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1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

2 Section 1. §31101. of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby
3 amended, to read:

4 “§31101. Administration of the Guam Community College.

5 (a) All powers vested in the Guam Community College, except as provided
6 herein shall be exercised by the Guam Community College Board of Trustees. The
7 Board shall consist of seven (7) trustees, six (6) of whom shall be nominated and
8 appointed by *I Maga'lafen Guåhan* with the advice and consent of *I Liheslaturan*
9 *Guåhan*. Three (3) trustees shall be appointed to terms of three (3) years, three (3)
10 trustees shall be appointed to terms of five (5) years and the seventh (7th) shall be
11 an elected student member who shall serve a term of one (1) year. Their successors
12 shall be appointed each for a term of five (5) years, with the exception of the student
13 member. The student member shall be elected by a plurality vote of students of the
14 school. The student member must be a student at the college and may be re-elected
15 to no more than one (1) successive one-year term. The procedures for election of the

1 student member shall be developed by the Board of Trustees. The first election for
2 student member shall take place during the school year 1999-2000. The student
3 member position shall not require the appointment by *IMaga'lahan Guahan* and the
4 advice and consent of *ILiheslaturan Guahan*. No courtesy resignations shall be
5 required. All vacancies occurring on the Board of Trustees, except the student
6 member, shall be filled by *IMaga'lahan Guahan* with the advice and consent of *ILiheslaturan Guahan* for the unexpired term.

8 (b) *IMaga'lahan Guahan* shall appoint ~~one (1) trustee~~ two (2) trustees to
9 represent business and industry and employer organizations; ~~one (1) trustee to~~
10 ~~represent organized labor organizations on Island~~. The remaining four (4) trustees
11 shall be members of the general public. As these positions on the Board become
12 vacant, they shall be filled in a like manner. No person may serve as a trustee if the
13 trustee is a government of Guam employee or if the trustee's service would amount
14 to a conflict of interest.

15 (c) The concurrence of four (4) members of the Board at a duly called and
16 noticed regular or special meeting of the Board, which is open to the public in
17 accordance with law, shall be necessary to the validity of its acts; provided, that the
18 Board need not meet in public when it is discussing litigation or impending litigation
19 with its attorney.

20 (d) The trustees shall elect the chairperson from among their number.

21 **Section 2. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to any
22 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity
23 shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be given effect
24 without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of the
25 provisions of this Act are severable.

26 **Section 3. Effective Date.** This Act shall become effective upon enactment.