

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,”.

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**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—H.R. 3756:**

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