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I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2014 (SECOND) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that **Bill No. 234-32 (COR), "AN ACT TO *ADD* A NEW SUBSECTION (j) TO §20204.1 OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 20, TITLE 5, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO REQUIRING THAT THE OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY ESTABLISH A PROTOCOL TO BACK-UP CRITICAL ELECTRONIC DATA NECESSARY FOR THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF GOVERNMENT OF GUAM AGENCIES,"** was on the 3rd day of February, 2014, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker

Attested:

Rory J. Respicio
Acting Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahen Guåhan* this 14th day of Feb., 2014, at 12:22 o'clock P .M.

Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED:

EDWARD J.B. CALVO
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Bill No. 234-32 (COR)

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Short Title. This Act *shall* be referred to as the "Responsible Electronic Data Back-up Act."

Section 2. Legislative Findings and Intent. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that for many government of Guam agencies electronic data has become

increasingly critical for the maintenance of high levels of operational efficiency and effective service to the people of Guam. Recently, the Department of Public Health and Social Services' Office of Vital Statistics had lost approximately three thousand (3,000) electronic public records, which had resulted in reduced services to the community, as government employees diligently work to manually re-enter such information into the Vital Statistics database. Electronic back-up of such data could have averted much of the service impacts by this data loss.

I Liheslatura further finds that under Public Law 32-10 the Chief Technology Officer of the Office of Technology has the responsibility to develop and maintain an information systems disaster recovery system, in consultation with the Adjutant General, the Chief of Police, the Fire Chief and the Director of Homeland Security; *however*, this *does not* require the establishment of such redundant storage for all agencies based upon their own needs for maximum continuity of operations. There are discretionary duties which indicate that the Chief Technology Officer could establish policies, guidelines, standards and specifications for the development of such back-up storage capacity for government of Guam agencies; and *I Liheslatura* finds that it is imperative that the Chief Technology Officer do so to maintain the highest levels of government services in the event that electronic data integral to such services may be lost.

It is, therefore, the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to require the Chief Technology Officer to adopt a standard protocol for use by agencies of the government of Guam for the secure back-up storage of critical electronic data, by adding a new Subsection (j) to §20204.1 of Article 2, Chapter 20, Title 5, Guam Code Annotated.

Section 3. Back-up Required for Critical Electronic Data. A new Subsection (j) is hereby *added* to §20204.1 of Article 2, Chapter 20, Title 5, Guam Code Annotated, to read:

"(j) The Chief Technology Officer *shall* adopt a standard protocol for use by agencies of the government of Guam for the secure back-up storage of critical electronic data within ninety (90) days from the enactment of this Act. Each agency of the government of Guam *shall* inventory viable electronic data which is deemed critical for the operations of such agency and report the same to the Office of Technology within thirty (30) days from the enactment of this Act. The Chief Technology Officer *shall* determine the cost of implementation of such secure back-up storage on a per agency basis and report such findings to *I Maga'lahen Guåhan* and *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to determine the fiscal impact of the implementation of this Subsection."

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