, or  
10 regulation, beginning on October 1, 2026, the business privilege tax rate *shall* be four and a half percent  
11 (4.5%).

1           **Section 3.**     § 26202(a), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i) and (j) of Chapter 26, Title 11 of Guam  
2 Code Annotated are hereby amended to read:

3                   "§ 26202. Rates. The following rates shall apply in computing, assessing and collecting the  
4 business privilege tax:

5           (a)     Tax on the Business of Selling Tangible Personal Property. Upon every person  
6 engaging or continuing within Guam in the business of selling any tangible property whatsoever  
7 (not including however, bonds or other evidence of indebtedness or stocks), there shall be a tax  
8 equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025, of gross proceeds of sales;  
9 except that on the gross proceeds of the operation of poker machines, there shall be a tax equivalent  
10 to eight percent (8%) on the gross proceeds of each machine, as determined by subtracting the  
11 winnings, pay-outs and malfunction refunds from total receipts of each machine.

12                   (1)     Provided, that gross proceeds of export sales of tangible property in foreign  
13 commerce shall not constitute a part of the measure of the tax imposed. Although not  
14 constituting a part of the measure of the tax imposed, all such sales shall be reported in the  
15 manner provided for the reporting of the tax imposed by § 26202(a).

16                   (2)     Provided, that any person engaging or continuing in business as a retailer  
17 and a wholesaler shall pay the tax required solely on the gross proceeds of sales of the retail  
18 business, and his books must be kept so as to show separately the gross proceeds of sale of  
19 each business.

20                   (3)     Provided, that a manufacturer or producer engaging in the business of  
21 selling his manufactured products at retail in Guam shall be required to make returns of the  
22 gross proceeds of such retail sales and pay the tax imposed by this Chapter for the privilege  
23 of engaging in the business of selling such products at retail in Guam; and

1                   (4)     Provided, that a manufacturer or producer, other than a manufacturer of  
2                   alcoholic beverages, engaging in the business of selling his products to manufacturers,  
3                   wholesalers, or licensed retailers, or persons actually selling the products to the United  
4                   States Government, shall not be required to pay the tax imposed in this Act for the privilege  
5                   of selling such products at wholesale. Nor shall any such manufacturer or producer, other  
6                   than a manufacturer of alcoholic beverages, be required to pay the tax imposed in this Act  
7                   for the privilege of selling products for delivery to the purchaser outside of Guam. The  
8                   point of delivery for a purchaser outside of Guam may be on Guam, if the product's ultimate  
9                   destination or consumption is outside of Guam.

10                   (b) (1)           [Repealed.] (2) [Repealed.] (3) Tax upon boxing. The tax levied and  
11                   assessed under Subsections (b)(1) and (b)(2) (repealed) of this Section shall not apply to boxing  
12                   for which a tax equivalent to twelve percent (12%) of the gross income of such boxing business is  
13                   hereby levied and assessed.

14                   (c)     Tax on service business. Upon every person engaging or continuing within Guam,  
15                   in any service business or calling not otherwise specifically taxed under this Section, [there shall  
16                   be] a tax equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025, of the gross income  
17                   of such business.

18                   (d)     Professions. Upon every person engaging or continuing within Guam in the  
19                   practice of a profession, excluding those expounding the religious doctrines of any church, [there  
20                   shall be] a tax equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025, of the gross  
21                   income of such practice.

22                   (e)     Tax on Contractors. There shall be levied, assessed and collected a tax rate of four  
23                   and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025, measured against the gross income of any

1 contractor; provided, that there shall be deducted from the gross income of the taxpayer so much  
2 thereof as has been included in the gross income earned from another taxpayer who is a contractor  
3 as defined in § 26101(b) and who has already paid the tax levied under this Subsection for goods  
4 and services that include the deductible gross income of the taxpayer who is a contractor; provided,  
5 that any person claiming a deduction under this Subsection shall be required to show in the person's  
6 return either the name and the contractor's license number issued by the Guam Contractors License  
7 Board, or the Guam business license number, or the registration number for a professional  
8 engineer, architect or land surveyor, or the Certificate of Authorization (COA) number for a  
9 business authorized to provide engineering, architecture or land surveying services by the Guam  
10 Board of Registration for Professional Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors of the person  
11 paying the tax on the amount deducted by the person.

12 (f) Tax on banks, banking institutions, small lenders and building and loan  
13 associations. Upon every person engaging or continuing within Guam in the business of operating  
14 any bank, banking institutions, building and loan association, small lending business, or lending  
15 institutions, there shall be a tax equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1,  
16 2025, of the net income received from business.

17 (1) Net Income. For the purpose of this Section, net income shall mean the  
18 gross income of such taxpayer received from all sources less the following deductions there  
19 from:

20 (A) Salaries or bonuses paid and other compensation from personal  
21 services.

22 (B) Interest or discount paid.

23 (C) Rents paid.

1 (D) Ordinary operating expenses such as supplies, utility services,  
2 insurance premiums other than for life insurance, provided that any  
3 deductible insurance expense shall be allowable only to the extent that such  
4 a premium is applicable to the tax period against which it is claimed.

5 (E) Loans or obligations charged off the books of the bank as losses  
6 unless charged against reserves then in existence.

7 (F) Losses other than loan losses, such as those occasioned by fire or  
8 other casualty, theft, embezzlement, and the like, but only to the extent not  
9 covered by insurance proceeds collected.

10 (G) Transfers from earnings to reserve for bad debts or other  
11 contingencies provided for.

12 (H) Miscellaneous direct expenses such as legal, advertising, auditing,  
13 and the like.

14 (I) Loss on property sold and depreciation on property owned.

15 (2) A person liable for the payment of taxes levied under this Section shall be  
16 required to file an annual return and shall not be required to file monthly returns. The tax  
17 year shall be calendar year except that the taxpayer may use his annual accounting period  
18 when prior permission is obtained from the Tax Commissioner. The annual return under  
19 this Subsection shall be filed not later than ninety (90) days following the close of the  
20 taxpayer's tax year.

21 (g) Dealing in foreign currency. Upon every person engaging or continuing within  
22 Guam in the business of purchasing and selling foreign money, there shall be a tax equivalent to  
23 four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025, of the gross profit of such business

1 represented by the difference between the cost and selling price of the foreign currency measured  
2 in United States dollars.

3 (h) Tax on other business. Upon every person engaging or continuing within Guam in  
4 any business, trade, activity, occupation or calling not specifically included in any other provision  
5 of this Article, there shall likewise be a tax equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective  
6 October 1, 2025, of the gross income of such business. This Section shall apply to the gross income  
7 of persons taxable under other provisions of this Chapter but which gross income is not derived  
8 from the exercise or privilege taxable thereunder.

9 (i) Insurers. Upon every person engaged or continuing within Guam in the business  
10 of an insurer, there shall be a tax at the rate of four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1,  
11 2025, of gross income received as premium for the writing of insurance, less returned premiums  
12 and less all commissions attributable to the sale and purchase of an insurance policy or policies of  
13 the insurer paid by said insurer to agents of the same, and four and a half percent (4.5%) effective  
14 October 1, 2025, of any other gross income earned or derived on Guam.

15 (j) Tour Agencies.

16 (1) Upon every person engaging or continuing within Guam in the business of a tour  
17 agency or travel agency, where tourism-related services are furnished to consumers by independent  
18 vendors through arrangements made by a travel agency, or tour packager, and the gross income is  
19 divided between the provider of the services on the one hand and the travel agency or tour packager  
20 on the other hand, a tax equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025,  
21 shall be imposed on each person with respect to such person's respective portion of the proceeds,  
22 and no more.

1 (2) Where transient accommodations are furnished through arrangements made by a  
2 travel agency or tour packager, the gross income is divided between the provider of the transient  
3 accommodations on the one hand and the travel agency, or tour packager, on the other hand, a tax  
4 equivalent to four and a half percent (4.5%) effective October 1, 2025, shall be imposed on each  
5 person with respect to such person's respective portion of the proceeds, and no more.

6 (A) As used in this Subsection, tourism related services shall mean  
7 dinner cruises, transportation included in a tour package, sightseeing tours, dinner  
8 shows, extravaganzas, cultural and educational facilities, and other services  
9 rendered directly to the customer or tourist.

10 (B) As used in this Subsection 'transient accommodations' shall mean  
11 hotel, lodging facility, or similar facility located on Guam and subject to the  
12 provisions of 11 GCA § 30101."

13 **Section 4. Estimated Revenues for Fiscal Year 2027.** Notwithstanding § 22436, Chapter  
14 22, Title 5 Guam Code Annotated, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, the Guam Legislature, adopts the following  
15 revenue estimates for Fiscal Year 2027 as the basis for the appropriations contained in this Act.

16	<b>I. GENERAL FUND REVENUES</b>	<b>AMOUNT</b>
17	<b>A. TAXES</b>	
18	Income Tax	
19	Individual ( <i>not</i> including the Additional Child Tax Credit)	\$115,353,000
20	Corporate	\$143,244,600
21	Withholding Taxes, Interest, and Penalties	\$333,036,063
22	Provision for Tax Refund Payments (net of the	
23	Additional Child Tax Credit)	<u>(\$25,359,760)</u>

1	<b>TOTAL INCOME TAXES</b>	<b>\$566,273,903</b>
2	Business Privilege Tax	\$380,295,869
3	GMHA Pharmaceuticals Fund	
4	(§ 26208, Article 2, Chapter 26 of Title 11 GCA)	(\$23,540,314)
5	Tax Credits:	
6	GMHA Medical Supplies (P.L. 35-138)	(\$1,000,000)
7	Guam National Youth Football Federation (P.L. 36-129)	(\$500,000)
8	Other Taxes	\$8,529,125
9	Guam National Youth Football Federation (P.L. 36-129)	<u>(\$375,000)</u>
10	<b>TOTAL BUSINESS PRIVILEGE TAX</b>	<b>\$363,409,680</b>
11	<b>TOTAL TAXES</b>	<b>\$929,683,583</b>
12	<b>B. FEDERAL SOURCES</b>	
13	Federal Income Tax Collection	
14	Section 30 Funds (Net of War Claims Deduction)	\$85,187,739
15	Immigration Fees and Other Federal Sources	<u>\$2,507,408</u>
16	<b>TOTAL FEDERAL SOURCES</b>	<b>\$87,695,147</b>
17	<b>C. USE OF MONEY AND PROPERTY</b>	<b>\$4,277,561</b>
18	<b>D. LICENSES, FEES, AND PERMITS</b>	
19	Licenses, Fees, and Permits	\$5,053,075
20	Licenses, Fees, and Permits (Better Public	
21	Service Fund) (Chapter 161 of Title 11 GCA)	<u>(\$505,308)</u>
22	<b>TOTAL LICENSES, FEES, AND PERMITS</b>	<b>\$4,547,767</b>
23	<b>E. DEPARTMENT CHARGES</b>	<b>\$1,366,617</b>

1	<b>TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE</b>	<b>\$1,027,570,675</b>
2	<b>RAINY DAY FUND</b>	<b>(\$6,868,536)</b>
3	<b>TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE</b>	
4	<b>AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$1,020,702,139</b>
5	<b>II. SPECIAL FUND REVENUES</b>	
6	<b>A. Banking and Insurance Enforcement Fund</b>	<b>\$504,183</b>
7	<b>B. Better Public Service Fund</b>	<b>\$1,465,286</b>
8	<b>C. Chamorro Land Trust Operations Fund</b>	<b>\$1,032,313</b>
9	<b>D. Chamorro Land Trust Survey and Infrastructure Fund</b>	<b>\$10,934</b>
10	<b>E. Corrections Inmate Revolving Fund</b>	<b>\$1,121,084</b>
11	<b>F. Customs, Agriculture, and Quarantine</b>	
12	<b>Inspection Services Fund</b>	<b>\$7,696,311</b>
13	<b>G. Enhanced 911 Emergency Reporting System Fund</b>	<b>\$1,850,622</b>
14	<b>H. Environmental Health Fund</b>	<b>\$1,812,482</b>
15	<b>I. Fire, Life, and Medical Emergency Fund</b>	<b>\$733,466</b>
16	<b>J. GMHA Pharmaceuticals Fund</b>	<b>\$23,540,314</b>
17	<b>K. Guam Ancestral Lands Commission Survey,</b>	
18	<b>Infrastructure, and Development Fund</b>	<b>\$444,396</b>
19	<b>L. Guam Board of Accountancy Fund</b>	<b>\$699,600</b>
20	<b>M. Guam Contractors License Board Fund</b>	<b>\$862,027</b>
21	<b>N. Guam Educational Facilities Fund</b>	<b>\$35,566,403</b>
22	<b>O. Guam Environmental Trust Fund</b>	<b>\$352,488</b>
23	<b>P. Guam Highway Fund (GHF)</b>	<b>\$14,250,808</b>

1	(a) GHF (Better Public Service Fund; Chapter 161 of Title 11 GCA)	(\$959,978)
2	(b) GHF (GIAA – Pursuant to Federal Register Vol. 79, 66282)	<u>(\$1,066,323)</u>
3	Total Guam Highway Fund	\$12,224,507
4	<b>Q.</b> Guam Invasive Species Inspection Fee Fund	\$1,690,985
5	<b>R.</b> Guam Plant Inspection and Permit Fund	\$109,515
6	<b>S.</b> Health Professional Licensing Office Revolving Fund	\$344,376
7	<b>T.</b> Healthy Futures Fund	\$23,114,705
8	<b>U.</b> Host Community Fund	\$300,000
9	<b>V.</b> Indirect Cost Fund	\$1,391,474
10	<b>W.</b> Land Survey Revolving Fund	\$2,519,784
11	<b>X.</b> Limited Gaming Fund	\$1,091,062
12	<b>Y.</b> Manpower Development Fund	\$11,536,138
13	<b>Z.</b> Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services Fund	\$416,750
14	<b>AA.</b> Office of Vital Statistics Revolving Fund	\$221,035
15	<b>AB.</b> Police Patrol Vehicle and Equipment Revolving Fund	\$345,081
16	<b>AC.</b> Police Services Fund	\$1,142,044
17	<b>AD.</b> Professional Engineers, Architects, and	
18	Land Surveyors Board Fund	\$292,525
19	<b>AE.</b> Public Recreation Services Fund	\$71,958
20	<b>AF.</b> Public School Library Resources Fund	\$1,129,478
21	<b>AG.</b> Rabies Prevention Fund	\$55,827
22	<b>AH.</b> Safe Streets Fund	\$29,701
23	<b>AI.</b> Sanitary Inspection Revolving Fund	\$510,221

1	<b>AJ.</b> School Lunch/SAE/Child Nutritional Meal Reimbursement	
2	Fund – Federal Sources (100% Federal Grant)/Cash Collections	\$12,504,000
3	<b>AK.</b> Solid Waste Operations Fund	\$24,472,081
4	Host Community Fund (§ 51405, Article 4,	
5	Chapter 51 of Title 10 GCA)	<u>(\$300,000)</u>
6	Total Solid Waste Operations Fund	\$24,172,081
7	<b>AL.</b> Street Light Fund	\$4,190,000
8	<b>AM.</b> Tax Collection Enhancement Fund	\$1,130,978
9	<b>AN.</b> Tourist Attraction Fund	\$34,868,794
10	<b>AO.</b> Water Research and Development Fund	\$83,974
11	<b>TOTAL SPECIAL FUND REVENUE</b>	<b>\$213,178,902</b>
12	<b>III. FEDERAL MATCHING GRANTS-IN-AID REVENUES</b>	
13	<b>Federal Grants-In-Aid Requiring Local Match:</b>	
14	<b>A.</b> Customs and Quarantine Agency	\$1,875,000
15	<b>B.</b> Department of Integrated Services for	
16	Individuals with Disabilities	\$2,771,127
17	<b>C.</b> Department of Labor	\$47,000
18	<b>D.</b> Department of Military Affairs	\$2,178,570
19	<b>E.</b> Department of Public Health and Social Services	\$188,801,303
20	<b>F.</b> Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency	\$426,950
21	<b>G.</b> Guam Police Department	\$4,202,656
22	<b>H.</b> University of Guam	\$6,742,835
23	<b>TOTAL FEDERAL MATCHING GRANTS-</b>	

1	<b>IN-AID REVENUE</b>	<b>\$207,045,441</b>
2	<b>REVENUE SUMMARY:</b>	
3	<b>TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE</b>	
4	<b>AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$1,020,702,139</b>
5	<b>TOTAL SPECIAL FUND REVENUE</b>	<b>\$213,178,902</b>
6	<b>TOTAL FEDERAL MATCHING GRANTS-IN-AID REVENUE</b>	<b>\$207,045,441</b>
7	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,440,926,482</b>

8 **Section 5. Debt Service Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2027.** The following are  
9 continuing appropriations for debt service requirements:

10 **A. GUAM DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (GDOE),**

11 **SERIES 2013A CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION**

12 **(OKKODO HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT)**

13 (Chapter 58B of Title 5 GCA; § 50103, Chapter 50 of

14 Title 12 GCA; and Title 13 GCA; due FY 2030 as

15 final year; to include additional rent [Insurance and

16 Maintenance to be reimbursed by the GDOE] \$3,061,060 1/

17 1/ General Fund (Principal & Interest: \$2,411,060) and Guam Educational Facilities Fund (Insurance  
18 & Maintenance: \$650,000)

19 **B. LIMITED OBLIGATION BONDS**

20 **BUSINESS PRIVILEGE TAX, SERIES 2015D**

21 (Refunding of GOB, Series 2007A, and a

22 portion of GOB, Series 2009A; final maturity

23 FY 2040) \$1,000,000 2/

24 2/ General Fund

1 **C. LIMITED OBLIGATION (SECTION 30) BONDS,**

2 **SERIES 2016A**

3 (Refunding of LO [Section 30] Bonds, Series 2009A; refinancing  
4 of Series 2013B Guam Education Financing

5 Foundation II, Inc. Certificates of Participation [Okkodo  
6 High School Expansion Project]; financing certain working  
7 capital costs of the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority,  
8 including the refinancing of an outstanding loan from the

9 Bank of Guam) \$17,767,875 3/

10 3/ General Fund

11 **D. GUAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE, 2016 USDA LEASE**

12 (To finance the construction, expansion renovation, and hardening  
13 of GCC Gregorio G. Perez Crime Lab and Building #100)

\$200,400 4/

14 4/ Guam Educational Facilities Fund

15 **E. GUAM EDUCATION FINANCING FOUNDATION (GEFF),**

16 **SERIES 2016A AND 2016B CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION**

17 (To refund the Guam Education Financing Foundation (GEFF)

18 Certificates of Participation Series 2006A and Series 2006B,

19 and the GEFF Certificates of Participation Series 2008;

20 Compact Impact Funds pledged from FY 2017 through FY 2023;

21 Government of Guam to cover remainder of obligation through final

22 maturity on FY 2027) \$1,000,000 5/

23 5/ General Fund

1	<b>F. GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, SERIES 2019A</b>	
2	(To finance the expansion of the Layon Landfill)	\$2,994,875 <b>6/</b>
3	<b>6/ Solid Waste Operations Fund</b>	
4	<b>G. GUAM DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,</b>	
5	<b>SERIES 2020A CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION</b>	
6	<b>(JOHN F. KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT)</b>	
7	(To refinance the GDOE Series 2010A, Certificates of	
8	Participation for JFK High School)	\$7,095,325 <b>7/</b>
9	<b>7/ General Fund (Principal &amp; Interest: \$5,527,325) and Guam Educational Facilities Fund (Insurance</b>	
10	<b>&amp; Maintenance: \$1,568,000)</b>	
11	<b>H. LIMITED OBLIGATION BONDS BUSINESS</b>	
12	<b>PRIVILEGE TAX, SERIES 2021E AND SERIES 2021F</b>	
13	(Series 2021E: Refunding of a portion of BPT Bonds, Series 2015D;	
14	final maturity FY 2027; and Series 2021F: Refunding of all or	
15	a portion of BPT Bonds, Series 2011A and Series 2012B-1;	
16	final maturity FY 2042)	\$15,930,138 <b>8/</b>
17	<b>8/ General Fund</b>	
18	<b>I. LIMITED OBLIGATION HOTEL</b>	
19	<b>OCCUPANCY TAX (HOT) REFUNDING</b>	
20	<b>REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2021A</b>	
21	(Refunding of LO HOT Bonds, Series 2011A;	
22	final maturity FY 2041)	\$2,943,250 <b>9/</b>
23	<b>9/ Tourist Attraction Fund</b>	

1	<b>J. LIMITED OBLIGATION BONDS</b>	
2	<b>BUSINESS PRIVILEGE TAX, SERIES 2025G</b>	
3	(Series 2025G: Refunding of a portion of BPT Bonds, Series 2015D;	
4	final maturity FY 2040)	\$13,498,450 <b>10/</b>
5	<b>10/ General Fund</b>	
6		
7	<b>TOTAL CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>\$65,491,373</b>

1 **CHAPTER II**

2 **APPROPRIATIONS FOR EXECUTIVE BRANCH OPERATIONS**

3 **Section 1. Executive Branch Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2027.** Three Hundred Eighty-  
4 Four Million Three Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (**\$384,355,765**) are  
5 appropriated for the operations of the Executive Branch for fiscal year ending September 30, 2027. This  
6 sum is composed of Two Hundred Ninety-One Million Five Hundred Ninety-Four Thousand Three  
7 Hundred Ninety Dollars (**\$291,594,390**) from the General Fund, Sixty-Four Million Nine Hundred  
8 Twenty-Eight Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Four Dollars (**\$64,928,284**) from Special Funds, and  
9 Twenty-Seven Million Eight Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Ninety-One Dollars (**\$27,833,091**) from  
10 Federal Matching Grants-in-Aid. The appropriations *shall* be expended as follows:

	<b>General</b>	<b>Special</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Total</b>
	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund Match</b>	
<b>I. GENERAL GOVERNMENT</b>				
<b>A. Offices of <i>I Maga'hågan</i></b>				
<i>Guåhan</i> and <i>I Sigundo</i>				
<i>Maga'låhen Guåhan</i>	\$ 5,851,424	\$ 293,825 1/	\$ -	\$ 6,145,249
<b>B. Medical Referral</b>				
Assistance Office	\$ 665,849	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 665,849
<b>C. Offices of Homeland Security /</b>				
Civil Defense	\$ 1,502,252	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,502,252
<b>D. Bureau of Women's</b>				
Affairs	\$ 323,845	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 323,845

	<b>General</b>	<b>Special</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Total</b>
	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund Match</b>	
1				
2				
3	<b>E. Bureau of Budget and</b>			
4	Management Research	\$ 1,342,956	\$ 373,194 1/	\$ - \$ 1,716,150
5	<b>F. Civil Service</b>			
6	Commission	\$ 1,710,590	\$ -	\$ - \$ 1,710,590
7	<b>G. Administration</b>	\$ 12,613,752	\$ 779,008 2/	\$ - \$ 13,392,760
8	<b>H. Office of Technology</b>	\$ 6,876,644	\$ -	\$ - \$ 6,876,644
9	<b>I. Public Works</b>	\$ 4,101,392	\$ 17,101,546 3/	\$ - \$ 21,202,938
10	<b>J. Revenue and Taxation</b>	\$ 16,599,950	\$ 3,100,447 4/	\$ - \$ 19,700,397
11	<b>K. Land Management</b>	\$ 1,789,944	\$ 2,519,784 5/	\$ - \$ 4,309,728
12	<b>L. Board of Registration for Professional</b>			
13	Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors			
14	(PEALS)	\$ 84,127	\$ 292,525 6/	\$ - \$ 376,652
15	<b>M. Contractors License</b>			
16	Board	\$ -	\$ 862,027 7/	\$ - \$ 862,027
17	<b>N. Veterans Affairs</b>	\$ 1,246,443	\$ -	\$ - \$ 1,246,443
18	<b>O. Guam Ethics</b>			
19	Commission	\$ 552,680	\$ -	\$ - \$ 552,680
20	<b>TOTAL GENERAL</b>			
21	<b>GOVERNMENT</b>	\$ 55,261,848	\$ 25,322,356	\$ - \$ 80,584,204

	<b>General</b>	<b>Special</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Total</b>
	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund Match</b>	
<b>II. PROTECTION OF</b>				
<b>LIFE &amp; PROPERTY</b>				
<b>A. Corrections</b>	\$ 38,187,127	\$ 1,132,964 <b>8/</b>	\$ -	\$ 39,320,091
<b>B. Youth Affairs</b>	\$ 8,313,184	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,313,184
<b>C. Guam Fire</b>	\$ 39,967,637	\$ 2,584,088 <b>9/</b>	\$ -	\$ 42,551,725
<b>D. Guam Police</b>	\$ 55,621,088	\$ 4,818,217 <b>10/</b>	\$ 4,202,656	\$ 64,641,961
<b>E. Office of Post-Mortem</b>				
Examinations	\$ 1,056,911	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,056,911
<b>F. Customs and</b>				
Quarantine Agency	\$ 14,542,426	\$ 6,426,931 <b>11/</b>	\$ 1,875,000	\$ 22,844,357
<b>G. Guam Environmental</b>				
Protection Agency	\$ 5,107,987	\$ 436,462 <b>12/</b>	\$ -	\$ 5,544,449
<b>TOTAL PROTECTION</b>				
<b>OF LIFE &amp; PROPERTY</b>	<b>\$ 162,796,360</b>	<b>\$ 15,398,662</b>	<b>\$ 6,077,656</b>	<b>\$ 184,272,678</b>
<b>III. PUBLIC HEALTH</b>				
<b>A. Guam Behavioral Health</b>				
and Wellness Center	\$ 15,773,851	\$ 8,704,684 <b>13/</b>	\$ -	\$ 24,478,535
<b>B. Public Health and</b>				
Social Services	\$ 29,983,042	\$ 2,888,114 <b>14/</b>	\$ 16,331,788	\$ 49,202,944
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC</b>				
<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>\$ 45,756,893</b>	<b>\$ 11,592,798</b>	<b>\$ 16,331,788</b>	<b>\$ 73,681,479</b>

	<b>General</b>	<b>Special</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Total</b>
	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund Match</b>	
<b>IV. COMMUNITY SERVICES</b>				
<b>A. Integrated Services for</b>				
Individuals with				
Disabilities	\$ 4,397,961	\$ 3,846,612 <b>15/</b>	\$ 2,771,127	\$ 11,015,700
<b>B. Guam Regional</b>				
Transit Authority	<u>\$ 2,840,499</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,840,499</u>
<b>TOTAL COMMUNITY</b>				
<b>SERVICES</b>	<b>\$ 7,238,460</b>	<b>\$ 3,846,612</b>	<b>\$ 2,771,127</b>	<b>\$ 13,856,199</b>
<b>V. RECREATION</b>				
<b>A. Parks and Recreation</b>	<u>\$ 4,942,112</u>	<u>\$ 417,461 <b>16/</b></u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 5,359,573</u>
<b>TOTAL RECREATION</b>	<b>\$ 4,942,112</b>	<b>\$ 417,461</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 5,359,573</b>
<b>VI. INDIVIDUAL &amp;</b>				
<b>COLLECTIVE RIGHTS</b>				
<b>A. Commission on</b>				
Decolonization	\$ 380,870	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 380,870
<b>B. CHamoru Affairs</b>	\$ 2,579,633	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,579,633
<b>C. Guam Council on the</b>				
Arts and Humanities	\$ 772,866	\$ -	\$ 426,950	\$ 1,199,816
<b>D. Hagåtña Restoration and Redevelopment</b>				
Authority	\$ 443,589	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 443,589

1	<b>General</b>	<b>Special</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Total</b>	
2	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Fund Match</b>		
3	<b>E. Commission on <i>CHamoru</i> Language and the Teaching</b>				
4	of the History and Culture of the Indigenous				
5	People of Guam	\$ 864,566	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 864,566
6	<b>F. Labor</b>	\$ 408,409	\$ 3,460,841 <b>17/</b>	\$ 47,000	\$ 3,916,250
7	<b>G. Military Affairs</b>	<u>\$ 1,442,579</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,178,570</u>	<u>\$ 3,621,149</u>
8	<b>TOTAL INDIVIDUAL &amp;</b>				
9	<b>COLLECTIVE RIGHTS</b>	<b>\$ 6,892,512</b>	<b>\$ 3,460,841</b>	<b>\$ 2,652,520</b>	<b>\$ 13,005,873</b>
10	<b>VII. PUBLIC EDUCATION</b>				
11	<b>A. Guam Educational</b>				
12	Telecommunications Corporation				
13	(PBS Guam)	\$ 703,283	\$ 1,101,155 <b>18/</b>	\$ -	\$ 1,804,438
14	<b>B. Guam Public Library</b>				
15	System	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,932,072 <b>19/</b></u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,932,072</u>
16	<b>TOTAL PUBLIC</b>				
17	<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>\$ 703,283</b>	<b>\$ 3,033,227</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 3,736,510</b>
18	<b>VIII. ECONOMIC</b>				
19	<b>DEVELOPMENT</b>				
20	<b>A. Bureau of Statistics</b>				
21	and Plans	\$ 1,973,531	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,973,531
22	<b>B. Agriculture</b>	<u>\$ 6,029,391</u>	<u>\$ 1,856,327 <b>20/</b></u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7,885,718</u>

1 **TOTAL ECONOMIC**

2	<b>DEVELOPMENT</b>	\$	<b>8,002,922</b>	\$	<b>1,856,327</b>	\$	<b>-</b>	\$	<b>9,859,249</b>
3	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	\$	<b>291,594,390</b>	\$	<b>64,928,284</b>	\$	<b>27,833,091</b>	\$	<b>384,355,765</b>

4 **NOTES:**

5 1/ Indirect Cost Fund

6 2/ Indirect Cost Fund (\$724,455) and Limited Gaming Fund (\$54,553)

7 3/ Guam Highway Fund (\$9,193,988) and Guam Educational Facilities Fund (\$7,907,558)

8 4/ Tax Collection Enhancement Fund (\$1,130,978), Better Public Service Fund (\$1,465,286), and Banking and  
9 Insurance Enforcement Fund (\$504,183)

10 5/ Land Survey Revolving Fund

11 6/ Professional Engineers, Architects and Land Surveyors Board Fund

12 7/ Guam Contractors License Board Fund

13 8/ Corrections Inmate Revolving Fund (\$1,121,084) and Safe Streets Fund (\$11,880)

14 9/ Enhanced 911 Emergency Reporting System Fund (\$1,850,622) and Fire, Life, and Medical Emergency Fund  
15 (\$733,466)

16 10/ Police Services Fund (\$1,142,044), Police Patrol Vehicle and Equipment Revolving Fund (\$345,081), and  
17 Tourist Attraction Fund (\$3,331,092)

18 11/ Customs, Agriculture, and Quarantine Inspection Services Fund

19 12/ Guam Environmental Trust Fund (\$352,488) and Water Research and Development Fund (\$83,974)

20 13/ Healthy Futures Fund (\$8,287,934) and Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services Fund (\$416,750)

21 14/ Environmental Health Fund (\$1,812,482), Office of Vital Statistics Revolving Fund (\$221,035), Health  
22 Professional Licensing Office Revolving Fund (\$344,376), and Sanitary Inspection Revolving Fund (\$510,221)

23 15/ Healthy Futures Fund

24 16/ Public Recreation Services Fund (\$71,958) and Limited Gaming Fund (\$345,503)

25 17/ Manpower Development Fund

- 1 **18/** Guam Educational Facilities Fund
- 2 **19/** Guam Educational Facilities Fund (**\$1,593,229**) and Public School Library Resources Fund (**\$338,843**)
- 3 **20/** Guam Plant Inspection and Permit Fund (**\$109,515**), Guam Invasive Species Inspection Fee Fund (**\$1,690,985**),
- 4 and Rabies Prevention Fund (**\$55,827**)

1 **CHAPTER III**

2 **MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS**

3 **Section 1. Appropriation to the Guam Department of Education for *CHamoru* Studies.**

4 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred Thirteen  
5 Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-Four Dollars (**\$513,824**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
6 Guam Department of Education for the *CHamoru* Studies Division to be expended for personnel salaries  
7 and benefits, contractual services, professional development and training, supplies and materials, and  
8 equipment for the support and the implementation of the Content Standards and Performance Indicators  
9 of the course syllabi for the emphasis of fluency and for the promotion of the proficiency skills in the areas  
10 of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in the *CHamoru* language.

11 **Section 2. Appropriation to the Guam Department of Education for Menstrual Hygiene**

12 **Products for Guam Public Schools.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars  
13 (**\$25,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Department of Education for the purchase  
14 of menstrual hygiene products for Guam public schools. All public schools on Guam that serve students  
15 in grades five (5) through twelve (12) *shall* provide menstrual hygiene products, such as tampons and  
16 sanitary pads, in the nursing or counselor's offices of such schools; and, such products *shall* be provided  
17 to students at no charge to them.

18 **Section 3. Appropriation to the Guam Department of Education for School Maintenance**

19 **and Repairs.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Ten Million Dollars (**\$10,000,000**) is appropriated from  
20 the General Fund to the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) for school facilities maintenance, school  
21 facilities maintenance staff, and repairs of the GDOE schools.

1           **Section 4.    Miscellaneous Healthy Futures Fund Appropriations to the Guam**  
2 **Department of Education.**

3           (a)    **Interscholastic Sports Fund.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Six Hundred Fourteen  
4 Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (**\$614,165**) is appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to  
5 the Guam Department of Education for the Interscholastic Sports Fund to be expended pursuant to § 7108,  
6 Chapter 7, Title 17 GCA. The appropriation made in this Subsection *shall* be available to fund sports  
7 programs, to include the payment of head coaches, assistant coaches, league fees, busing services, and  
8 other expenses normally associated with interscholastic sports.

9           (b)    **Health and Physical Education Activities.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two  
10 Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Nine Dollars (**\$277,589**) is appropriated from  
11 the Healthy Futures Fund to the Guam Department of Education for health and physical education  
12 programs, intramural sports, and similar activities.

13           **Section 5.    Appropriation to the Guam Department of Education for Alternative Dispute**  
14 **Resolution/Mediation Services.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the  
15 sum of Forty Thousand Dollars (**\$40,000**) is appropriated from the Guam Educational Facilities Fund to  
16 the Guam Department of Education to obtain and provide Alternative Dispute Resolution/Mediation  
17 Services to all public schools on Guam.

18           **Section 6.    Appropriation to the Guam Department of Education for Grounds**  
19 **Maintenance for Schools.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand  
20 Twenty-Two Dollars (**\$385,022**) is appropriated from the Guam Educational Facilities Fund for the  
21 grounds maintenance of Guam Department of Education schools.

22           **Section 7.    Guam Department of Education Summer School Fund.** Pursuant to § 6119,  
23 Article 1, Chapter 6, Division 2, Title 17 of the Guam Code Annotated which established the Summer

1 School Fund, such sums as are necessary to fund the operations of the Fiscal Year 2027 Summer School  
2 Program are hereby appropriated to the Guam Department of Education. The Superintendent of Education  
3 *shall* submit a detailed report to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*  
4 regarding the receipt and expenditure of said funds *no later than* thirty (30) days after the close of summer  
5 school and post the same on the GDOE website. Such report *shall* include the following:

- 6 (a) total revenues received, including identification of each revenue source;
- 7 (b) total expenditures and encumbrances by object classification and by school; and
- 8 (c) the fund balance.

9 **Section 8. Appropriations to the University of Guam.** Notwithstanding any other provision  
10 of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Million Four Hundred Eighty-Four Thousand Two Hundred  
11 Forty-Four Dollars (**\$5,484,244**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the University of Guam for the  
12 following purposes:

- 13 (a) **Student Scholarships, Financial Assistance Programs, and Program Administration.**  
14 Such appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is for: Merit Awards, Student Loans, the  
15 Nursing Training Program (Health Professions Training Scholarship), Jesus U. Torres Professional and  
16 Technical (PROTECH) Awards, the Access to Higher Education Financial Assistance Program, the Pedro  
17 “Doc” Sanchez Scholarship, John F. Quan Memorial Scholarship Program, the Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita  
18 Educator Corps, and the Every Child is Entitled to a Higher Education Scholarship Program, for Fiscal  
19 Year 2027. The President of the University of Guam *shall* allocate this appropriation to fund student  
20 scholarships and financial assistance programs. No more than ten percent (10%) of the total appropriation  
21 in this Section *shall* be used for the administration of these programs. The President of the University of  
22 Guam *shall* post on the University of Guam’s website all reports mandated by this Act and existing law

1 regarding the Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps, the student scholarships, and financial assistance  
2 programs.

3 (1) The University of Guam *may* submit to *I Liheslatura* a proposed realignment plan  
4 or recommendations to amend statutory student scholarships and financial assistance programs  
5 consistent with community, workforce, and economic recovery needs.

6 (2) The University of Guam *may* allocate from such appropriation in this Section any  
7 additional sums toward any other types of scholarships or financial assistance programs that it  
8 deems necessary, including, but not limited to, Regent Scholarships, the Reserve Officer Training  
9 Corps (ROTC), Marine Lab Graduate Assistance Programs, and Early High School Admission  
10 Programs.

11 (3) Nothing in this Section *shall* affect any multi-year scholarship awarded prior to  
12 enactment of this Act.

13 (b) **Aquaculture Development and Training Center.** Such appropriation in this Section  
14 from the General Fund is for the purpose of funding the continued operations of the Aquaculture  
15 Development and Training Center.

16 (c) **WERI's Guam Hydrologic Survey.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General  
17 Fund is for the purpose of funding the Guam Hydrologic Survey (GHS) administered by the Water and  
18 Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific (WERI). WERI *shall* continue to administer the  
19 GHS for those purposes previously established by Guam law.

20 (d) **WERI's Comprehensive Water Resource Monitoring Program.** Such appropriation in  
21 this Section from the General Fund *shall* be used to fund the Water and Environmental Research Institute  
22 of the Western Pacific (WERI) for the *sole* purpose of matching the federal funding for the Comprehensive

1 Water Resource Monitoring Program. WERI *shall* continue to administer the Comprehensive Water  
2 Resource Monitoring Program for those purposes previously established by Guam law.

3 (e) **Northern and Southern Soil and Water Conservation Districts Program.** Such  
4 appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is for operations and activities of the Northern and  
5 Southern Soil and Water Conservation Districts (SWCD) Program and *shall* be equally divided between  
6 the Northern and Southern Soil Conservation Districts. Expenditures from this appropriation *shall* be  
7 made upon the approval of the District Directors, with the consent of the SWCD Board and *shall not*  
8 require further approval by the University of Guam *or* any other government entity.

9 (f) **KPRG (Public Radio).** Such appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is for  
10 KPRG (Public Radio) operations. The President of the University of Guam *shall* disburse the funds to  
11 KPRG. *No later than* thirty (30) days after the close of each fiscal quarter of Fiscal Year 2027, the General  
12 Manager of KPRG *shall* submit to the President of the University of Guam, and post on KPRG’s website,  
13 all reports mandated by this Act.

14 (g) **Guampedia Foundation.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is for  
15 the operations of the Guampedia Foundation.

16 (h) **University of Guam Press (Publishing House).** Such appropriation in this Section from  
17 the General Fund is for the operations and activities of the University of Guam Press. Such sum  
18 appropriated in this Section are authorized for use as the local matching requirement for Federal Grants-  
19 in-Aid. The University of Guam Press is to assist the Guam Department of Education with their textbooks  
20 and collateral materials for the development. Localization, production, reproduction and/or purchase of  
21 textbooks, instructional materials, curriculum guides, and/or other print, digital, and audio resources, as  
22 well as for the development and facilitations of professional development programs to support the  
23 implementation and success of these resources.

1           **Section 9.     Appropriations to the University of Guam Capital Improvements Fund.**

2           (a)     For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million One Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand Two  
3     Hundred Eighty-Three Dollars (**\$1,158,283**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the University of  
4     Guam Capital Improvements Fund for the purpose of paying rental payments due under the leaseback  
5     agreement pursuant to Public Law 31-229:18, as repealed and reenacted by Public Law 31-277.

6           (b)     Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred  
7     Thousand Dollars (**\$500,000**) is appropriated from the Guam Educational Facilities Fund to the University  
8     of Guam Capital Improvements Fund for the purpose of paying for the debt service pursuant to § 16132,  
9     Chapter 16, Division 3, Title 17 of the Guam Code Annotated.

10           **Section 10.    Appropriation to the University of Guam for the Guam Cancer Trust Fund.**

11     Notwithstanding § 26603(d)(5)(B), Chapter 26, Article 6, Title 11 of the Guam Code Annotated, for Fiscal  
12     Year 2027, the sum of Four Million Dollars (**\$4,000,000**) is appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund  
13     to the University of Guam for the administration of the Guam Cancer Trust Fund. This appropriation *shall*  
14     be used to fund cancer screening, treatment, educational outreach programs, and support services for  
15     qualified applicants.

16           **Section 11.    Appropriation to the University of Guam for the Guam Green Growth (G3)**

17     **Initiative.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$500,000**) is appropriated  
18     from the General Fund to the University of Guam to fund the Research Corporation of the University of  
19     Guam (RCUOG) for the *sole* purpose of supporting the Guam Green Growth (G3) Initiative administered  
20     by the UOG Center for Island Sustainability. Aligned with the seventeen (17) United Nations Sustainable  
21     Development Goals, G3 cultivates an ecosystem for transformative action to achieve a more sustainable,  
22     prosperous, and equitable future for Guam. Activities will stimulate island circular economy industries to  
23     contribute to a new green economy, reduce the production of waste, reduce reliance on imports, and

1 promote sustainable actions throughout the community. The expenditures authorized in this Section *shall*  
2 be used for G3 initiative operations and administrative costs, supplies and equipment, membership in  
3 regional and global sustainability organizations, and to support educational and outreach activities. Said  
4 funds *shall not* be transferred or used for any other purpose. The sum appropriated herein is authorized  
5 for use as a local matching requirement for Federal Grants-in-Aid and *shall* be prioritized for the local  
6 matching requirement of the UOG Sea Grant Program.

7 The UOG Center for Island Sustainability *shall* prepare and submit an expenditure plan for said  
8 use of these funds for the Guam Green Growth (G3) Initiative to the Guam Environmental Protection  
9 Agency (GEPA) Board of Directors, who *shall* review the expenditure plan no later than thirty (30) days  
10 upon receipt of the plan. The UOG Center for Island Sustainability *shall not* expend funds allocated herein  
11 prior to the approval of the expenditure plan and must meet all applicable rules and regulations.

12 **Section 12. Appropriation to the University of Guam for the Sea Grant Program.** For  
13 Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$500,000**) is appropriated from the General  
14 Fund to the University of Guam Sea Grant Special Fund (established by Public Law 35-114) to fund the  
15 Sea Grant Program administered by the University of Guam Center for Island Sustainability. UOG has  
16 been a Land Grant institution since 1972, and the status has brought significant opportunities for UOG,  
17 Guam, and the region in agriculture, terrestrial resources management, and development of the  
18 community. Having received a formal notice to review from the National Sea Grant Director, UOG now  
19 has a once-in-a-generation opportunity to achieve "Sea Grant Status" and bring similar opportunities to  
20 Guam and the region in marine resource management, environmental stewardship, and the community  
21 development of coastal communities. The National Sea Grant College Program is a partnership between  
22 universities and the federal government's National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), an  
23 agency within the U.S. Department of Commerce. The UOG Sea Grant applies research, extension, and

1 educational activities that sustain and develop island environments while integrating the knowledge and  
2 culture of island people. The UOG Sea Grant provides local workforce development training in marine  
3 and environmental sciences through research funding, internships, fellowships and grants; funds research  
4 competitions among faculty, colleges, and nonprofit organizations to promote understanding and better  
5 management of coastal resources in Guam and Micronesia; and, perpetuates traditional local knowledge  
6 in navigation and fisheries through teaching, research, outreach, and apprenticeships. The expenditures  
7 authorized in this Section *shall* be used for UOG Sea Grant operations and administrative costs, hiring of  
8 faculty and administrative staff, facility improvement, and supplies and equipment. The sum appropriated  
9 herein is authorized for use as a local matching requirement for Grants-in-Aid and *shall* be prioritized for  
10 use as the local matching requirement to achieve and maintain Sea Grant Institutional Status, which has  
11 the potential to garner a 1:2 federal contribution of up to One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) in federal funds  
12 to UOG per year.

13 The President of the University of Guam *shall* post on UOG's website and *shall* submit to *I*  
14 *Maga'hågan Guåhan* and the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, in a Microsoft Excel file and written  
15 report, annual reports for the UOG Sea Grant Special Fund. At a minimum, said reports *shall* include:  
16 program mission statements, objectives, sources of revenue, expenditures by budget classification, number  
17 of employees, and contracts, and *shall* describe program accomplishments in the fiscal year reported.

18 **Section 13. Appropriations to the Guam Community College.** Notwithstanding any other  
19 provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million One Hundred Eighty-Nine Thousand Three  
20 Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars (**\$1,189,349**) is appropriated from the General Fund and Eight Million  
21 Seventy-Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-Seven Dollars (**\$8,075,297**) is appropriated from the  
22 Manpower Development Fund to the Guam Community College for the following training programs:

1           (a)     **Licensed Practical Nursing and Vocational Guidance Programs.** Such appropriation  
2 in this Section from the General Fund is to support the operations of the Licensed Practical Nursing  
3 Program and Vocational Guidance Program.

4           (b)     **Lodging Management Program/ProStart.** Such appropriation in this Section from the  
5 General Fund is for the Lodging Management Program/ProStart Program.

6           (c)     **Apprenticeship Program.** Such appropriation in this Section from the Manpower  
7 Development Fund is for the Guam Community College Apprenticeship Program. In addition to the  
8 authorization contained in § 7120, Chapter 7, Title 22 of the Guam Code Annotated, the appropriation  
9 herein *shall* be available and authorized to be used by the Guam Community College to fund the operations  
10 of other programs at the College, as approved by the Board and Administration of the College, after all  
11 the Apprenticeship Program requirements and obligations have been fully funded.

12           **Section 14.     Appropriation to the Guam Community College for the WICHE Scholarship**  
13 **Office.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (**\$78,500**) is  
14 appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Community College to fund the Western Interstate  
15 Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) Scholarship Office to administer the WICHE Professional  
16 Student Exchange Program for qualified Guam residents.

17           **Section 15.     Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the  
18 sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$300,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam  
19 Community College for the purpose of funding the Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission  
20 operations.

21           **Section 16.     Appropriation to the Department of Corrections for Cost of Care and Custody**  
22 **for Prisoners Confined in Federal Facilities.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Seven Hundred  
23 Thousand Dollars (**\$700,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Corrections for

1 the payment of current year obligations for prisoners confined in federal facilities of the Federal Bureau  
2 of Prisons.

3 **Section 17. Appropriation to the Department of Corrections for Cost-Sharing Initiative**  
4 **Related to the Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) Integration Report.** For Fiscal Year  
5 2027, the sum of Eighty-Seven Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Dollars (**\$87,690**) is appropriated from the  
6 General Fund to the Department of Corrections for its share of the total annual cost of message switch  
7 maintenance and National Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (NLETS) membership  
8 pursuant to the Multi-Agency Agreement to Facilitate a Cost Sharing Initiative of May 2013 entered into  
9 by the Chief of Police, the Director of the Department of Corrections, the Attorney General of Guam, and  
10 the Administrator of the Courts.

11 **Section 18. Appropriation to the Department of Corrections for Corrections Management**  
12 **System.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Hundred Ninety-Four Thousand Six Hundred Ten Dollars  
13 (**\$294,610**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Corrections (DOC) for the annual  
14 fee for user access and maintenance of the Corrections Management System pursuant to the “Software As  
15 A Service Agreement (SAAS)” between the DOC and Tyler Technologies, Inc.

16 **Section 19. Appropriation to the Department of Corrections for Corrections Officer**  
17 **Recruits.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Five Hundred Eighty-One Thousand One  
18 Hundred Eighty Dollars (**\$1,581,180**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
19 Corrections for its Fiscal Year 2027 cycle of twenty (20) Corrections Officer Recruits.

20 **Section 20. Department of Corrections Modernization Act Appropriation.** For Fiscal Year  
21 2027, the sum of Five Million Dollars (**\$5,000,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
22 Department of Corrections and *shall* be expended for the costs associated with the financing, design,

1 construction, maintenance and related expenses of the new Department of Corrections facility as  
2 established by Public Law 36-57, the Department of Corrections Modernization Act of 2021.

3 **Section 21. Appropriation to the Department of Youth Affairs for Youth Programs.** For  
4 Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$200,000**) is appropriated from the General  
5 Fund to the Department of Youth Affairs to fund programs contracted out to non-governmental  
6 organizations for services to youths who are runaways, homeless, or victims of abuse.

7 **Section 22. Appropriation to the Department of Youth Affairs for Summer Employment  
8 and Training Programs for Youth.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Seven Hundred  
9 Seventy-Nine Thousand One Dollars (**\$1,779,001**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
10 Department of Youth Affairs to carry out the Summer Employment and Training Programs for Youth  
11 contained in Chapter 21, Title 19 of the Guam Code Annotated.

12 **Section 23. Appropriation to the Department of Youth Affairs for the Sanctuary  
13 Incorporated of Guam.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$300,000**)  
14 is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Youth Affairs for the Sanctuary Incorporated  
15 of Guam or other contract services for continuing programs and services, to include the COED Shelter,  
16 Strengthening Families Program, Parenting Support and Parenting Skills Groups, Adult Anger  
17 Management and Youth Anger Management, and Tobacco Cessation.

18 **Section 24. Appropriation to the Guam Fire Department for Firefighter Recruits.** For  
19 Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million One Hundred Ten Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-One Dollars  
20 (**\$1,110,781**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Fire Department for its Fiscal Year 2027  
21 cycle of twenty (20) Firefighter Recruits.

1           **Section 25. Appropriation to the Guam Police Department for Cost-Sharing Initiative**  
2 **Related to the Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) Integration Report.** For Fiscal Year  
3 2027, the sum of Eighty-Seven Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Dollars (**\$87,690**) is appropriated from the  
4 General Fund to the Guam Police Department for its share of the total annual cost of message switch  
5 maintenance and National Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (NLETS) membership  
6 pursuant to the Multi-Agency Agreement to Facilitate a Cost Sharing Initiative of May 2013 entered into  
7 by the Chief of Police, the Director of the Department of Corrections, the Attorney General of Guam, and  
8 the Administrator of the Courts.

9           **Section 26. Appropriation to the Guam Police Department for Safe Schools Initiative.**  
10 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Forty-Two  
11 Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars (**\$142,585**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
12 Guam Police Department for its Safe Schools Initiative.

13           **Section 27. Appropriation to the Guam Police Department for Police Officer Trainees.**  
14 For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Two Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars  
15 (**\$1,255,800**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Police Department for its Fiscal Year  
16 2027 cycle of twenty (20) Police Officer Trainees.

17           **Section 28. Appropriation to the Guam Police Department for Guam Crime Stoppers.**  
18 For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$100,000**) is appropriated from the  
19 General Fund to the Guam Police Department for the Guam Crime Stoppers at the discretion of the Chief  
20 of Police.

21           **Section 29. Appropriation to the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency for Customs and**  
22 **Quarantine Trainees.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Two Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand  
23 Three Hundred Eighty Dollars (**\$1,269,380**) is appropriated from the Customs, Agriculture and Quarantine

1 Inspection Services Fund to the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency for its Fiscal Year 2027 cycle of  
2 ten (10) Customs and Quarantine Trainees.

3 **Section 30. Appropriations to the Guam Environmental Protection Agency.**

4 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the following are appropriated to the  
5 Guam Environmental Protection Agency:

6 (a) **Beach Monitoring.** The sum of Forty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred Three Dollars  
7 **(\$46,903)** is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Environmental Protection Agency for the  
8 *sole* purpose of beach monitoring. This appropriation is *not* subject to transfer or use for any other purpose.

9 (b) **Landfill Costs.** The sum of Two Hundred Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Two  
10 Dollars **(\$202,992)** is appropriated from the Solid Waste Operations Fund to the Guam Environmental  
11 Protection Agency for costs in the closure, monitoring and opening of the island's landfills.

12 **Section 31. Appropriation to the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center**

13 **Detoxification and Rehabilitation Services.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Million Two  
14 Hundred Sixty-Two Thousand Four Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars **(\$3,262,476)** is appropriated from the  
15 Healthy Futures Fund to the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center to fund drug and alcohol  
16 detoxification, rehabilitation, and prevention services programs, which may be contracted out to non-  
17 governmental organizations; provided, that the expenditure of such funds *shall* comply with § 1421b(p)  
18 of 48 United States Code.

19 **Section 32. Appropriation to the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center Focus on**

20 **Life Suicide Prevention Program.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Eighty-One Thousand Seven  
21 Hundred Fifty Dollars **(\$81,750)** is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Behavioral Health  
22 and Wellness Center to fund the Focus on Life Suicide Prevention Program.

1           **Section 33. Appropriation to the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center Inpatient**  
2 **Detox Program (New Beginnings).** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Million Two Hundred Sixty-  
3 Six Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars (**\$2,266,285**) is appropriated from the Healthy Futures  
4 Fund to the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center to fund inpatient services of drug and alcohol  
5 detoxification, rehabilitation, and prevention services programs.

6           **Section 34. Appropriation to the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center Youth**  
7 **Mental Health First Aid.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand One  
8 Hundred Seventy Dollars (**\$285,170**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Behavioral  
9 Health and Wellness Center to fund the Youth Mental Health First Aid Program.

10           **Section 35. Appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for**  
11 **Medically Indigent Program (MIP).** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Four Hundred  
12 Thirty-One Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars (**\$1,431,435**) is appropriated from the General  
13 Fund to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for the Medically Indigent Program Payment  
14 Revolving (MIPPR) Fund for the MIP. No more than ten percent (10%) of the appropriations from local  
15 fund sources in this Section is authorized to pay for the Fiscal Year 2026 obligations of the MIP.

16           **Section 36. Appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for**  
17 **Medicaid Program.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Thirty-Two Million Six Hundred Thirteen  
18 Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-One Dollars (**\$32,613,381**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
19 Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) as the local matching requirement for the  
20 Medicaid Program. The sum of One Hundred Seventy-Two Million Four Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand  
21 Five Hundred Fifteen Dollars (**\$172,469,515**) is authorized from Federal Matching Grants-in-Aid to  
22 DPHSS for said purpose for Fiscal Year 2027.

1            *No more than* thirty percent (30%) of the appropriation from local fund sources in this Section is  
2 authorized to pay for the Fiscal Year 2026 obligations of the Medicaid Program. The funds appropriated  
3 and authorized in this Section are not subject to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan's* transfer authority.  
4 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, all or any of the amounts appropriated in this Section may be  
5 authorized to pay for Medically Indigent Program (MIP) for FY 2027, in addition to the authorization for  
6 MIP in this Act.

7            **Section 37. Appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for**  
8 **Guam Cancer Registry.** Pursuant to § 26603(d)(5)(D), Article 6, Chapter 26, Title 11 of the Guam Code  
9 Annotated, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Eighty-Nine Thousand One Hundred Forty-  
10 Four Dollars (**\$389,144**) is appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to the Department of Public Health  
11 and Social Services to maintain the Guam Cancer Registry pursuant to § 3201.1, Article 2, Chapter 3,  
12 Title 10 of the Guam Code Annotated.

13            **Section 38. Appropriations to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for the**  
14 **Division of Children's Wellness.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the  
15 following are appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS), Division of  
16 Children's Wellness:

17            (a)        **Bureau of Social Services Administration.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Seven  
18 Million Nine Hundred Thirty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Eight Dollars (**\$7,938,928**) is  
19 appropriated from the General Fund to the DPHSS for the operations of the Bureau of Social Services  
20 Administration.

21            (b)        **Insurance Premiums for Foster Children.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Million  
22 Three Hundred Fifty-Nine Thousand Two Hundred Fifteen Dollars (**\$2,359,215**) is appropriated from the  
23 General Fund to the DPHSS for the purpose of paying the premiums for health insurance. The DPHSS

1 Bureau of Social Services Administration *shall* be the subscriber for foster children covered under Public  
2 Law 32-189 and *shall* remit payments to the Department of Administration or to the insurance provider  
3 for the purpose of paying premiums.

4 (c) **Child Protective Services Program.** Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Eight  
5 Hundred Thirty-Nine Thousand Four Hundred Sixteen Dollars (**\$1,839,416**) is appropriated from the  
6 General Fund to the DPHSS for the Child Protective Services Program.

7 (d) **Foster Care Group Home.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty  
8 Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars (**\$950,558**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
9 DPHSS for the operation of the *I Guma Mina'åse'* Sister Mary Brigid Perez, RSM, Group Child Care  
10 Home.

11 **Section 39. Appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for the**  
12 **Medical Cannabis Program.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Three Thousand Eight  
13 Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars (**\$303,849**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
14 Public Health and Social Services for the Medical Cannabis Program.

15 **Section 40. Appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Social Services for**  
16 **Homeless Coalition Grants.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars  
17 (**\$500,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Public Health and Social Services  
18 for grants to the Homeless Coalition or to provide shelter, food, and medical care for homeless individuals.

19 **Section 41. Appropriations to the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority for Operations.**

20 (a) For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Twenty Million Ten Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-Two  
21 Dollars (**\$20,010,862**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority  
22 for its operational expenses.

1 (b) Pursuant to §§ 26208 and 26208.1, Article 2, Chapter 26, Title 11 of the Guam Code  
2 Annotated, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Twenty-Three Million Five Hundred Forty Thousand Three  
3 Hundred Fourteen Dollars (**\$23,540,314**) is appropriated from the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority  
4 Pharmaceuticals Fund to the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority.

5 **Section 42. Appropriation to the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority for the Department**  
6 **of Corrections Consolidated Agreement.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Four Million Two Hundred  
7 Fifty-Five Thousand Six Hundred Fifteen Dollars (**\$4,255,615**) is appropriated from the General Fund to  
8 the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority (GMHA) per the Memorandum of Understanding between  
9 GMHA and DOC for providing health services to inmates.

10 **Section 43. Appropriations to the Department of Parks and Recreation for Public**  
11 **Restrooms and Pool Facilities.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the  
12 sum of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$400,000**) is appropriated from the Tourist Attraction Fund to  
13 the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) for the following programs:

14 (a) **Maintenance and Repair of Public Restrooms.** Such appropriation in this Section is for  
15 the maintenance, utilities and repair of restroom facilities in public parks island-wide. *No later than thirty*  
16 *(30) days after the end of every fiscal quarter, the Director of DPR shall submit a quarterly report of the*  
17 *expenditures from this appropriation to the Public Auditor and post the same on DPR’s website.*

18 (b) **Maintenance of Pool Facilities.** Such appropriation in this Section is for the maintenance,  
19 utilities, and repair of pool facilities. These funds *shall* be used for the northern pool and the *Hagåtña*  
20 *pool. No later than thirty (30) days after the end of every fiscal quarter, the Director of DPR shall submit*  
21 *a quarterly report of the expenditures from this appropriation to the Public Auditor and post the same on*  
22 *DPR’s website.*

1           **Section 44. Appropriation to the Department of Parks and Recreation for Civilian**  
2 **Volunteer Territorial Park Patrol Officer Reservists.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Ninety  
3 Thousand Dollars (**\$90,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Parks and  
4 Recreation for the payment of allowances of Civilian Volunteer Territorial Park Patrol Officer Reservists  
5 to defray the costs of maintenance of their equipment and uniforms, as set forth in Public Law 36-3.

6           **Section 45. Appropriation to the Department of Parks and Recreation for the Guam**  
7 **Historic Resources Division.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Eight Hundred Twenty-Eight Thousand  
8 Five Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars (**\$828,588**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department  
9 of Parks and Recreation (DPR) for its Guam Historic Resources Division. Such appropriation from this  
10 Section *shall* be expended exclusively for historic preservation positions and projects as advised by the  
11 Guam State Historic Preservation Officer and approved by the DPR Director.

12           **Section 46. Appropriation to the Department of Labor for Worker’s Compensation Fund.**  
13 For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$1,400,000**) is  
14 appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Labor (DOL) for the Worker’s Compensation  
15 Fund for Worker’s Compensation payments pursuant to § 9144, Chapter 9, Title 22 of the Guam Code  
16 Annotated, including obligations incurred in past years and in the future. Said appropriation may be used  
17 to pay for medical, surgical, and other treatment; nurses; hospital services; medical travel and per diem  
18 costs; medicine; crutches; and equipment required by a claimant for such period as his injury and the  
19 recovery therefrom may require. Said appropriation *shall not* be expended for disability compensation  
20 payments for Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) funded by this Act. The Director of the DOL may use *no*  
21 *more than* Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000) from said appropriation to pay for legal services for  
22 Workers’ Compensation hearings.

1           **Section 47. Appropriation to the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency for**  
2 **the Guam Territorial Band.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Forty-Five Thousand Dollars (**\$45,000**)  
3 is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency for the  
4 Guam Territorial Band.

5           **Section 48. Appropriation to the Department of Chamorro Affairs for the Guam Cultural**  
6 **Repository.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Six Hundred Twenty-Seven Thousand One  
7 Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars (**\$1,627,126**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
8 Chamorro Affairs to fund the operations of the Guam Cultural Repository. The Guam Cultural Repository  
9 *shall* submit a written report to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* at the end of each quarter of Fiscal  
10 Year 2027, which *shall* include all expenditures and encumbrances of its Fiscal Year 2027 appropriations.

11           **Section 49. Appropriation to the Department of Agriculture for Animal Shelter**  
12 **Operations.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Forty-Two Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-  
13 Five Dollars (**\$142,585**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Agriculture to fund  
14 the operations of the animal shelter.

15           **Section 50. Department of Agriculture Civilian Volunteer Conservation Officers**  
16 **Program.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$200,000**) is appropriated  
17 from the General Fund to the Department of Agriculture to fund the needs of the Civilian Volunteer  
18 Conservation Officers Program, including procurement of critical equipment and supplies.

19           **Section 51. GAIN Spay and Neuter Program.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Four  
20 Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (**\$450,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
21 Agriculture to fund the Guam Animals In Need (GAIN) Spay and Neuter Program.

1           **Section 52. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for Support of Child in**  
2 **Custody.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (**\$150,000**) is  
3 appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Administration for the *sole* purpose of paying  
4 orders of the court pursuant to § 5116, Chapter 5, Title 19 of the Guam Code Annotated.

5           **Section 53. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for Residential**  
6 **Treatment Fund.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars  
7 (**\$3,500,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Administration (DOA) to pay  
8 the expenses of persons under the jurisdiction of the Superior Court of Guam who require residential care  
9 because of physical, mental *or* emotional disabilities *or* severe emotional disturbances. All such persons  
10 and their escorts referred off-Guam for treatment and care *shall* submit to the Director of DOA appropriate  
11 documentation to justify and receive reimbursement of their travel expenses. The Director of DOA *shall*  
12 submit reports to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* describing all  
13 expenditures made pursuant to this appropriation *no later than* thirty (30) days after the end of each quarter  
14 of Fiscal Year 2027 and post the same on the DOA website.

15           **Section 54. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for Government Claims**  
16 **Fund.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$100,000**) is appropriated from  
17 the General Fund to the Department of Administration (DOA) for the Government Claims Fund for  
18 payment of approved government claims. The Director of DOA *shall, no later than* thirty (30) days after  
19 the close of each quarter of Fiscal Year 2027, submit to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, in a  
20 Microsoft Excel file and written report describing expenditures made pursuant to the appropriations  
21 herein, and post the same on the DOA website.

1           **Section 55. Appropriations to the Department of Administration for Government of**  
2 **Guam’s Audit Reports.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the following  
3 are appropriated to the Department of Administration:

4           (a)     The sum of Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$700,000**) is appropriated from the General  
5 Fund to the Department of Administration for the Fiscal Year 2026 Government of Guam’s Basic  
6 Financial Statements Audit and Single Audit Report. The Public Auditor *shall* administer said funds and  
7 *shall* oversee the annual audit.

8           (b)     The sum of Twenty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (**\$20,500**) is appropriated from the  
9 Tourist Attraction Fund to the Department of Administration for the Fiscal Year 2026 Audit of the  
10 Financial Statements of the Tourist Attraction Fund. The Public Auditor *shall* administer said funds and  
11 *shall* oversee the annual audit.

12           (c)     The sum of Twenty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (**\$20,500**) is appropriated from the  
13 Healthy Futures Fund to the Department of Administration for the Fiscal Year 2026 Audit of the Financial  
14 Statements of the Healthy Futures Fund. The Public Auditor *shall* administer said funds and *shall* oversee  
15 the annual audit.

16           **Section 56. Appropriations to Retirees for Supplemental Annuity Benefits and Other**  
17 **Costs.**

18           (a)     For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Six Million Forty-Two Thousand Dollars (**\$6,042,000**)  
19 is appropriated from the General Fund to the Supplemental Annuity Benefits Special Fund, for direct  
20 payments to Government of Guam retirees who retired *prior* to October 1, 1995, or their survivors, for the  
21 continuing payment of Four Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$4,238) per year in  
22 supplemental annuity benefits, consisting of the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$1,200),

1 One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500), Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and Eight Hundred Thirty-  
2 Eight Dollars (\$838) in annual benefits authorized by various General Appropriation Acts.

3 (b) No retiree who is eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits provided for in  
4 Subsection (a) hereof *shall* receive said Benefits *if* his annual retirement annuity, *excluding* survivor  
5 benefits and excluding the Supplemental benefits authorized herein, is *greater than* Forty Thousand  
6 Dollars (\$40,000). No retiree who is eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits *shall* receive  
7 *more than* the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000) in combined retirement annuities and  
8 Supplemental Annuity Benefits in any one Fiscal Year.

9 (c) The Director of the Department of Administration (DOA) *shall* coordinate with the  
10 Director of the Government of Guam Retirement Fund (GGRF) and *shall* disburse to the retirees, or their  
11 survivors, the supplemental annuity benefits provided for in Subsection (a) of this Section. The GGRF  
12 *shall* provide the Director of DOA with the information needed to affect disbursement. To realize savings  
13 associated with the cost of preparing separate checks and mailing separate checks for the supplemental  
14 annuity for retirees, the Director of DOA may enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with  
15 the GGRF in which the Director of DOA remits the supplemental annuity payments to the GGRF for  
16 disbursement to the retiree at the same time the regular annuity check is issued, or by including the  
17 supplemental annuity in the regular annuity check issued by the GGRF.

18 (d) Funds held in the Supplemental Annuity Benefits Special Fund *shall not* be commingled  
19 with the General Fund *or* any other fund, *shall* be held in a separate bank account that *shall* continue to  
20 be administered by the Director of DOA, and *shall not* be subject to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan's* transfer  
21 authority.

22 (e) For Fiscal Year 2027, the Guam Power Authority, the A.B. Won Pat International Airport  
23 Authority, the Guam Economic Development Authority, the Guam Housing Corporation, the Government

1 of Guam Retirement Fund, the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port, the Guam Waterworks Authority,  
2 and the Guam Visitors Bureau *shall* remit to DOA an amount equal to the number of retirees eligible  
3 pursuant to Subsection (a) hereof who have retired from that entity multiplied by Four Thousand Two  
4 Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$4,238). Said remittances *shall* be paid in two (2) equal installments on or  
5 before October 10, 2026, and April 15, 2027. Said remittances *shall not* be subject to *I Maga'hågan*  
6 *Guåhan's* transfer authority.

7 (f) For Fiscal Year 2027, the Guam Power Authority, the A.B. Won Pat International Airport  
8 Authority, the Guam Economic Development Authority, the Guam Housing Corporation, the Government  
9 of Guam Retirement Fund, the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port, the Guam Waterworks Authority,  
10 and the Guam Visitors Bureau *shall* remit to the GGRF payments for medical, dental, and life insurance  
11 payments for retirees who have retired from those respective agencies. Said remittances *shall* be paid in  
12 two (2) equal installments on or before October 10, 2026, and on or before April 15, 2027, respectively.  
13 The agencies' remittances for medical, dental, and life insurance benefits mandated herein are *ex gratia*  
14 payments, and are for Fiscal Year 2027.

15 (g) For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Six Million Two Hundred Sixty-Two Thousand Eight  
16 Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars (**\$6,262,835**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Government of  
17 Guam Retirement Fund, to pay the cost of Medicare premiums, inclusive of premiums for Medicare Parts  
18 B and D, for government of Guam retirees and their survivors domiciled on Guam who are eligible to  
19 receive Social Security income benefits, and who are eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Group  
20 Health Insurance Program. No government of Guam retiree or their survivor *shall* be required to enroll  
21 in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program in order to receive the reimbursement. For those  
22 government of Guam retired employees and their survivors who do participate in the Government of Guam  
23 Group Health Insurance Program and are enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B, and elect either Class I,

1 Class II, Class III, or Class IV coverage, reimbursement *shall only* be made to those who opt for the Retiree  
2 Supplemental Plan.

3 (h) For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-One Thousand Six Hundred  
4 Forty-Three Dollars (**\$321,643**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Government of Guam  
5 Retirement Fund for *I Maga 'lâhi* and *I Sigundo Maga 'lâhi/I Sigundo Maga 'håga* pensions.

6 (i) For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred  
7 Sixty-Five Dollars (**\$228,965**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Government of Guam  
8 Retirement Fund for retirement annuities for former judges and justices of the Superior Court and Supreme  
9 Court of Guam.

10 (j) The Government of Guam Retirement Fund Board of Trustees *shall* enact and, *if necessary*,  
11 amend administrative regulations that establish procedures to ensure the proper submission, receipt, and  
12 accounting of all sums remitted pursuant to Subsections (e) and (f) hereof.

13 **Section 57. Survivor Supplemental Annuity Additions.** § 8135(d) (6), Article 1, Chapter 8,  
14 Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated is *amended* to read:

15 “(6) the prospective payment of supplemental benefits for the period of October 1, 2026,  
16 through September 30, 2027 for Fiscal Year 2027 for survivors of those employees who retired  
17 prior to October 1, 1995, to be paid in the following manner:

18 (A) Four Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$4,238) in Retiree  
19 Supplemental Annuity Benefits, known as the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars  
20 (\$1,200), One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500), Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and Eight  
21 Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$838) in annual benefits formerly contained in various General  
22 Appropriation Acts.

1 (B) No person eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits provided for in this  
2 Section *shall* receive such benefits if her/his regular annual retirement annuity, exclusive of the  
3 supplemental amounts authorized hereby, exceeds Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000). No persons  
4 eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits *shall* receive more than the sum of Forty  
5 Thousand Dollars (\$40,000) in combined retirement annuities and supplemental retirement  
6 annuities.

7 (C) Any retiree or survivor eligible to receive the supplemental annuity may waive their  
8 supplemental annuity payment authorized herein by the filing of a notarized affidavit waiving such  
9 payment with the Retirement Fund.”

10 **Section 58. Disability Supplemental Annuity Additions.** § 8129(g), Article 1, Chapter 8,

11 Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated is *amended* to read:

12 “(g) Any disability retirement annuitant who commenced receiving a disability retirement  
13 annuity *prior* to October 1, 1995, and who is entitled to disability retirement benefits under this  
14 Chapter *shall* receive, during the period commencing on October 1, 2026 and ending on September  
15 30, 2027, for Fiscal Year 2027, prospective non-cumulative supplemental annuity benefits as  
16 follows:

17 (1) Four Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$4,238) in Retiree  
18 Supplemental Annuity Benefits, known as the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars  
19 (\$1,200), One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500), Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and Eight  
20 Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$838) in annual benefits formerly contained in various General  
21 Appropriation Acts.

22 (2) (A) No persons eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits provided for  
23 in Paragraph (g) of this Section *shall* receive such benefit if their regular annual retirement annuity,

1 excluding survivor benefits, prior to the supplemental amounts herein exceeds Forty Thousand  
2 Dollars (\$40,000).

3 (B) No persons eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits *shall* receive  
4 more than the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000) in combined retirement annuities and  
5 supplemental retirement annuities.

6 (3) Any disability retirement annuitant eligible to receive the supplemental annuity  
7 may waive their supplemental annuity payment authorized herein by the filing of a notarized  
8 affidavit waiving such payment with the Retirement Fund.”

9 **Section 59. Retirees Supplemental Annuity Additions.** § 8122(d) (6), Article 1, Chapter 8,  
10 Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

11 “(6) Any retirement annuitant who commenced receiving a retirement annuity *prior* to October  
12 1, 1995, and who is entitled to retirement benefits under this Chapter, *shall* receive, during the  
13 period commencing on October 1, 2026 and ending on September 30, 2027, for Fiscal Year 2027,  
14 prospective, non-cumulative supplemental annuity benefits as follows:

15 (A) Four Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$4,238) in Retiree  
16 Supplemental Annuity Benefits, known as the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars  
17 (\$1,200), One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500), Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and Eight  
18 Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars (\$838) in annual benefits formerly contained in various General  
19 Appropriation Acts.

20 (B) No retiree who is eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits provided for  
21 in this Section *shall* receive such benefit if her/his regular annual retirement annuity, excluding the  
22 supplemental amounts authorized herein and survivor benefits, exceeds Forty Thousand Dollars  
23 (\$40,000). A retiree who is eligible for Retiree Supplemental Annuity Benefits *shall* receive no

1 more than Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000) in combined retirement annuities and supplemental  
2 retirement annuities.

3 (C) Any retiree or survivor eligible to receive the supplemental annuity may waive the  
4 supplemental annuity payment authorized herein by the filing of a notarized affidavit waiving such  
5 payment with the Retirement Fund.”

6 **Section 60. Appropriation for Cost of Living Allowance (COLA).**

7 (a) *I Maga'hågan Guåhan shall* provide by a single lump sum payment, a “Cost of Living  
8 Allowance” (COLA) of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) to each retiree of the Government  
9 of Guam Retirement Fund (GGRF) who is retired as of September 30, 2026, *or his/her survivor, no later*  
10 *than* November 1, 2026. If a retiree is a Defined Benefit and a Defined Contribution retiree, the retiree or  
11 his/her survivor *shall only* be entitled to a single COLA payment. For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of  
12 Twenty-One Million Nine Hundred Twenty-Nine Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (**\$21,929,400**) is  
13 appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Administration to pay said COLA.

14 (b) The Guam Power Authority, the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, the Guam  
15 Economic Development Authority, the Guam Housing Corporation, the Government of Guam Retirement  
16 Fund, the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port, the Guam Waterworks Authority, and the Guam  
17 Visitors Bureau *shall* pay a COLA in a single payment of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500)  
18 to every Government of Guam Retirement Fund retiree who retired from each respective aforementioned  
19 agency as of September 30, 2026, *or his survivor, no later than* November 1, 2026 for Fiscal Year 2027.

20 (c) Each agency mentioned in Subsection (b) *shall* reimburse the General Fund for any COLA  
21 paid by the Fund in Fiscal Year 2027 to retirees who have retired from that agency and their survivors *no*  
22 *later than* December 31, 2026.

1 (d) Any retiree or survivor eligible to receive the COLA may waive their payment authorized  
2 herein by filing a notarized affidavit waiving such payment with the entity responsible for the Retirement  
3 Fund.

4 (e) *If a retiree is both a Defined Benefit and a Defined Contribution Retiree, her or his survivor*  
5 *shall only* be entitled to a single COLA payment.

6 **Section 61. Appropriation to Government of Guam Retirement Fund (GGRF) for Retiree**  
7 **Medical, Dental, and Life Insurance Expenses.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Fifty-Nine Million  
8 Eight Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-Nine Dollars (**\$59,899,529**) is appropriated  
9 from the General Fund to pay the following items for current retirees:

10 (a) Retiree group medical, dental, and life insurance premiums, including premiums and  
11 coverage for Judiciary of Guam retirees, to continue existing programs currently contained in the semi-  
12 monthly payments.

13 (b) Retiree life insurance subsidy, including subsidy for Judiciary of Guam retirees, to continue  
14 existing programs currently contained in the semi-monthly payments.

15 **Section 62. Appropriations to the Department of Administration for the *Tiyan* Lease.** For  
16 Fiscal Year 2027, the following sums are hereby appropriated from the Guam Educational Facilities Fund  
17 to the Department of Administration for the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) lease of *Tiyan*  
18 facilities:

19 (a) *Tiyan* High School - Three Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Eight Hundred  
20 Eighty-Nine Dollars (**\$3,995,889**) for base rent, and One Million Four Thousand One Hundred Eleven  
21 Dollars (**\$1,004,111**) for insurance and maintenance;

1 (b) GDOE Office Building - Two Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Seven  
2 Dollars (**\$266,987**) for base rent, and Eighty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars (**\$88,586**)  
3 for insurance and maintenance;

4 (c) GDOE Warehouse I - Seventy-Four Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (**\$74,750**) for  
5 base rent, and Twenty-Eight Thousand Seventeen Dollars (**\$28,017**) for insurance and maintenance;

6 (d) *Tiyan* High School Gymnasium - Four Hundred Fifty-One Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-  
7 Six Dollars (**\$451,356**) for base rent, and One Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-  
8 Three Dollars (**\$124,863**) for insurance and maintenance;

9 (e) New GDOE Office Building - Two Million Two Hundred Forty Thousand Two Hundred  
10 Fifty-Three Dollars (**\$2,240,253**) for base rent, and Six Hundred Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Nine  
11 Dollars (**\$600,739**) for insurance and maintenance;

12 (f) New GDOE Warehouse II - One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Thirty-Two Dollars  
13 (**\$126,032**) for base rent, and Forty-Six Thousand Six Hundred One Dollars (**\$46,601**) for insurance and  
14 maintenance;

15 (g) GDOE Warehouse I Mezzanine – Forty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars  
16 (**\$49,649**) for base rent, and Eighteen Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars (**\$18,358**) for  
17 insurance and maintenance;

18 (h) Lot for New GDOE Office and Warehouse II - Forty-Four Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-  
19 Seven Dollars (**\$44,667**) for base rent; and

20 (i) *Tiyan* 3 Building and Facilities - Seven Hundred Thirty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred  
21 Sixty-Eight Dollars (**\$732,768**) for base rent, and Two Hundred Twenty Thousand Three Hundred Two  
22 Dollars (**\$220,302**) for insurance and maintenance.

1           **Section 63. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the Simon A. Sanchez**  
2 **High School Pre-Development, Construction, and Leaseback Period.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum  
3 of Sixteen Million Three Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars  
4 **(\$16,377,125)** is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Administration for the Simon  
5 A. Sanchez High School pre-development, construction, and leaseback period.

6           **Section 64. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the Guam Academy**  
7 **Charter Schools Council Administrative Support.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred  
8 Fifty-Two Thousand Six Hundred Eighty-Nine Dollars **(\$152,689)** is appropriated from the General Fund  
9 to the Department of Administration (DOA) to fund the clerical and administrative support provided by  
10 DOA, including, but not limited to, full-time staff to prioritize the Guam Academy Charter Schools  
11 Council's operational requirements, an administrative office, conference room, office equipment,  
12 furnishings, and supplies.

13           **Section 65. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the Annual**  
14 **Membership Fee for WICHE.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Eighty-Nine Thousand  
15 Five Hundred Dollars **(\$189,500)** is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
16 Administration for the annual membership fee for the Western Interstate Commission for Higher  
17 Education (WICHE).

18           **Section 66. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the Guam Autism**  
19 **Center.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars **(\$150,000)** is appropriated  
20 from the Healthy Futures Fund to the Department of Administration for the Guam Autism Center.

1           **Section 67. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the Guam Basketball**  
2 **Confederation.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$200,000**) is  
3 appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Administration for the Guam Basketball  
4 Confederation.

5           **Section 68. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the Fishermen’s Co-**  
6 **op.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$300,000**) is appropriated from  
7 the General Fund to the Department of Administration for the Fishermen’s Co-op to fund part of the  
8 reconstruction and renovation of the Guam Fishermen's Co-op facility, and its operational costs at the  
9 temporary facility.

10           **Section 69. Appropriation to the Guam Unique Merchandise and Art for Financial**  
11 **Support of the Business Program.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars  
12 (**\$500,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam Unique Merchandise and Art (GUMA) for  
13 the purpose of helping aspiring entrepreneurs and incubate graduates of their business program with  
14 mentoring and start-up financial support. The Guam Economic Development Authority *shall* assist  
15 GUMA in the administration of the funds. The funds appropriated by this Act *shall not* lapse nor be subject  
16 to any transfer authority and *shall* be available until the funds appropriated by this Act and any former and  
17 future act are fully expended. Said appropriation *shall not* preclude GUMA from receiving other aid or  
18 grants to pursue the aims of this Act.

19           **Section 70. Appropriations to the Department of Administration for Public Streetlights.**  
20 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the following are appropriated to the  
21 Department of Administration:

1 (a) One Million Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Nineteen Dollars (**\$1,030,519**) is appropriated  
2 from the Guam Highway Fund to the Department of Administration to pay the Guam Power Authority for  
3 the installation and operation of the public streetlights.

4 (b) Four Million One Hundred Ninety Thousand Dollars (**\$4,190,000**) is appropriated from the  
5 Street Light Fund to the Department of Administration to pay the Guam Power Authority for the  
6 installation and operation of the public streetlights.

7 **Section 71. Appropriations to the Department of Public Works for Village Streets and**  
8 **Roads Resurfacing and Repairs.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the  
9 following are appropriated to the Department of Public Works (DPW):

10 (a) Ten Million Dollars (**\$10,000,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to DPW for the  
11 purpose of funding village streets and roads resurfacing and repairs for Fiscal Year 2027.

12 (b) Two Million Dollars (**\$2,000,000**) is appropriated from the Guam Highway Fund to DPW  
13 for the purpose of funding village streets and roads resurfacing and repairs for Fiscal Year 2027.

14 **Section 72. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for the FMIS.**

15 (a) For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Million Five Hundred Sixteen Thousand Four  
16 Hundred Forty-Six Dollars (**\$3,516,446**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
17 Administration for the fifth-year term of the contract for the Financial Management Information System  
18 (FMIS).

19 (b) For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Five Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars (**\$560,000**) is  
20 appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Administration for the FMIS software licensing  
21 requirements.

22 **Section 73. Appropriation to the Guam Solid Waste Authority.** Notwithstanding any other  
23 provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Twenty Million Nine Hundred Seventy-Four Thousand

1 Two Hundred Fourteen Dollars (**\$20,974,214**) is appropriated from the Solid Waste Operations Fund to  
2 the Guam Solid Waste Authority for its operations.

3 **Section 74. Appropriations to the Unified Judiciary of Guam.** Notwithstanding any other  
4 provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of One Million Seven Hundred Fifty-Seven Thousand  
5 Four Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars (**\$1,757,476**) is appropriated from the General Fund and Seventeen  
6 Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-One Dollars (**\$17,821**) is appropriated from the Safe Streets Fund to the  
7 Unified Judiciary of Guam for the following programs:

8 (a) **Adult and Juvenile Drug Courts.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General  
9 Fund is for the operations of the Adult and Juvenile Drug Courts, the Mental Health Court, and other  
10 therapeutic court program(s) approved by the Judicial Council in Fiscal Year 2027.

11 (b) **Family Visitation Center.** Such appropriation in this Section from the Safe Streets Fund  
12 is for the operation of the Family Visitation Center, pursuant to § 8404.1, Chapter 8, Title 19 of the Guam  
13 Code Annotated, in Fiscal Year 2027.

14 (c) **Electronic Monitoring Program.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General  
15 Fund is for the operations of the Electronic Monitoring Program for Guam’s pretrial and criminal offender  
16 populations in Fiscal Year 2027.

17 **Section 75. Appropriation to the Unified Judiciary of Guam for the Guam Criminal Law  
18 and Procedure Review Commission.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-Eight  
19 Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Five Dollars (**\$378,845**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
20 Unified Judiciary of Guam to carry out the purposes of the Guam Criminal Law and Procedure Review  
21 Commission Act pursuant to Public Law 36-119.

22 **Section 76. Appropriations to the Public Defender Service Corporation.** Notwithstanding  
23 any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Four Million Four Hundred Thirty Thousand

1 Four Hundred Ninety-Two Dollars (**\$4,430,492**) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Public  
2 Defender Service Corporation for the following programs:

3 (a) **Alternate Public Defender.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is  
4 for the operations, including personnel services, of the Alternate Public Defender for Fiscal Year 2027.

5 (b) **Civil Law Center.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is for the  
6 operations, including personnel services, of the Civil Law Center for Fiscal Year 2027. Such appropriation  
7 *shall* be contingent upon the lifting of any moratorium currently in effect, with future limitations based  
8 upon the capacity and the priorities of the Civil Law Center to provide legal services to indigent senior  
9 citizens, victims of domestic violence, and veterans.

10 (c) **Private Attorney Panel.** Such appropriation in this Section from the General Fund is for  
11 the operations, including personnel services, of the Private Attorney Panel for Fiscal Year 2027.

12 **Section 77. Appropriation to the Office of the Attorney General for Cost-Sharing**  
13 **Initiative Related to the Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) Integration Report.** For Fiscal  
14 Year 2027, the sum of Eighty-Seven Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Dollars (**\$87,690**) is appropriated  
15 from the General Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for its share of the total annual cost of message  
16 switch maintenance and National Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (NLETS) membership  
17 pursuant to the Multi-Agency Agreement to Facilitate a Cost Sharing Initiative of May 2013 entered into  
18 by the Chief of Police, the Director of the Department of Corrections, the Attorney General of Guam, and  
19 the Administrator of the Courts.

20 **Section 78. Appropriations to the Mayors' Council of Guam (MCOG).** Notwithstanding  
21 any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of Four Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand One  
22 Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars (**\$422,126**) is appropriated from the General Fund, the sum of Three  
23 Hundred Seven Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (**\$307,375**) is appropriated from the Guam

1 Educational Facilities Fund, and the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$300,000**) is appropriated  
2 from the Host Community Fund to the Mayors' Council of Guam for the following programs:

3 (a) **Streets Maintenance and Beautification.** Such appropriation in this Section from the  
4 General Fund is for the maintenance and beautification of non-routed public roads, and for the operations  
5 of Mayors' offices, but *not* for personnel costs. Said funds *shall not* be subject to any transfer authority  
6 of *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and *shall* be divided among the Village Mayors as follows:

7 (1) each Mayor *shall* receive up to the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000);  
8 and

9 (2) the remaining balance of the fund *shall* be distributed to each Mayor *pro rata* based  
10 on the total road mileage in his village as a percentage of Guam's total road mileage in the  
11 most current report of the Guam Roads Pavement Inventory of the Department of Public  
12 Works.

13 (b) **Island-wide Village Beautification Projects.** Such appropriation in this Section from the  
14 General Fund is for Island-wide Village Beautification Projects to include:

15 (1) the maintenance and repair of the village's recreational facilities under the  
16 jurisdiction of the Mayor;

17 (2) the maintenance and repair of each village's main roads; and

18 (3) the planting and maintenance of each village's official flower and other flowering  
19 plants, shrubs, and trees adjacent to the village's main roads, public restrooms, and  
20 recreational facilities. A Mayor may contract with a private entity to provide the  
21 services authorized by this Section subject to the Guam Procurement Law, Chapter  
22 5, Title 5 of the Guam Code Annotated.

1           (c)     **Public Safety and Social Education Programs.** Such appropriation in this Section from  
2 the Guam Educational Facilities Fund is to the MCOG for Fiscal Year 2027, to be expended in accordance  
3 with plans approved by the MCOG *or* the respective village municipal planning council and filed with the  
4 Director of Administration, to fund public safety and social education programs that enforce alcohol  
5 regulations, reduce underage drinking, support traffic safety, reduce drug-related violence and abuse, to  
6 support government of Guam substance abuse prevention programs, and to support organized sports  
7 programs in the community.

8           (d)     **Appropriation to the Mayors' Council of Guam for Host Community Premiums.**  
9 Such appropriation in this Section from the Host Community Fund is to the Municipal Planning Council  
10 Funds of the villages of *Ordot* and *Inarajan* pursuant to § 51405, Article 4, Chapter 51, Title 10 of the  
11 Guam Code Annotated, as added by Public Law 30-165.

12           **Section 79. Appropriation for the Guam Youth Congress.** For Fiscal Year 2027, the sum of  
13 Fifteen Thousand Dollars (**\$15,000**) is appropriated from the General Fund to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* for  
14 the Guam Youth Congress.

15           **Section 80. Competitive Wage Act Study.** *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* is hereby authorized to  
16 expend such funds necessary to procure the services of a consulting expert on classification and  
17 compensation in public employment to conduct a study of all government of Guam positions, to include  
18 positions covered under the Nurse and Educator Pay Plans. The scope of work provisions of the contract  
19 *shall* include the conducting of compensation training for the human resources staff throughout the  
20 government of Guam.

21           **Section 81. Pacific Islands Development Bank.** *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* is hereby authorized  
22 to deposit such funds necessary into the Pacific Islands Development Bank as authorized under Public  
23 Law 22-148.

1           **Section 82. Real Property Triennial Re-valuation.** *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* is hereby  
2 authorized to expend such funds necessary to procure the services for the real property tax triennial re-  
3 valuation.

4           **Section 83. Allocation of Funds for the Bureau of Labor Statistics.** The sum of Four  
5 Hundred Ninety Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars (**\$490,876**) *shall* be allocated from Chapter  
6 II, Section 1(VI)(F) of this Act for the sole purpose of funding the Bureau of Labor Statistics Program for  
7 Fiscal Year 2027. Notwithstanding any other provision of law and this Act, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and  
8 the Bureau of Budget and Management Research *shall not* be authorized to transfer the allocation to any  
9 other division within the Department of Labor, or any other department or agency of the government of  
10 Guam.

11           **Section 84. GPD Headquarters in Tiyan.** *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* is hereby authorized to  
12 expend such funds necessary for the costs associated with the financing to include lease-leaseback  
13 agreement, design, construction, maintenance and related expenses of the new Guam Police Department's  
14 headquarters to be located in *Tiyan*.

15           **Section 85. Sports Field in Tiyan.** *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* is hereby authorized to expend such  
16 funds necessary for the costs associated with the financing to include lease-leaseback agreement, design,  
17 construction, maintenance and related expenses of the new Sports Field to be located in *Tiyan*.

1 **CHAPTER IV**

2 **MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

3 **Section 1. Retirement Option for Government of Guam Employees.** A member of the  
4 Government of Guam Retirement Fund (GGRF) who is eligible for retirement may retire upon the  
5 complete remittance of his/her outstanding individual contributions to the Fund, including the employee  
6 and employer retirement contributions. Any and all fees, interest at actuarial rates, and penalties required  
7 by the GGRF *shall* be paid by the Government of Guam.

8 This Section *shall not* restrict the continuing remittance of existing GGRF contributions as  
9 required by law *or* by the GGRF. By the fifteenth (15<sup>th</sup>) day of each month, the Director of the GGRF  
10 *shall* provide a detailed report to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* regarding said remittances and the  
11 number of retirements pursuant to this Section during the previous month. Nothing herein *shall* be  
12 construed to abrogate any provision of § 8137(h) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code  
13 Annotated.

14 **Section 2. Government of Guam Health Insurance Program Enrollment for**  
15 **Employment Pursuant to § 8121(a), Article 1, Chapter 8 of Title 4 GCA.** Any employee hired  
16 pursuant to § 8121(a), Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated may only be eligible to  
17 enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program as an active employee.

18 **Section 3. Temporary Employment of Retired Corrections Officers.** The Department of  
19 Corrections (DOC) may hire retired Guam corrections officers *if* a critical need arises because of military  
20 activation of corrections officers, *or* absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified  
21 by a medical doctor. Retired DOC corrections officers hired under this Section may receive their  
22 retirement annuity while employed on this temporary basis. The DOC may exercise this hiring authority  
23 provided its authorized budget for personnel is *not* exceeded. The retiree hired *shall* fill such a vacant

1 position and *shall* be terminated when the incumbent returns from military service or absence. Retired  
2 corrections officers may be hired *only* in the ranks of Corrections Officer Supervisor I and below, *only* at  
3 Step 1, and *shall not* receive annual leave. Officers hired under this Section *shall* meet the requirements  
4 for the position in question, *except* for written examinations. The Director of DOC *shall* certify that every  
5 retiree hired is fit for duty. Notwithstanding § 8121(a), Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code  
6 Annotated, retirees hired temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive retirement benefits.  
7 Any employee hired under this Section *shall only* be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health  
8 Insurance Program as an active employee. The DOC Director *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan*  
9 *Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired  
10 officers hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said  
11 hiring, and the nature of the critical need that was filled.

12       **Section 4. Temporary Employment of Retired Guam Police Officers.** The Guam Police  
13 Department (GPD) may hire retired Guam police officers *if* a critical need arises because of military  
14 activation of GPD police officers, *or* absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified  
15 by a medical doctor. The GPD may exercise this hiring authority *provided* its authorized budget for  
16 personnel is *not* exceeded. The retiree hired *shall* fill such a vacant position and *shall* be terminated when  
17 the incumbent returns from military service or absence. Retired officers may be hired *only* at the ranks of  
18 Sergeant I and below, *only* at Step 1, and *shall not* receive annual leave. Officers hired under this Section  
19 *shall* first meet the requirements for the position in question, *except* for written examinations. The Chief  
20 of Police *shall* certify that every retiree hired is fit for duty. Notwithstanding § 8121(a), Article 1, Chapter  
21 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated, retirees hired temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue  
22 to receive retirement benefits. The GPD may pay for Civilian Volunteer Police Reserve stipends to a  
23 Police Reserve Officer to provide temporary services of a regular police officer. Any employee hired

1 under this Section *shall only* be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program  
2 as an active employee. The Chief of Police *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1,  
3 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired officers hired  
4 pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the  
5 nature of the critical need that was filled.

6 **Section 5. Temporary Employment of Retired Guam Firefighters.** The Guam Fire  
7 Department (GFD) may hire retired GFD firefighters *if* a critical need arises because of military activation  
8 of GFD firefighters, *or* absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified by a medical  
9 doctor. The GFD may exercise this hiring authority *provided* its authorized budget for personnel is *not*  
10 exceeded. The retiree hired *shall* fill such a vacant position and *shall* be terminated when the incumbent  
11 returns from military service or absence. Retired firefighters may be hired *only* at the ranks of Fire Service  
12 Specialist and below, *only* at Step 1, and *shall not* receive annual leave. Retired firefighters hired under  
13 this Section *shall* first meet the requirements for the position in question, *except* for written examinations.  
14 The Fire Chief of GFD *shall* certify that every retiree hired is fit for duty. Notwithstanding § 8121(a),  
15 Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated, retirees hired temporarily pursuant to this  
16 Section may continue to receive retirement benefits. Any employee hired under this Section *shall only* be  
17 eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program as an active employee. The Fire  
18 Chief of GFD *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days  
19 after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired firefighters hired pursuant to this Section, the  
20 positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the nature of the critical need that  
21 was filled.

1           **Section 6.     Temporary Employment of Retired Customs and Quarantine Officers.** The  
2 Customs and Quarantine Agency (CQA) may hire retired customs and quarantine officers *if* a critical need  
3 arises as a result of military activation of customs officers, *or* absence due to a long-term disability status  
4 which has been certified by a medical doctor, *or* when vacancies *cannot* be filled within six (6) months  
5 because of the lack of qualified applicants. The CQA may exercise this hiring authority *provided* its  
6 authorized budget for personnel is *not* exceeded. The retired officer *shall* fill such a vacant position and  
7 *shall* be terminated when the incumbent returns from military service, *or* when a fully-qualified applicant  
8 is available. The retiree hired *shall* fill such a vacant position and *shall* be terminated when the incumbent  
9 returns from military service or absence. Retired officers may be hired *only* in the ranks of Customs  
10 Officer III and below, *only* at Step 1, and *shall not* receive annual leave. Retirees hired pursuant to this  
11 Section *shall* meet the requirements for the position in question, *except* for written examinations. The  
12 Director of CQA *shall* certify that every retiree hired is fit for duty. The requirements of Chapter 51, Title  
13 17 of the Guam Code Annotated are waived for employment pursuant hereto, *except* for § 51104(b)(4).  
14 Notwithstanding § 8121(a), Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated, retirees hired  
15 temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive their retirement benefits. Any employee  
16 hired under this Section *shall only* be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance  
17 Program as an active employee. The Director of CQA *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on  
18 July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired officers  
19 hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and  
20 the nature of the critical need that was filled.

21           **Section 7.     Temporary Employment of Retired Department of Revenue and Taxation**  
22 **Employees.** The Department of Revenue and Taxation (DRT) may hire retired DRT employees *when* a  
23 critical need arises. Examples of a critical need may include temporary staff shortages due to challenges

1 with recruitment due to a limited pool of qualified individuals, military activation of DRT employees, or  
2 absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified by a medical doctor, and instances  
3 where additional programs or mandates are required to be executed. The DRT may exercise this hiring  
4 authority in the following divisions: Taxpayer Services Division, Tax Enforcement Division, Real  
5 Property Tax Division, Director's Office (Executive Direction), Regulatory Division, and Motor Vehicle  
6 Division, provided its authorized budget for personnel is *not* exceeded. The retiree hired *shall* fill such a  
7 vacant position and *shall* be terminated when the incumbent returns from military service or absence,  
8 when there is successful recruitment for the position, or within a reasonable time after the additional  
9 program or mandate for which the employee was hired is completed. Said retirees *shall* be hired at a  
10 minimum of Step 1 for the position in question, and *shall not* receive annual leave. Notwithstanding §  
11 8121(a) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 GCA, retirees hired temporarily pursuant to this Section may  
12 continue to receive retirement benefits. Any employee hired under this Section *shall only* be eligible to  
13 enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program as an active employee. The DRT Director  
14 *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of  
15 the fiscal year, of the number of retired employees hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the  
16 length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the nature of the critical need that was filled.

17 **Section 8. Temporary Employment of Retired Government of Guam Social Workers.**

18 The Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) may hire retired government of Guam  
19 social workers *if* a critical need arises. DPHSS may exercise this hiring authority for social workers in the  
20 Child Protective Service, provided its authorized budget for personnel is *not* exceeded. Said retirees *shall*  
21 be hired at a minimum of Step 1 for the position in question, and *shall not* receive annual leave.  
22 Notwithstanding § 8121(a), Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated, retirees hired  
23 temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive retirement benefits. Any employee hired

1 under this Section *shall only* be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program  
2 as an active employee. The Director of DPHSS *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1,  
3 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired employees hired  
4 pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the  
5 nature of the critical need that was filled.

6 **Section 9. Temporary Employment of Retired GDOE Teachers.** The Guam Department  
7 of Education (GDOE) may hire retired GDOE teachers who are not eligible for Medicare Parts A and B,  
8 and who *shall* remain covered under the Government of Guam Group Health Insurance Program as a  
9 retired person, *if* a critical need arises as a result of military activation of GDOE teachers or absence due  
10 to a long-term disability status which has been certified by a medical doctor. The GDOE may exercise  
11 this hiring authority provided its authorized budget for personnel is not exceeded. The retiree hired *shall*  
12 fill such a vacant position and *shall* be terminated when the incumbent returns from military service or  
13 absence. Retirees *shall* be hired at a minimum of Step 1 for the position in question and *shall not* receive  
14 annual leave. Notwithstanding § 8121(a) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 Guam Code Annotated, retirees  
15 hired temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive retirement benefits. The Superintendent  
16 of GDOE *shall* report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end  
17 of the fiscal year, the number of retired employees hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the  
18 length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the nature of the critical need that was filled.

19 **Section 10. Temporary Employment of Retired Attorneys.** The Attorney General of Guam,  
20 the Unified Judiciary of Guam, the Public Defender Service Corporation, and the Alternate Public  
21 Defender may hire retired government of Guam attorneys on a full or part-time basis when a critical need  
22 arises. These entities may exercise this hiring authority for attorneys, provided that the authorized budget  
23 for personnel for these entities are *not* exceeded. Said attorneys *shall* be hired at a maximum salary of up

1 to Step 5 of the Attorney 4 pay scale, and *shall not* receive annual leave. Notwithstanding § 8121(a),  
2 Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 of the Guam Code Annotated, retirees hired temporarily pursuant hereto may  
3 continue to receive retirement benefits. Any attorney hired under this Section *shall only* be eligible to  
4 enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program as an active employee. Such employment  
5 *shall not* close vacancies to qualified applicants. Each entity *shall* report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on  
6 July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, the number of retired attorneys  
7 hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and  
8 the nature of the critical need that was filled.

9 **Section 11. Temporary Employment of Retired Office of the Attorney General (OAG)**

10 **Staff.** The Attorney General of Guam may hire retired government of Guam non-attorneys on a full or  
11 part-time basis when a critical need arises. The OAG may exercise this hiring authority for non-attorneys  
12 provided that the authorized budget for personnel for the entity is not exceeded. Said retirees *shall not*  
13 receive annual leave. Notwithstanding § 58121(a) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 Guam Code Annotated,  
14 retirees hired temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive retirement benefits. Any staff  
15 hired under this Section *shall only* be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance  
16 Program as an active employee. Such employment *shall not* close vacancies to qualified applicants. The  
17 Office of the Attorney General of Guam *shall* report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and again  
18 thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired staff hired pursuant to this Section,  
19 the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the nature of the critical need  
20 that was filled.

1           **Section 12. Temporary Employment of Retired Department of Public Works Employees.**

2           (a)     The Department of Public Works (DPW) may hire retired Guam DPW employees when a  
3 critical need arises because of *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*'s declaration of a state of public health emergency  
4 on Guam.

5           (1)     Identified Areas. The DPW may exercise this hiring authority in the areas of  
6 engineering and construction, building permits and inspection, construction quality control, design  
7 and analysis, project coordination and quality control, highway planning, highway programming,  
8 coordination and control, highway maintenance and construction, and building construction and  
9 facilities maintenance.

10          (2)     Special Rules for Hiring of Retired Employees. Any retiree hired pursuant to this  
11 Act *shall* fill a vacant position and *shall* be terminated upon the lifting of the declaration of a state  
12 of public health emergency. Such retirees *shall* be hired at Step 1 for the position in question and  
13 *shall not* receive annual leave. Notwithstanding § 8121(a) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 Guam  
14 Code Annotated, retirees hired pursuant to this Section may continue to receive retirement benefits.

15          (b)     The DPW Director *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and  
16 again thirty (30) days after the end of the current fiscal year, of the number of retired employees hired  
17 pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the  
18 nature of the critical need that was filled.

19           **Section 13. Temporary Employment of Retired Government of Guam Employees by the**  
20 **Mayors' Council of Guam.** The Mayors' Council of Guam (MCOG) may hire retired government of  
21 Guam employees when a critical need arises. Examples of a critical need may include staff shortages due  
22 to recruitment challenges, absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified by a  
23 medical doctor, and military activation of MCOG employees. The MCOG may exercise this hiring

1 authority provided its authorized budget for personnel is not exceeded. The retiree hired *shall* fill such a  
2 vacant position and *shall* be terminated when the incumbent returns from military service or absence. Said  
3 retirees *shall* be hired at a minimum of Step 1 for the position in question and *shall not* receive annual  
4 leave. Notwithstanding § 8121(a) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4 Guam Code Annotated, retirees hired  
5 temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive retirement benefits. Any employee hired  
6 under this Section *shall only* be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program  
7 as an active employee. The MCOG Executive Director *shall* submit a report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on  
8 July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal year, of the number of retired employees  
9 hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled, the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and  
10 the nature of the critical need that was filled.

11 **Section 14. Temporary Employment or Detail, Absence Due to Military Service or Long-**  
12 **Term Disability.** Notwithstanding the provisions of § 4117 of Article 1, Chapter 4, Title 4 Guam Code  
13 Annotated, in the event a classified employee will be absent from work in excess of thirty (30) consecutive  
14 work days due to active military service or a long-term disability certified in writing by a medical doctor,  
15 the appointing authority for an agency may temporarily assign or detail another employee to assume the  
16 responsibilities of the absent employee. Such detail or assignment may be in effect for up to the same  
17 number of days of the consecutive absence due to active military service or medical disability. The  
18 appointing authority may also fill such vacancies by limited term appointment; any such appointment may  
19 be in effect for up to the same number of days of the consecutive absence due to active military service or  
20 medical disability.

21 **Section 15. Temporary Employment of Retired Certified Water and Wastewater**  
22 **Operators (operators) and Engineers.** The Guam Waterworks Authority (GWA) may hire retired  
23 Certified Water and Wastewater Operators (operators) and Engineers if a critical need arises because of

1 military activation, or absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified by a medical  
2 doctor, or when vacancies cannot be filled within six (6) months because of the lack of qualified applicants.  
3 The GWA may exercise this hiring authority provided its authorized budget for personnel is not exceeded.  
4 The retired operators and engineers *shall* fill such a vacant position and *shall* be terminated when the  
5 incumbent returns from military service, or when a fully qualified applicant is available. Retired Operators  
6 may be rehired only for positions requiring an Operator Level III or Operator Level IV certification.  
7 Retired Operators and Engineers may be hired exclusively at Step I and will not be eligible for annual  
8 leave. Retired operators and engineers hired pursuant to this Section *shall* meet the requirements for the  
9 position in question. Notwithstanding § 8121(a) of Article 1, Chapter 8, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated,  
10 retirees hired temporarily pursuant to this Section may continue to receive their retirement benefits. Any  
11 employee hired under this Section *shall* only be eligible to enroll in the Government of Guam Health  
12 Insurance Program as an active employee. The General Manager of GWA *shall* submit a report to the  
13 Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 1, 2027, and again thirty (30) days after the end of the fiscal  
14 year, of the number of retired operators and engineers hired pursuant to this Section, the positions filled,  
15 the length of employment, the cost of said hiring, and the nature of the critical need that was filled.

16 **Section 16. Locum Tenens Exemption During the Absence of the Chief Medical Examiner.**

17 The Office of Post-Mortem Examinations is exempt from the Government of Guam Procurement Law in  
18 contracting for the professional services of a qualified medical examiner to be provided when the Chief  
19 Medical Examiner is absent from work.

20 **Section 17. Advance Payments for Medical Services.** In order to expedite acceptance of

21 Medically Indigent Program (MIP) clients by facilities in California, Hawaii, or Manila for medical  
22 treatment approved by the MIP, the Director of Public Health and Social Services may advance payments  
23 for said medical treatment, and may establish escrow accounts for immediate and advance payment of

1 medical treatment at those Joint Commission Accredited hospitals determined by the Director to be best  
2 able to serve Medically Indigent Program clients.

3 **Section 18. Transfer of Employees.**

4 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, and in recognition of personnel shortages in  
5 certain areas, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* is authorized to transfer employees during Fiscal Year 2027 within  
6 *or between any line department or agency of the government of Guam, except that:*

7 (1) This Section *shall not* apply to any employee of the Legislative *or* Judicial  
8 Branches, or any employee within the Mayors' Council of Guam and Village Mayors' Offices;

9 (2) The transfer of an employee *shall not* result in a loss of pay *or* salary;

10 (3) *No* employee *shall* be transferred if the employee has filed a viable grievance with  
11 the Civil Service Commission for discrimination based on political affiliation, gender, *or* sexual  
12 harassment, *unless* the employee consents to such transfer;

13 (4) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or regulation, no employee of an  
14 autonomous agency may be transferred to a line department *or* agency;

15 (5) *I Maga'hågan Guåhan shall* transfer the funding authorized for that employee's  
16 position from the transferor agency to the transferee agency, including the Guam Memorial Hospital  
17 Authority, the Department of Public Health and Social Services, and the Guam Behavioral Health  
18 and Wellness Center, *unless* the transfer is from a line agency to an autonomous agency;

19 (6) This Section *shall not* be used to transfer employees acting in good faith who report  
20 *or* expose bad business practices, illegal activities, *or* inappropriate conduct by public officials; and

21 (7) No employee who has filed a whistleblower complaint as provided for in statute  
22 *shall* be transferred, *unless* the employee consents to such transfer.

1           (b)     *I Maga'hågan Guåhan shall* submit a report to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* of  
2 the transfer of each employee pursuant to this authorization with the name and position of the employee  
3 being transferred, the line department or agency the employee is being transferred from, the line  
4 department or agency the employee is being transferred to, the time duration of the transfer, and whether  
5 the transfer is permanent, by the twentieth (20th) day after each month of the fiscal year.

6           **Section 19. Competitive Wage Act Employee Appeals Pay.** Pursuant to the authority under  
7 § 6218.1 of Article 2, Chapter 6, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, relative to allowing retroactive pay  
8 adjustments, all executive branch departments and agencies are hereby authorized to utilize their entity's  
9 operational budgets to make retroactive pay adjustments for employees whose appeals were adjudicated  
10 and affirmed by the Competitive Wage Act appeals process conducted by the Department of  
11 Administration; provided, that it does not negatively impact current operational needs. This authorization  
12 *shall* be applied retroactively to January 26, 2014 for affected employees.

13           **Section 20. Board and Commission Stipends.** Any compensation or stipend owed to a board  
14 or commission member for attending a regular or special meeting in Fiscal Year 2027 *shall* be paid from  
15 appropriations in this Act by the department or agency responsible for the administrative support and  
16 operations of such board or commission. Board and commission members may elect to *not* receive said  
17 compensation. *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* may, by Executive Order, waive the payment of meeting stipends  
18 owed to any board or commission member.

19           Notwithstanding any other provision of law, each member of the Guam Parole Board *shall* be  
20 compensated Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250) for every meeting the member attends. No member *shall*  
21 be compensated more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) per month, irrespective of the number of  
22 meetings that a member attends in any given month.

1           **Section 21. Contracts.** Positions in the classified and unclassified service of the government  
2 of Guam *shall not* be filled pursuant to a contractual arrangement, *except* as provided in this Section, for  
3 Fiscal Year 2027:

4           (a) Subject to Chapter 5, Title 5 of the Guam Code Annotated, government of Guam  
5 departments and agencies may contract with independent contractors; *provided*, that no agency may  
6 contract for services customarily provided by employees in the classified service, *except* as provided by  
7 law.

8           (b) Government of Guam departments and agencies that *do not* customarily obtain professional  
9 services, such as licensed health professionals, licensed architects, licensed engineers, legal services,  
10 actuarial services, and auditing services through an employee in the classified service in that department  
11 or agency may contract to obtain such services.

12           (c) The Office of the Attorney General, the Public Defender Service Corporation, and the  
13 Alternate Public Defender are authorized to contract with attorneys as independent contractors to provide  
14 services in areas in which it is impracticable or impossible for the office to proceed. Such contracts *shall*  
15 be in accordance with the procurement laws of Guam. No such independent contractor hired pursuant to  
16 this Section may receive from the government of Guam any remuneration in any form other than in  
17 payment for the position into which such person is hired. The Office of the Attorney General, the  
18 Executive Director of the Public Defender Service Corporation, and the Executive Director of the  
19 Alternate Public Defender *shall* file a copy of every such contract with the Chief Procurement Officer and  
20 the Director of Administration together with a written certification stating why it is impracticable to handle  
21 the matter within the office as otherwise constituted.

22           (d) This Section *shall not* apply to the Guam Department of Education, the University of  
23 Guam, the Guam Community College, and the Unified Judiciary of Guam when filling positions of

1 justices and judges *pro tem*, law clerks, and legal interns; the Department of Revenue and Taxation when  
2 filling the position of legal counsel; *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*; the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority, the  
3 Department of Public Health and Social Services, and the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center  
4 when filling positions of licensed health professionals.

5 (e) Any instrumentality of the government of Guam that fills any classified or unclassified  
6 positions by contractual arrangement in accordance with this Section *shall* file a copy of every such  
7 contract with the Chief Procurement Officer and the Director of Administration together with a written  
8 certification stating why it is impracticable to handle the matter within the instrumentality as otherwise  
9 constituted.

10 **Section 22. Program Reporting Requirements for Employment, Employment Placement,**  
11 **and Job Training Programs at the University of Guam, the Guam Community College, and the**  
12 **Guam Department of Labor.**

13 (a) The President of the University of Guam, the President of the Guam Community College,  
14 and the Director of the Guam Department of Labor *shall* transmit a report to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and  
15 the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan no later* than June 30 of each year of the actual number of programs  
16 completed and/or certificates issued for each employment, employment placement, and job training  
17 program; and employment data for said program completed for the two (2) years following completion of  
18 their respective programs, to include salary levels, job location, or whether the job is in the same field as  
19 the program.

20 (b) The report mandated in Subsection (a) of this Section *shall* also be posted on each agency's  
21 respective website.

1           **Section 23. Authorization for Legal Services for the Department of Public Works, the**  
2 **Guam Building Code Council, the Contractors License Board, and the Board of Registration for**  
3 **PEALS.** The Department of Public Works (DPW), the Guam Building Code Council (GBCC), the Guam  
4 Contractors License Board (GCLB), and the Guam Board of Registration for Professional Engineers,  
5 Architects and Land Surveyors (PEALS) may enter into a Memorandum of Understanding to jointly fund  
6 an Assistant Attorney General to specifically provide legal services to DPW, GBCC, GCLB, and PEALS  
7 Board *only*.

8           **Section 24. Consolidated Revenue and Expenditure Reporting Requirement.**  
9 Notwithstanding §§ 4105(f) and 4109(c)(3) of Chapter 4, Title 5 of the Guam Code Annotated, and §  
10 13109(a)(1), Chapter 13, Title 2 of the Guam Code Annotated, relative to General Fund revenue reporting,  
11 the Director of the Bureau of Budget and Management Research, in collaboration with the Director of  
12 Revenue and Taxation, and the Director of Administration, *shall* prepare a monthly Consolidated Revenue  
13 and Expenditure Report (CRER) which *shall* report and recognize revenues on a cash basis with the  
14 exception of Section 30 revenues, which *shall* be reported as collected in full in October of each year; and  
15 *shall* for each month, identify and note any and all non-recurring revenues by General Fund revenue  
16 category, by month collected, and by amount; and *shall* compare the budgeted and actual departmental  
17 program appropriations with expenditures and encumbrances. The Director of the Bureau of Budget and  
18 Management Research, the Director of Administration, and the Director of Revenue and Taxation *shall*  
19 certify said reports, which *shall* be transmitted to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan*  
20 *Guåhan no later than* twenty (20) days after the end of each month. The reports *shall* include, at a  
21 minimum, the following components relative to General Fund revenues:

- 22           (a) comparison of revenues for the preceding month contrasted with the same month for the  
23 prior fiscal year;

1 (b) comparison of year-to-date revenues for the preceding month contrasted with the same  
2 period for the prior fiscal year;

3 (c) comparison of adopted revenues allocated for the preceding month contrasted with the  
4 actual revenues collected for the month;

5 (d) comparison of quarterly adopted revenues allocated for the preceding quarter contrasted  
6 with actual quarterly revenues collected;

7 (e) comparison of year-to-date adopted revenues contrasted with actual year-to-date revenues  
8 collected; and

9 (f) comparison of adopted revenues for the fiscal year contrasted with actual year-to-date  
10 revenues collected plus the remaining projected revenues to be collected for the remainder of the fiscal  
11 year.

12 **Section 25. Payment of Civil Service Commission Settlements or Judgements and**  
13 **Decisions by the Judiciary of Guam.** Any obligations of back pay owed to compensate employees by a  
14 judgment or by a settlement agreement action of the Civil Service Commission or judgement and decision  
15 of the Judiciary of Guam is hereby appropriated from the Fiscal Year 2027 budget of the respective agency  
16 to which such action is directed.

17 **Section 26. Prevention of Disproportionate Reductions in Allotments.** The Department of  
18 Administration and the Bureau of Budget and Management Research *shall not* disproportionately reduce  
19 the budget allotments to the University of Guam and the Guam Community College from other units of  
20 the government of Guam.

21 **Section 27. Restrictions on Hiring of Unclassified Employees.** Unless otherwise authorized  
22 by this Chapter, no government funds of any kind or description may be expended for the employment or

1 hiring of unclassified employees in the Executive Branch of the government of Guam, *except* for the  
2 following:

3 (a) certified persons at the Guam Department of Education as identified in § 715(1), Chapter  
4 7, Title 1 GCA;

5 (b) any academic teaching positions at the University of Guam and the Guam Community  
6 College;

7 (c) nurses, doctors, licensed health professionals, contact tracers and investigators, and  
8 ancillary health employees necessary for clinical purposes at the Department of Public Health and Social  
9 Services, the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center, the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner,  
10 the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority, the Guam Police Department, and the Department of Integrated  
11 Services for Individuals with Disabilities;

12 (d) Department of Labor Survey Workers;

13 (e) Systems and Programming Administrator, Junior Systems Programmer, Senior  
14 Programmer Analyst, Junior Application Analyst, Junior Programmer Analyst, and Junior Application  
15 Programmer; and positions dealing with reporting, tax audits, tax investigations, tax collections, and  
16 processing of taxes at the Department of Revenue and Taxation;

17 (f) federally-funded positions (matching and up to 100%);

18 (g) persons filling temporary vacancies created by the call to active military duty of employees  
19 who are members of the reserve components of the Department of Defense and the Department of  
20 Transportation, including, but not limited to, the United States Army, United States Navy, United States  
21 Marine Corps, United States Air Force, the Guam Army National Guard, the Guam Air National Guard,  
22 and the United States Coast Guard, or created by absence due to a long-term disability status which has

1 been certified by a medical doctor. Departments may exercise this hiring authority provided its authorized  
2 budget for personnel is not exceeded;

3 (h) positions within the Office of *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*, the Office of *I Sigundo Maga'låhen*  
4 *Guåhan* and the Guam State Clearinghouse, and department or agency heads, and private secretaries;

5 (i) positions within the Mayors' Council of Guam;

6 (j) positions within the Guam Election Commission;

7 (k) limited-term, part-time substitute teachers of the Guam Department of Education;

8 (l) professional engineers required to fill Chief Engineer positions;

9 (m) positions within the Business Office of the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority (GMHA)  
10 which *shall* consist of certified coders and billers;

11 (n) Victim Advocates within the Office of the Attorney General;

12 (o) the Executive Director and staff positions of *I Kumision i Fino' CHamoru yan i*  
13 *Fina'na'guen i Historia yan Lina'la' i Taotao Tano'* (the Commission on *CHamoru* Language and the  
14 Teaching of the History and Culture of the Indigenous People of Guam);

15 (p) Child Protective Services social workers at the Department of Public Health and Social  
16 Services;

17 (q) labor law enforcement specialists;

18 (r) senior law clerks [§9A106.1(a)(2) Title 7 Guam Code Annotated] with pay grade M, step  
19 1 of the Competitive Wage Act of 2014, General Pay Plan, and law clerks [§9A106.1(a)(1) Title 7 Guam  
20 Code Annotated] with pay grade K, step 1 of the Competitive Wage Act of 2014, General Pay Plan;

21 (s) the chief financial officer for the Department of Administration;

22 (t) customer service representatives at the Guam Department of Labor; and

1 (u) all persons employed pursuant to this Section, effective October 1, 2026, *shall* meet the  
2 minimum Knowledge, Abilities, and Skills (KAS) associated with such position.

3 **Section 28. GDOE Consolidated Expenditure Report Requirement.** Within thirty (30) days  
4 following each fiscal quarter, the Superintendent of the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) *shall*  
5 provide to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, and post on the GDOE website, a consolidated expenditure report  
6 which *shall* include the authorized spending levels, encumbrances, and expenditures (quarterly and year-  
7 to-date) of GDOE, enumerated by school or division within the department. Such report *shall* also be  
8 transmitted, by hand-delivery or electronically, to each school principal.

9 **Section 29. Alignment of Hospital Rates and Fees.** Notwithstanding any other provision of  
10 law, the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority (GMHA) is authorized to formulate a fee and rate schedule  
11 of applicable hospital fees and rates. Upon the completion of a fee study, GMHA *shall* submit the adjusted  
12 fee and rate schedule to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* by June 30, 2027. Nothing herein *shall* affect GMHA's  
13 authority to regularly adopt or increase fees.

14 **Section 30. Re-employment of Former Classified Employees in Education, Health, and**  
15 **Public Safety.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for Fiscal Year 2027, former classified  
16 teachers, nurses, and public safety first responders of the government of Guam who were in good standing  
17 at the time of resignation may be re-employed at *not less than* the salary they earned at their former  
18 position if they apply for the same or comparable job in the same department regardless of the timespan  
19 that the employee left their position. The employee may waive this privilege.

20 **Section 31. Excess Annual Leave for Nurses, Employees Working in Nursing Services,**  
21 **and Peace Officers.** Notwithstanding § 4109(c) of Chapter 4, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, employees  
22 working in nursing services at the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority, nurses employed at the Department  
23 of Public Health and Social Services, and Peace Officers, as defined in § 51101(b), Chapter 51, Title 17,

1 Guam Code Annotated, who have accumulated annual leave in excess of three hundred twenty (320) hours  
2 as of September 30, 2026, may carry over their excess and *shall* use the excess amount of leave, prior to  
3 retirement or termination from service. At the time of retirement or termination of service, that portion  
4 permitted to be credited to sick leave *shall* be so credited and the remainder of the excess leave, if any,  
5 *shall* be lost. Nothing herein *shall* allow lump sum compensation or retirement credit for annual leave in  
6 excess of three hundred twenty (320) hours. Nothing herein *shall* limit registered nurses from accruing  
7 leave in accordance with § 4109.1, Chapter 4, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated.

8 **Section 32. Authorization to Extend the Gas Tax Relief Act.** *Except* for liquid fuel used for  
9 commercial aviation purposes, all levy of excise taxes, automotive surcharges, and mass transit automotive  
10 surcharges on liquid fuel *shall* be reported but payments *shall* be waived for Fiscal Year 2027, ending  
11 September 30, 2027.

12 **Section 33. Inclusion of GDOE in the Central Accounting Act.** § 22205 of Article 2, Chapter  
13 22 of Title 5 Guam Code Annotated is hereby amended to read:

14 “§ 22205. **Exceptions.** The provisions of this Act *shall not* apply to the accounting operations of  
15 the Guam Waterworks Authority, the Guam Power Authority, the A. B. Won Pat International Airport  
16 Authority Guam, the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority, the Guam Housing Corporation, the  
17 Guam Economic Development and Commerce Authority, the Judicial Branch, the Legislative Branch, the  
18 Guam Community College, ~~the Department of Education~~ the University of Guam and the Guam Mass  
19 Transit Authority.”

20 **Section 34. Inclusion of GDOE under the Purview of the Guam State Clearinghouse.** §  
21 2101.1 of Article 1, Chapter 2 of Title 5 Guam Code Annotated is hereby amended to read:

1           **“§ 2101.1. Duties and Responsibilities of the Guam State Clearinghouse.**

2           In addition to the duties and responsibilities of the Guam State Clearinghouse as may be prescribed  
3 by *I Segundu Na Maga’lahi* [the Lieutenant Governor], or by law, the Guam State Clearinghouse *shall*  
4 also have the following duties and responsibilities:

5           (a)     Administer the initiation, coordination and review process of all governmental activities  
6 within the government of Guam involving Federal financial assistance.

7           (b)     Ensure that government grant proposals for Federal assistance are in accordance with plans,  
8 policies, programs, objectives and procedures of the government of Guam.

9           (c)     Ensure that proposed government projects for which Federal financial assistance is sought  
10 are fiscally and environmentally sound and are in compliance with all applicable Federal laws.

11          (d)     Ensure that the government of Guam complies with all applicable Federal laws relating to  
12 Federal financial assistance and that there exists sound tracking, management, and financial accountability  
13 for all Federal programs awarded to the government of Guam.

14          (e)     Perform cost analysis on all Federal aid programs, grants, loans, contracts, contributions,  
15 advances, direct Federal development or other Federal funding for the financial impact on the government  
16 of Guam’s General Fund or special funds used to fund the local matching requirement as prescribed by  
17 Federal law; and the financial impact on the government of Guam of continuing the Federal program by  
18 the government of Guam if the Federal funding expires. Said analysis *shall* describe the indirect costs the  
19 grantee government agency is eligible for, the amounts applied for and received from each grant, the  
20 previous year’s funding level and funding estimate for future years. Said analyses *shall* be performed as  
21 an integral part of the state clearinghouse process and submitted to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*,  
22 the Chairperson of the Special Accounting Service, the Chairperson of the Special Economic Service, and  
23 the Director of the Bureau of Budget and Management Research within fifteen (15) days after completion.

1 The cost analyses required hereby *shall* be included in *I Maga'lahi's* Executive Budget request pursuant  
2 to Title 5 GCA § 4107(b).

3 (f) With the exception of the Judiciary of Guam, the Guam Community College, and the  
4 University of Guam, ~~and the Guam Department of Education~~, and notwithstanding any other provision of  
5 law to the contrary, no application for any Federal aid programs, grants, loans, contracts, contributions,  
6 advances, direct Federal development, or other Federal funding *shall* be submitted or deemed approved  
7 on behalf of the government of Guam or any agency, division, office, department or instrumentality  
8 thereof, or any public corporation, without the final approval of the Director of the Guam State  
9 Clearinghouse.

10 (g) The Judiciary of Guam, the Guam Community College, and the University of Guam, ~~and~~  
11 ~~the Guam Department of Education~~ *shall* provide a courtesy electronic or written copy of each grant  
12 application to the Guam State Clearinghouse and *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. Copies of all communications  
13 between the Federal government grantor agency relative to the grant application process with the Judiciary  
14 of Guam, the Guam Community College, or the University of Guam, ~~or the Guam Department of~~  
15 ~~Education~~, including all subsequent communications regarding the implementation and execution of the  
16 grant award, *shall* also be provided to the Guam State Clearinghouse and *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*.”

17 **Section 35. Inclusion of GDOE under the Purview of the Guam State Clearinghouse. §**

18 2101.3 of Article 1, Chapter 2 of Title 5 Guam Code Annotated is hereby amended to read:

19 **“§ 2101.3. Judiciary of Guam, UOG, and GCC ~~and DOE~~ Exemptions.**

20 The Judiciary of Guam, the University of Guam, and the Guam Community College, ~~and the Guam~~  
21 ~~Department of Education~~ *shall* be exempted from the provisions prescribed in Title 5 GCA §§ 2101,  
22 2101.1 and 2101.2. However, the Administrator of the Courts, and the Presidents of the University of

1 Guam and the Guam Community College, ~~and the Superintendent of the Guam Department of Education~~  
2 shall separately perform the following duties and responsibilities:

3 (a) administer the initiation, coordination and review process of all activities within the  
4 institution involving Federal financial assistance;

5 (b) ensure that grant proposals for Federal assistance are in accordance with plans, policies,  
6 programs, objectives and procedures of the government of Guam;

7 (c) ensure that proposed projects for which Federal financial assistance is sought are fiscally  
8 and environmentally sound and are in compliance with all applicable Federal laws;

9 (d) ensure that the institution complies with all applicable Federal laws relating to Federal  
10 financial assistance, and that there exists sound tracking, management, and financial accountability for all  
11 Federal programs awarded to the institution;

12 (e) perform a cost analysis on all Federal aid programs, grants, loans, contracts, contributions,  
13 advances, direct Federal development, or other Federal funding that the institution is applying for, for the  
14 financial impact on the institution and the government of Guam's General Fund or special funds used to  
15 fund the local matching requirement as prescribed by Federal law; and the financial impact on the  
16 institution and the government of Guam for the continuation of the Federal program should the Federal  
17 funding expire and require the government of Guam to financially assume the program's operation one  
18 hundred percent (100%);

19 (f) provide a courtesy electronic or written copy of each grant application to the Guam State  
20 Clearinghouse and *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, including all communications between the Federal government  
21 grantor agency relative to the grant application process and the subsequent implementation and execution  
22 of the grant award; and

1 (g) the Administrator of the Courts, and the Presidents of the University of Guam and the  
2 Guam Community College, ~~and the Superintendent of the Guam Department of Education~~ may delegate  
3 any of the foregoing duties and responsibilities to any officers or employees of their respective institution.”

4 **Section 36. Duties of the Attorney General.** § 5150 of Chapter 5, Title 5, Guam Code  
5 Annotated, is *amended* to read as follows:

6 **§ 5150.**

7 “The Attorney General, the Deputy Attorney General or such Assistant Attorneys General,  
8 or such Special Assistant Attorneys General as the Attorney General may designate, *shall* serve as legal  
9 counsel and provide necessary legal services to the Policy Office and the General Services Agency.  
10 Whenever the Chief Procurement Officer, the Director of Public Works, or the head of any executive  
11 branch agency, autonomous agency, instrumentality or public corporation of the government of Guam  
12 conducts any solicitation or procurement which is estimated to result in an award of Five Million ~~Hundred~~  
13 ~~Thousand~~ Dollars (\$5,000,000 ~~\$500,000~~) or more, the Attorney General or his designees, including one  
14 (1) or more Special Assistant Attorneys General who may be so designated or appointed by the Attorney  
15 General and subject to any reasonable requirements or conditions determined by the Attorney General,  
16 *shall* act as legal advisor during all phases of the solicitation or procurement process. The Attorney  
17 General, or his designee, including one (1) or more Special Assistant Attorneys General *shall*, in addition,  
18 when he approves contracts, determine not only the correctness of their form, but their legality. In making  
19 such a determination of legality, he may require any or all agencies involved in the contract to supply him  
20 with evidence that the required procedures precedent to executing the contract were carried out. He or his  
21 designees may prescribe the forms and format required to be followed by the agencies in aiding him in his  
22 determination of form and legality.”

1           **Section 37.**   § 4301.1(g) of Chapter 4, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to  
2 read as follows:

3                           **§ 4301.1. Definitions.**

4           (g) “Qualified proposal” means a proposal from a health care provider or Third Party  
5 Administrator (TPA) that submits either an exclusive and/or a non-exclusive proposal or as stated in the  
6 RFP and meets the minimum requirements specified in the RFP in response to any request for proposals  
7 for the Government of Guam Health Insurance program.

8           **Section 38.**   § 4302(c)(8), § 4302(c)(8)(B), § 4302(c)(9), and § 4302(e) of Chapter 4, Title 4,  
9 Guam Code Annotated, are hereby *amended* to read as follows:

10                           **§ 4302. Same: Health Insurance or Provision of Health Care.**

11           (c)(8) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, each fiscal year or on a multi-year basis,  
12 not to exceed three (3) years, the Negotiating Team *shall* solicit for either an exclusive and/or non-  
13 exclusive proposals from each Health Insurance Provider or Third Party Administrator and enter into  
14 negotiations with up to the top three (3) ranked Health Insurance Providers or Third Party Administrators  
15 submitting qualified proposals for health insurance coverage for qualified active employees and qualified  
16 retirees, survivors, and foster children, of the government of Guam. The proposal submitted for a Third  
17 Party Administrator shall be an exclusive proposal.

18           § 4302(c)(8)(B) The Director *shall* announce, electronically and/or in print, in publications  
19 of general circulation in Guam and in top publications nationally ~~and in leading publications~~  
20 ~~internationally,~~ a Request for Proposal from Health Care Insurance Providers for health insurance  
21 coverage for qualified active employees and qualified retirees, and foster children, of the government of  
22 Guam.

1           § 4302(c)(9) The Negotiating Team upon selection and review of the best available  
2 proposal by participating healthcare respondent(s)/provider(s), or Third Party Administrator(s) which  
3 reflect the most economical and beneficial healthcare insurance proposal plans for government of Guam  
4 employees and retirees, survivors, and foster children, *shall forward up to* the three (3) highest ranking  
5 qualified proposals to *I Maga'hågan/Maga'låhen Guåhan* for consideration and selection of the most  
6 economical and beneficial health insurance plan, and transmit to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* for its review no  
7 later than July 31, and prior to the annual legislative sessions wherein the upcoming fiscal year budget for  
8 the government of Guam is before *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* for consideration. Notwithstanding any other  
9 provision of law, rule, or regulations, of the remaining qualifying plans, if a non-exclusive option is  
10 selected, the employee or retiree may choose one (1) of the remaining qualified plans, and any difference  
11 in premiums *shall* be paid by the employee or retiree at their own cost. Notwithstanding any other  
12 provisions of law, rule, or regulations, the most economical and beneficial healthcare insurance proposal  
13 plan for government of Guam employees and retirees, survivors, and foster children, *shall* be defined as  
14 the lowest cost option.

15           § 4302(e) Effective October 1, 1986, the contract period for health insurance or provision  
16 of health care *shall* coincide with the fiscal year, or fiscal years if on a multi-year contract, which shall  
17 not exceed three (3) years, of the government of Guam. To that end, the contract period preceding the one  
18 for FY1987 may be for less than twelve (12) months.

19           **Section 39.**   § 5118 of Chapter 5, Title 5, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read as  
20 follows:

21           **§ 5118. Procurement Counsel.**

22           The Department of Administration may employ an attorney to assist and represent the  
23 DOA/General Services Agency, in all procurement and civil matters, to be called the Procurement

1 Counsel. The Director of Administration *shall* set the terms and conditions of employment for the attorney  
2 and determine his or her compensation consistent with the laws of Guam. The attorney *shall* be a full-  
3 time employee, and *shall* be admitted to practice before the courts of Guam under the same conditions as  
4 are attorneys employed by the government pursuant to Title 7 GCA, §§ 9A114 and 9A114A. The  
5 Procurement Counsel *shall* assist and ~~advise~~ represent the Chief Procurement Officer on all civil matters  
6 in which the General Services Agency is legally interested, provided that the Office of the Attorney  
7 General *shall* represent the General Services Agency, and provided that the Attorney General shall  
8 designate the Procurement Counsel for the General Services Agency as a Special Assistant Attorney  
9 General for this purpose. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, whenever the Chief Procurement  
10 Officer conducts any solicitation or procurement on behalf of the General Services Agency, the  
11 Procurement Counsel shall act as legal advisor during all phases of the solicitation or procurement process.

12 **Section 40.** § 13102(c), § 13107, § 13108, § 13110(b) and § 13115(d)(11) of 2 GAR, Div. 4,  
13 Chapter 13, are hereby *amended* to read as follows:

14 **§ 13102. Membership.**

15 (c) The Attorney General or his designee or the Procurement Counsel *shall* act as legal  
16 advisor during all phases of the solicitation or procurement process for group health insurance benefits for  
17 employees and retirees of the government.

18 **§ 13107. Quorum.**

19 The Negotiating Team may conduct official business if a quorum of its ~~voting~~  
20 present at any properly noticed meeting. A quorum of the Negotiating Team is seven (7) ~~voting~~ members.

1           **§ 13108. Decisions.**

2           (a) At any properly notice meeting of the Negotiating Team where a quorum is present, the  
3 Negotiating Team *shall* make decisions based upon an affirming vote of at least five (5) of the ~~voting~~  
4 members present, after a motion is made by any member, and seconded by any other member.

5           (b) In any circumstance, a failure to get an affirming vote of at least five (5) of the ~~voting~~  
6 members present *shall* mean that the motion being voted on fails for lack of majority.

7           (c) Upon the casing of votes, team members *shall* sign off on a voting sheet or recite their  
8 names and positions on a virtual meeting recording to document the decision made. With a quorum being  
9 met, the members may motion to electronically vote on a motion.

10           **§ 13110. Communication by Offerors and Sub-contractors.**

11           (b) Prior to disqualification, the Negotiating Team *shall* request the Attorney General's  
12 Office or Procurement Counsel to conduct an investigation to verify the veracity of such communication  
13 and *shall* provide its recommendation to the negotiating team for action.

14           **§ 13115. Roles of Team Members.**

15           (d)(11) the final recommendation, after obtaining guidance from the Consultant, ~~Insurance~~  
16 ~~Commissioner~~ and Attorney General or Procurement Counsel, to the Governor for approval.



1 necessary, from the department's or agency's appropriations for operations contained in this Act, for  
2 insurance of government-owned facilities built or repaired with Federal Emergency Management Agency  
3 (FEMA) grant funds, where such insurance is required by FEMA.

4 **Section 6. Reporting Requirements for Non-Profit Organizations.** All non-profit  
5 organizations that receive funds pursuant to this Act *shall* maintain financial records that accurately  
6 account for said funds and *shall* provide a budgetary breakdown by object category to the department *or*  
7 agency that oversees the appropriation. The non-profit organization *shall* be provided a copy of this  
8 Section by the department or agency overseeing such appropriation, but failure of the department or  
9 agency to fulfill this duty *shall not* prevent any non-profit organization from carrying out its  
10 responsibilities under this Section. The non-profit organization *shall* also provide to said department:

- 11 (a) A quarterly report describing its activities during the reporting period and the results it  
12 achieved *no later than* twenty (20) days after the end of each quarter;
- 13 (b) Notification of all procurement of equipment and services of Five Thousand Dollars  
14 (\$5,000) *or* more prior to awarding the contract therefore;
- 15 (c) Access to the overseeing department's *or* agency's duly authorized representative, and  
16 government of Guam auditors to appropriate records for the purpose of audit and  
17 examination of books, documents, papers, and records of funds expended under the  
18 appropriation;
- 19 (d) Submission of a detailed inventory listing of each year's purchases, as certified by its  
20 certifying officer; and
- 21 (e) A final report to the overseeing department *or* agency for submission to *I Liheslaturan*  
22 *Guåhan* containing a full disclosure of all expenditures of funds appropriated by this Act  
23 *no later than* November 15, 2027, for Fiscal Year 2027. The overseeing department *or*

1 agency *shall* submit said report to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, in a Microsoft Excel electronic  
2 file and a written report, and *shall* post the same on its website.

3 **Section 7. Fund Reversions.** *Unless* otherwise specified in this Act:

4 (a) **General Fund Reversion.** All unexpended *or* unencumbered appropriations made from  
5 the General Fund by a GG-1, purchase order, or contract pursuant to this Act *shall* revert to the General  
6 Fund on the last day of Fiscal Year 2027.

7 (b) **Healthy Futures Fund Reversion.** All unexpended *or* unencumbered appropriations  
8 made from the Healthy Futures Fund by a GG-1, purchase order, or contract pursuant to this Act *shall*  
9 revert to the Healthy Futures Fund on the last day of Fiscal Year 2027.

10 (c) **Guam Educational Facilities Fund Reversion.** All unexpended *or* unencumbered  
11 appropriations made from the Guam Educational Facilities Fund by a GG1, purchase order, or contract  
12 pursuant to this Act *shall* revert to the Guam Educational Facilities Fund on the last day of Fiscal Year  
13 2027.

14 (d) **Guam Highway Fund Reversion.** All unexpended *or* unencumbered appropriations made  
15 from the Guam Highway Fund by a GG-1, purchase order, or contract pursuant to this Act *shall* revert to  
16 the Guam Highway Fund on the last day of Fiscal Year 2027.

17 **Section 8. Transfer Authority of *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.** Full transfer authority is  
18 authorized for *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* between Fiscal Year 2027 General Fund and Special Fund  
19 Executive Branch appropriations of departments and agencies. This Section does not apply to  
20 appropriations made to the Unified Judiciary of Guam and *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

21 **Section 9. Uniform Allowances.** Notwithstanding any provision of law, uniform allowances  
22 authorized in this Act *shall not* be less than One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) for the fiscal year and  
23 *shall* be issued to the employees *no later than* the end of the first quarter of Fiscal Year 2027.

1           **Section 10. Government Staffing Pattern.**

2           (a)     *No later than* thirty (30) days after the end of each quarter of Fiscal Year 2027, every  
3 director, administrator, or head of a government of Guam agency, excluding line agencies, *shall* submit  
4 to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* in a Microsoft Excel file and written report, and post the same  
5 on the agency website, a current staffing pattern in the format of the Executive Branch Fiscal Year 2027  
6 Budget Call as of the previous quarter’s ending. The agencies required to submit are autonomous and  
7 semi-autonomous agencies, public corporations, the Mayors Council of Guam, and the Unified Judiciary  
8 of Guam. Said staffing pattern *shall* include, at minimum, the name of every current employee and his/her  
9 position title, most recent hire date, salary, increment costs and benefit costs, the funding source for his/her  
10 salary and benefits, and the gross salary and benefits paid for during the quarter.

11          (b)     *No later than* thirty (30) days after the end of each quarter of Fiscal Year 2027, the Director  
12 of the Department of Administration *shall* post the government-wide line agency staffing pattern on the  
13 designated budget website in a Microsoft Excel file and written report. The format of the report *shall* be  
14 the current staffing pattern in the format of the Executive Branch Fiscal Year 2027 Budget Call as of the  
15 previous quarter’s ending. Said staffing pattern *shall* include, at minimum, the name of every current  
16 employee and his/her position title, most recent hire date, salary, increment costs and benefit costs, the  
17 funding source for his/her salary and benefits, and the gross salary and benefits paid for during the quarter.

18          **Section 11. Funding Source.** The following departments are authorized to expend up to the  
19 level of revenues collected for their respective special revenue funds for Fiscal Year 2027 and unexpended  
20 carryovers in revolving funds authorized by law only for the purposes authorized by statute for those  
21 funds:

- 22          (a)     Guam Police Department - Police Services Fund; and Police Patrol Vehicle and Equipment  
23                 Revolving Fund;

- 1 (b) Department of Corrections - Corrections Revolving Fund;
- 2 (c) Customs and Quarantine Agency - Customs, Agriculture, and Quarantine Inspection  
3 Services Fund;
- 4 (d) Guam Environmental Protection Agency - Air Pollution Control Special Fund; Guam  
5 Environmental Trust Fund; Pesticide Management Fund; Water Protection Fund; Water  
6 Research and Development Fund; and Recycling Revolving Fund;
- 7 (e) Department of Land Management - Land Survey Revolving Fund;
- 8 (f) *CHamoru* Land Trust Commission - Chamorro Land Trust Operations Fund / Chamorro  
9 Land Trust Commission Survey and Infrastructure Fund
- 10 (g) Department of Agriculture - Guam Plant Inspection and Permit Fund; Guam Invasive  
11 Species Inspection Fee Fund; and Rabies Prevention Fund;
- 12 (h) Guam Board of Registration for Professional Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors -  
13 Professional Engineers, Architects and Land Surveyors (PEALS) Fund;
- 14 (i) Guam Fire Department - Enhanced 911 Emergency Reporting System Fund; and Fire, Life  
15 and Medical Emergency Fund;
- 16 (j) Guam Contractors License Board - Contractors License Board Fund;
- 17 (k) Department of Revenue and Taxation - Tax Collection Enhancement Fund; Banking and  
18 Insurance Enforcement Fund; and Alcoholic Beverage Compliance Fees and Fines Fund;
- 19 (l) Department of Public Health and Social Services - Guam Environmental Health Fund;  
20 Health Professional Licensing Office Revolving Fund; Office of Vital Statistics Revolving  
21 Fund; and Sanitary Inspection Revolving Fund;
- 22 (m) Guam Department of Education and the Guam Public Library System - Public School  
23 Library Resources Fund;

- 1 (n) Department of Labor and the Guam Community College - Manpower Development Fund;
- 2 (o) Office of the Attorney General - Victim/Witness Travel-Housing Fund; Consumer
- 3 Protection Fund; Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund; and Notary Public Revolving
- 4 Fund;
- 5 (p) Department of Parks and Recreation - Public Recreation Services Fund;
- 6 (q) Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center - Mental Health and Substance Abuse
- 7 Services Fund;
- 8 (r) Guam Ethics Commission - Government Ethics Fund;
- 9 (s) Guam Solid Waste Authority - Solid Waste Operations Fund;
- 10 (t) Guam Ancestral Lands Commission - Guam Ancestral Lands Commission Survey,
- 11 Infrastructure, and Development Fund; and
- 12 (u) Guam Visitors Bureau - Tourist Attraction Fund.

13 **Section 12. Government of Guam Health Insurance Program Reporting.**

14 (a) All health insurance carriers for the government of Guam *shall* submit a monthly written  
15 report, and corresponding Microsoft Excel file of said report, aggregating the data relative to (1) enrollees,  
16 both subscribers and dependents, by active employee and retiree subscriber counts, by plan, by class, by  
17 groups, supported/paid by the General Fund, detailed by agency/department; and (2) enrollees, both  
18 subscribers and dependents, by active employee and retiree subscriber counts, by plan, by class, by groups,  
19 supported/paid by autonomous agencies of the government of Guam, detailed by autonomous agency.

20 For purposes of this Subsection, autonomous agencies *shall* include the Guam Power Authority,  
21 the Guam Waterworks Authority, the Port Authority of Guam, the A.B. Won Pat International Airport  
22 Authority, the Guam Housing Corporation, the Guam Economic Development Authority, the Government  
23 of Guam Retirement Fund, and the Guam Visitors Bureau.

1 This report and corresponding Microsoft Excel file *shall* be submitted to the Department of  
2 Administration, the Office of Finance and Budget, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and the Speaker of *I*  
3 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* no later than twenty (20) days after the end of each month of Fiscal Year 2027.

4 (b) All health insurance carriers for the government of Guam *shall* submit a monthly written  
5 report detailing each individual health insurance premium payment received by the government of Guam  
6 health insurance carrier from the government of Guam, by date and by agency, to the Speaker of *I*  
7 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* no later than twenty (20) days after the end of each month of Fiscal Year 2027.

8 **Section 13. Quarterly Reports of Medical Referral Offices.** Each of the Medical Referral  
9 Offices funded by this Act *shall* provide quarterly reports on its activities and expenditures, to include,  
10 but not be limited to:

- 11 (a) number of referred patients served;
- 12 (b) number of patient escorts or accompanying family members served;
- 13 (c) average cost per patient referral incurred during that quarter;
- 14 (d) actual office expenditures for the quarter, including fuel costs; and
- 15 (e) a description of services provided during the quarter.

16 The quarterly reports required by this Section *shall* be submitted to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and the  
17 Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* no later than thirty (30) days after the end of each quarter of the fiscal  
18 year and *shall* be posted on the Offices' websites.

19 **Section 14. Audited Financial Statements Supplementary Information.** The Public Auditor  
20 and the Director of the Department of Administration *shall* ensure that the Fiscal Year 2026 audit of the  
21 government of Guam financial statements contains the following supplementary information:

- 22 (a) a schedule of personnel count indicating the number of filled positions by department, fund  
23 source, and amount expended as of September 30, 2026; and

1 (b) a combined schedule of expenditures, encumbrances, and continuing appropriations by  
2 department, fund source, and object classification as of September 30, 2026.

3 **Section 15. Reporting Requirements for Travel.** All governmental entities (including line  
4 and autonomous agencies), instrumentalities, and public corporations *shall* submit a quarterly report of all  
5 off-island government travel that is publicly funded during Fiscal Year 2027. This report *shall* be  
6 submitted to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and *shall* include:

- 7 (1) the name of the traveler;
- 8 (2) the source of funds;
- 9 (3) the purpose of the travel;
- 10 (4) the cost of the travel; and
- 11 (5) individual or group reports from the travelers highlighting the impact the information  
12 gathered at the conference or meeting has on the agency, and how the information acquired will be  
13 beneficial to the agency’s function.

14 A presentation of the information obtained from the meetings and conferences may be required at  
15 the discretion of the agency’s director.

16 **Section 16. Guam Police Department (GPD), Guam Fire Department (GFD), Customs  
17 and Quarantine Agency (CQA), and Department of Corrections (DOC) Overtime Reporting  
18 Requirements.** The GPD, GFD, CQA and DOC *shall* submit a written report to the Speaker of *I*  
19 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* no later than twenty (20) days after the end of each quarter in Fiscal Year 2027  
20 which *shall* include the amount of overtime owed to each employee at each respective agency, by fiscal  
21 year in which such overtime was incurred, by division, and by employee name, for the previous quarter.

1           **Section 17. Independent Contractors.** The Office of *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*, the Office of *I*  
2 *Sigundo Maga'låhen Guåhan*, and the Guam State Clearinghouse may enter into agreements with  
3 independent contractors pursuant to Guam procurement laws.

4           **Section 18. Authorization for Payment of Prior Years' Obligations.** Appropriations made  
5 in this Act may be expended for the payment of prior years' obligations, provided it does not negatively  
6 impact the current operational needs of the department or agency requesting such prior years' payment,  
7 and that five (5) days prior to payment, written notice is given to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*  
8 with the total amount, funding source, and the prior years' obligation to be paid for by the department or  
9 agency.

10           **Section 19. Department of Revenue and Taxation (DRT) Authorization to Utilize the**  
11 **Better Public Service Fund for Tax Collection.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the  
12 Department of Revenue and Taxation is hereby authorized to use its appropriation in this Act from the  
13 Better Public Service Fund for the purpose of tax collection.

14           **Section 20. Funds Available to Guam Cancer Trust Fund.**

15           (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Title 11 Guam Code Annotated, Chapter 26, §  
16 26603(e)(2)(b), all funds available to the Guam Cancer Trust Fund in Fiscal Year 2027 are not subject to  
17 the seventy-five percent (75%) allocation limitation imposed by said Section, and may be expended for  
18 the purposes provided therein. All other provisions in Title 11 Guam Code Annotated, Chapter 26, §  
19 26603(e)(2)(b), including the ten percent (10%) limitation on education and outreach, are not waived and  
20 continue to apply.

21           (b) All funds of the Guam Cancer Trust Fund, including funds appropriated by this Act, are  
22 not subject to any transfer authority provided for in this Act or any other provision of law.

1 (c) The provisions of Title 11 Guam Code Annotated, Chapter 26, Article 6, § 26603(e)(6) are  
2 not waived.

3 **Section 21. Off-island Travel by Executive Security of the Guam Police Department.** The  
4 Guam Police Department is authorized to expend from its appropriation in this Act for off-island travel  
5 and per diem expenses for Police Officers assigned to Executive Security functions under the Guam Police  
6 Department for the purpose of providing executive security to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*, the First  
7 Gentleman, and *I Sigundo Maga'låhen Guåhan* when traveling off-island to represent the people of Guam  
8 at meetings and functions determined critical to the welfare of Guam.

9 **Section 22. Government-Funded Travel Prohibited.** Funds appropriated by this Act *shall*  
10 *not* be expended for off-island travel or per diem expenses by government employees and officials, except  
11 for:

12 (a) travel that is federally-funded;

13 (b) travel that is specifically required to administer or secure federal grants;

14 (c) travel to promote tourism on Guam; provided, that such travel is paid for by the Tourist  
15 Attraction Fund and is restricted to the GVB General Manager or his/her designee, and appropriate GVB  
16 staff and cultural performers as are identified by the Board of Directors as necessary to accomplish the  
17 goal of the travel;

18 (d) travel by law enforcement personnel conducting an official investigation and law  
19 enforcement personnel providing escort services for criminal suspects, detainees, and convicted felons  
20 being returned to Guam for judicial proceedings or being transferred to off-island correctional facilities;

21 (e) travel by medical personnel providing escort services for patients requiring off-island  
22 medical treatment and other escorts as specifically authorized by the Department of Public Health and  
23 Social Services pursuant to Guam law;

- 1 (f) travel necessary for the enforcement of court orders;
- 2 (g) travel under the Residential Treatment Fund;
- 3 (h) travel required for witnesses testifying on behalf of, and government attorneys representing  
4 the government or the people of Guam in a criminal or civil case;
- 5 (i) travel to attend conferences and official meetings with national and regional government  
6 officials or national and regional organizations of which the entity is an official member where attendance  
7 is necessary to advancing Guam's interests during Fiscal Year 2027 and as approved by governing board  
8 or Director;
- 9 (j) Executive Security functions under the Guam Police Department for the purpose of  
10 providing Executive Security to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* and *I Sigundo Maga'låhen Guåhan* when traveling  
11 off-island to represent the people of Guam at meetings and functions determined critical to the welfare of  
12 Guam;
- 13 (k) travel to testify on issues related to Guam's political status; or
- 14 (l) travel to testify at the invitation of the U.S. Congress.

15 **Section 23. Wireless Communications Restrictions.**

16 (a) No government of Guam funds, regardless of source and including funds expended by  
17 autonomous agencies, *shall* be expended for the use of cellular telephones, cellular telephone services,  
18 and other wireless telephone services, unless the government of Guam will be reimbursed from federal  
19 funds or other grants. This Section *shall not* apply to *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*; *I Sigundo Maga'låhen*  
20 *Guåhan*; the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*; the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Guam; the  
21 Presiding Judge of the Superior Court of Guam; the Crisis Hotline Program of the Guam Behavioral Health  
22 and Wellness Center; law enforcement officials; on-call attorneys of the Office of the Attorney General  
23 and the Public Defender Service Corporation; on-call health professionals of the Guam Memorial Hospital

1 Authority, the Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center, and the Department of Public Health and  
2 Social Services; village Mayors and Vice Mayors; Guam Fire Department and EMS officials; on-call  
3 emergency management personnel; the Chief Medical Examiner; the Guam Election Commission; and the  
4 Guam Visitors Bureau. The restrictions in this Section *shall not* apply to wireless internet services,  
5 stationary (non-mobile) wireless telephone, and wireless voice over internet protocol (VOIP) services.

6 (b) No appointing authority, manager, supervisor, or public officer in any branch of the  
7 government of Guam *shall* require or exert undue influence on any classified or unclassified employee of  
8 any branch of the government of Guam to maintain or utilize for employment-related duties, at such  
9 employee's personal expense, any form of wireless and/or internet communications, phone, tablet, or  
10 desktop or laptop computer. Nothing herein, however, *shall* be construed to prevent an employer from  
11 calling an employee at a wireless phone/radio if the employee designates such wireless phone/radio as a  
12 personal contact number. Nothing herein *shall* be construed as to prevent an employee, voluntarily and  
13 on his own accord, from using personal funds or resources for wireless telephone services. An employee  
14 in violation of this Subsection is subject to a fine not to exceed Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the first violation,  
15 and One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for subsequent violations.

16 **Section 24. Purchasing First Class or Business Class Airfare Prohibited.** Notwithstanding  
17 any other provision of law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, the government of Guam *shall* not purchase  
18 first class or business class airfare. The traveler *shall* be authorized to purchase only coach or economy  
19 airfare. Any traveler electing to upgrade their airline seat *shall* be required to either use their personal  
20 mileage or pay the incremental difference in the cost. This Section *shall not* apply to *I Maga'hågan*  
21 *Guåhan*; *I Sigundo Maga'låhen Guåhan*; the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*; the Chief Justice of the  
22 Supreme Court of Guam; and the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court of Guam.

1           **Section 25. Restriction on the Home Use of Government of Guam Vehicles.** Except as  
2 expressly permitted by § 1103(c), Chapter 1, Title 4 GCA, or any other law, no government of Guam  
3 owned, leased, or rented vehicle may be driven home by an employee *unless* such employee is on call as  
4 an emergency first responder.

5           **Section 26. Annual Procurement Plan Requirement.** Pursuant to § 5010 of Chapter 5, Title  
6 5, Guam Code Annotated, departments and agencies *shall* submit to the General Services Agency a  
7 projected annual procurement plan at the start of each fiscal year. Plans *shall* include equipment, services,  
8 and supplies (e.g., vehicles, copiers, computers, heavy equipment, security, ground maintenance, janitorial  
9 and construction supplies, food supplies, etc.), by category, together with appropriate specifications or  
10 scope of work.

11           **Section 27. Severability.** *If* any provision of this Act or its application to any person or  
12 circumstances is held invalid, the invalidity *shall not* affect other provisions or applications of this Act  
13 which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of  
14 this Act are severable.