

Public Law 106-564
106th Congress

An Act

To establish a standard time zone for Guam and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and for other purposes.

Dec. 23, 2000

[H.R. 3756]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. TIME ZONE ESTABLISHED.

(a) IN GENERAL.—The first section of the Act of March 19, 1918 (15 U.S.C. 261; commonly known as the Calder Act) is amended—

(1) in the first sentence, by striking “eight zones” and inserting “nine zones”; and

(2) in the second sentence—

(A) by striking “; and that of the eighth” and inserting “; that of the eighth”; and

(B) by inserting before the period the following: “; and that of the ninth zone on the one hundred and fiftieth meridian of longitude east from Greenwich.”.

(b) NAME OF ZONE.—Section 4 of the Act of March 19, 1918 (15 U.S.C. 263; commonly known as the Calder Act) is amended—

(1) by striking “and that of the eighth” and inserting “that of the eighth”; and

(2) by inserting before the period the following: “; and that of the ninth zone shall be known as Chamorro standard time”.

(c) DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME.—Section 7 of the Uniform Time Act of 1966 (15 U.S.C. 267) is amended by inserting “Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands,” after “Puerto Rico.”.

Approved December 23, 2000.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—H.R. 3756:

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