



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
FOURTEENTH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, 2005

PUBLIC LAW NO. 14-79
H. B. No. 14-332, SD1

AN ACT

To appropriate \$90,000.00 from the First Senatorial District Solid Waste Management Fund; and for other purposes.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE FOURTEENTH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH
LEGISLATURE:**

1 **Section 1. Findings and Purpose.** The Department of Public Works in Rota needs
2 immediate additional funding to purchase landfill heavy equipment parts, beautification
3 equipment, fuel and lubricants, vehicle, and construct an unloading ramp at the Tatachog
4 dumpsite. In order to promote environmental safety, the open dumpsite requires to be
5 periodically covered. This task cannot be accomplished due to the lack of parts to repair the
6 landfill heavy equipment, fuel, and lubricants to operate the equipment, and to put in place an
7 unloading ramp.

8 **Section 2. Appropriation.** The amount of \$90,000.00 is hereby appropriated from
9 the First Senatorial District Solid Waste Management Fund for the Rota Department of
10 Public Works, of which \$45,000.00 shall be used to purchase landfill heavy equipment parts,
11 beautification equipment, fuel and lubricants, vehicle, and construct an unloading ramp at the
12 Tatachog open dumpsite, and \$45,000.00 for payment to vendors for clean up efforts relating
13 to typhoon damages not covered by Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

14 **Section 3. Expenditure Authority.** The Resident Director of Public Works for the
15 First Senatorial District shall be the expenditure authority of the funds appropriated by this
16 Act. The funds appropriated by this Act shall not be reprogrammed nor subject of fiscal year
17 limitation.

18 **Section 4. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or the application of any such
19 provision to any person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent

1 jurisdiction, the remainder of this Act or the application of its provisions to persons or
2 circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

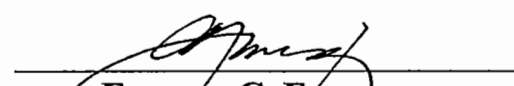
3 **Section 5. Savings Clause.** This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be
4 construed as affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes
5 repealed or under any rule, regulation, or order adopted under the statutes. Repealers
6 contained in this Act shall not affect any proceeding instituted under or pursuant to prior law.
7 The enactment of the Act shall not have the effect of terminating, or in any way modifying,
8 any liability, civil or criminal, which shall already be in existence on the date this Act
9 becomes effective.

10 **Section 6. Effective Date.** This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the
11 Governor or becoming law without such approval.

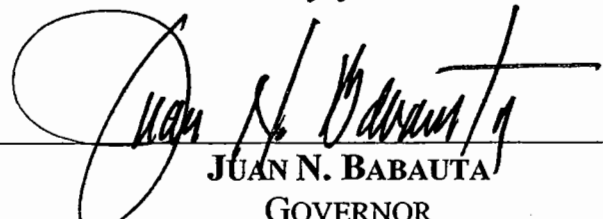
CERTIFIED BY:


BENIGNO R. FITIAL
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

ATTESTED TO BY:


EVELYN C. FLEMING
HOUSE CLERK

Approved on this 22nd day of July, 2005


JUAN N. BABAUTA
GOVERNOR
COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS