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October 4, 2011

Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.  
Speaker  
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Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D.  
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Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Substitute Bill No. 176-31 (LS) "AN ACT TO AMEND §§30102(2) AND (6), 30103(4), 31102, 31107, 31108(2) AND (6), 3110(5), 31111, 31112, AND ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 32; TO REPEAL §§31102.1, 31115, 31116(c) AND 33104; TO ADD NEW §§33105 AND 33106; AND TO MOVE ARTICLE 3 OF CHAPTER 32 TO DIVISION 5, ALL OF TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE GUAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE", which was signed into law on September 30, 2011 as Public Law 31-99.

*Senseramente,*

A stylized, handwritten signature of Eddie Baza Calvo in black ink.  
EDDIE BAZA CALVO

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**I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
**2011 (FIRST) Regular Session**

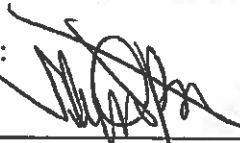
**CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN**

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 176-31 (LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND §§30102(2) AND (6), 30103(4), 31102, 31107, 31108(2) AND (6), 31110(5), 31111, 31112, AND ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 32; TO REPEAL §§31102.1, 31115, 31116(C) AND 33104; TO ADD NEW §§33105 AND 33106; AND TO MOVE ARTICLE 3 OF CHAPTER 32 TO DIVISION 5, ALL OF TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE GUAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE," was on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011, duly and regularly passed.



Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.  
Speaker

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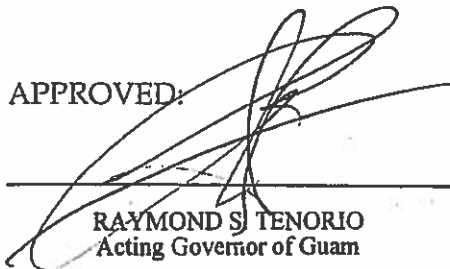
Tina Rose Muña Barnes  
Legislative Secretary

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This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, 2011, at  
4:10 o'clock P.M.



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APPROVED:



RAYMOND S. TENORIO  
Acting Governor of Guam

Date:

**SEP 30 2011**

Public Law No. 31-99

**I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
**2011 (FIRST) Regular Session**

**Bill No. 176-31 (LS)**

As substituted by the Committee on Education  
and Public Libraries; and amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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31115, 31116(C) AND 33104; TO ADD NEW §§33105 AND  
33106; AND TO MOVE ARTICLE 3 OF CHAPTER 32 TO  
DIVISION 5, ALL OF TITLE 17, GUAM CODE  
ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE GUAM  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE.**

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

2        **Section 1.**    §30102(2) of Chapter 30, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
3        *amended* to read:

1           “(2) *Guam Community College* means both secondary and post-  
2 secondary career and technical education.”

3           **Section 2.** §30102(6) of Chapter 30, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
4 *amended* to read:

5           “(6) *Career and Technical Education* means organized educational  
6 programs which are directly related to the preparation of individuals for paid  
7 employment, or for additional preparation for a career requiring other than a  
8 baccalaureate or advance degree.”

9           **Section 3.** §30103(4) of Chapter 30, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
10 *amended* to read:

11           “(4) strengthen the formal secondary and post-secondary education  
12 program in the career and technical fields.”

13           **Section 4.** §31102 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
14 hereby *amended* to read:

15           **“§ 31102. Advisory Committee.**

16           The Board *shall* establish Advisory Committees for each of the  
17 different career programs or levels of instruction and appoint committee  
18 members from among people in the community who can best advise the  
19 Board in their area of expertise or on matters pertaining to the Board's  
20 responsibilities as established by law.”

21           **Section 5.** §31102.1 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
22 hereby *repealed*.

23           **Section 6.** §31107 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
24 hereby *amended* to read:

25           **“§ 31107. Purposes.**

26           The purposes of the College *shall* be:

1           (1) to establish career and technical education, and other  
2 related occupational training and education courses of instruction  
3 aimed at developing educated and skilled workers for Guam;

4           (2) to coordinate with the Guam Education Board the  
5 development of career and technical education programs in all public  
6 schools;

7           (3) to establish and maintain short-term extension and  
8 apprenticeship training programs in Guam;

9           (4) to expand and maintain secondary and post-secondary  
10 educational programs in the career and technical fields;

11           (5) to award appropriate certificates, degrees and diplomas to  
12 qualified students; and

13           (6) to serve as the State Agency and the Board of Control for  
14 Vocational Education for purposes of the United States Vocational  
15 Education Act of 1946 and 1963, and subsequent amendments thereto.  
16 The government of Guam hereby accepts together with the benefits of  
17 funds appropriated thereunder the Vocational Education Act of 1946  
18 and any act or acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto as  
19 enacted by the Congress of the United States.”

20       **Section 7.** §31108(2) of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
21 *amended* to read:

22           “(2) to coordinate and recommend improvements in career and  
23 technical educational programs in order to match career and technical  
24 education programs with current and existing job needs;”

25       **Section 8.** §31108(6) of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
26 *amended* to read:

1 “(6) to act as the State Agency and Board of Control for Career and  
2 Technical Education; and”

3 **Section 9.** §31110(5) of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
4 *amended* to read:

5 “(5) to cause to be submitted to *I Maga’lahi* (the Governor) and *I*  
6 *Liheslatura* (the Legislature) one hundred twenty (120) days from the end of  
7 each fiscal year a report describing the condition and progress of career and  
8 technical education during the year including a financial report showing the  
9 result of operations for the preceding fiscal year and financial status of the  
10 College on the last day thereof. The report shall be made in the manner  
11 provided by the Board; and”

12 **Section 10.** §31111 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
13 hereby *amended* to read:

14 **“§ 31111. Custody of Federal Funds; Expenditures.**

15 (a) The Guam Community College is the designated custodian of  
16 all funds received by the government of Guam from the federal government  
17 for programs administered by the Guam Community College, *except* for  
18 funds awarded to the Guam Community College received via sub-grants  
19 within Title V through the Guam Department of Education. The Board of  
20 Trustees is authorized and directed to receive and provide for the proper  
21 custody of the funds, and to make disbursement thereof in the manner  
22 provided in the federal acts which govern the expenditure of the funds.

23 (b) The Board of Trustees is authorized to establish a public not for  
24 profit corporation that *shall* be separate and apart from the government of  
25 Guam and the Guam Community College for the purpose of being able to  
26 accept private gifts, donations, endowments, grants, and other monies which  
27 may be offered to the Guam Community College. Such gifts, donations,

1 endowments or grants, supra, *shall* be in accordance with the laws of Guam  
2 and subject to reasonable conditions. Such funds received *shall* be deposited  
3 into a fund controlled by the corporation, supra, and *shall* be known as the  
4 “Guam Community College Foundation”.

5 Expenditures from the fund *shall* be made in accordance with such  
6 conditions as may be attached to the gift, donation, endowment or grant.”

7 **Section 11.** §31112 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
8 hereby *amended* to read:

9 **“§ 31112. Non-appropriated Funds.**

10 Notwithstanding the provisions of "5162 and 5163 of the Government  
11 Code (as enacted in Part V, Section 6 of P.L. No. 15-48), the Guam  
12 Community College is authorized to use all revenues, to include tuition  
13 payments and fees, derived from its own sources, upon resolution of the  
14 Board of Trustees, for the benefit of the College and in the furtherance of the  
15 purposes of this Chapter.”

16 **Section 12.** §31115 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
17 hereby *repealed*.

18 **Section 13.** Subsection (c) of §31116 of Chapter 31, Title 17, Guam Code  
19 Annotated, is hereby *repealed*.

20 **Section 14.** Article 1 of Chapter 32, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
21 hereby *amended* to read:

22 **“ARTICLE 1**

23 **SCOPE OF INSTRUCTION**

24 **§32101. Organization Structure.**

25 **§32102. Post-Secondary and Continuing Education.**

26 **§32103. Apprenticeship Training.**

27 **§32104. Cooperative Programs Authorized.**

1       **§ 32101.     Organization Structure.**

2           The Board of Trustees is authorized to determine the College's  
3       organizational structure and the composition of divisions of programs as it  
4       deems appropriate to achieve its mission as outlined within Division 4 of  
5       Title 17 of the Guam Code Annotated.

6       **§ 32102.     Post-Secondary and Continuing Education.**

7           The Board of Trustees *shall* offer career and technical education  
8       programs through post-secondary programs and continuing education  
9       courses. The programs may be either credit or non-credit, and may be degree  
10      or non-degree programs.

11      **§ 32103.     Apprenticeship Training.**

12          The Board of Trustees *shall* consider problems of developing local  
13      skills in the various crafts and trades and developing a program of  
14      apprenticeship training and apprenticeship standards in accordance with  
15      standards established by and acceptable for registration with the Bureau of  
16      Apprenticeship and Training, United States Department of Labor or its  
17      successor.

18          The Board *shall*, in cooperation with an appropriate advisory  
19      committee composed of members of the construction industry, general  
20      business community, labor community, the general public and the  
21      Department of Education, formulate an apprenticeship program in the  
22      several career and technical fields in which critical shortages of trained  
23      personnel exist.

24      **§ 32104.     Cooperative Programs Authorized.**

25          The College is authorized to enter into contracts with public or private  
26      organizations, firms, companies or individuals to provide technical  
27      manpower training and testing programs. Such contracts *shall* be utilized to



1 provide for specialized training and testing in particular fields *not* otherwise  
2 available within the College which are designed to train or test local persons  
3 in needed skills and at the same time to train employees to carry on such  
4 courses.

5 Any contract under this Section may require the training of College  
6 employees to continue teaching such a course on a self-sustaining basis after  
7 the initial contract period which *shall not* be in excess of three (3) years.”

8 **Section 15.** §33104 of Chapter 33, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, is  
9 hereby *repealed*.

10 **Section 16.** The Compiler of Laws *shall* move Article 3 of Chapter 32, Title  
11 17, Guam Code Annotated, titled: “Peace Officer Standards and Training  
12 Commission” to Division 5 of Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, and renumber  
13 accordingly.

14 **Section 17.** A new §33105 is hereby *added* to Chapter 33, Title 17, Guam  
15 Code Annotated, to read:

16 **“§ 33105. Procurement Authority.**

17 The College is authorized to promulgate its own services, supplies,  
18 and construction procurement regulations pursuant to Title 5 GCA, §§ 5125,  
19 5131, 5030 (k) and (q), 5120, 5302(b) and (c), 5304(b), 5306(d), and 5307.

20 The procurement laws and regulations established in Guam’s  
21 Procurement law, found in Title 5 GCA, Chapter 5, and 2 G.A.R. Division 4  
22 *shall* be used by GCC in the procurement of all services, supplies, and  
23 construction procurement contracts. The College will use the laws and  
24 regulations established in Title 5 GCA, Chapter 5, and 2 G.A.R. Division 4  
25 as its own regulations unless and until the Board of Trustees approves  
26 different or additional procurement regulations.

1           The College will employ its own Chief Procurement Officer, who will  
2           serve as the procurement officer for all supplies, services, and construction  
3           contracts for the College.

4           The College may, upon the Board of Trustee's approval, delegate its  
5           procurement authority of construction contracts to the Department of Public  
6           Works.

7           The College may, upon the Board of Trustee's approval, delegate its  
8           procurement authority of services and supplies contracts to the General  
9           Service Agency."

10          **Section 18.** A new §33106 is hereby *added* to Chapter 33, Title 17, Guam  
11          Code Annotated, to read:

12          "§ 33106. Authorization of the College to enter into a renewable  
13          lease agreement with Guam Power Authority in order to develop educational  
14          opportunities to train workers for the emerging technologies related to  
15          sustainable and renewable energy.

16               (a) *I Liheslatura* (the Legislature) hereby grants the College,  
17               pursuant to Title 1 GCA, §1800, the authority to enter into this lease  
18               agreement with GPA.

19               (b) *I Liheslatura* (the Legislature) hereby grants the College,  
20               pursuant to Title 21 GCA, §60112, the authority for the College to  
21               enter into this lease agreement with GPA.

22               (c) *I Liheslatura* (the Legislature) hereby grants the College,  
23               pursuant to Title 2 GCA, §2107, an exception for the College to enter  
24               into this lease agreement with GPA, without requiring a separate piece  
25               of legislation.

26               (d) *I Liheslatura* (the Legislature) intends for this statute to  
27               supersede any and all related statutes that would otherwise impede the

1 College's ability to enter into this lease agreement with GPA.  
2 (e) The lease *shall* be subject to legislative approval in  
3 accordance with the AAA process."

