

AN ACT

PROHIBITING THE COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION OF FILMS CONTAINING SPECIFIED SEXUAL ACTIVITIES AND ANATOMICAL AREAS TO PERSONS UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OLD; REQUIRING PUBLIC POSTING AT THEATRE ENTRANCES OF SUCH FILMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TRUK DISTRICT LEGISLATURE THAT:

Section 1. Amendment. Title 27 of the Truk District Code is amended by the addition of the following Chapter:

"CHAPTER 9

Exhibition of Adult Films

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Section 201. Purpose. The purpose of this Chapter is to protect residents of Truk District from unwilling exposure to possibly offensive sexual materials contained in motion pictures commercially exhibited and to protect children from such materials.

Section 202. Adult Films.

(1) An adult film as defined by this Chapter is a motion picture containing material distinguished or characterized by an emphasis on matter depicting, describing or relating to specified sexual activities or specified anatomical area.

(a) For the purpose of this Section, specified sexual activities is defined as:

- (i) Human genitals in a state of sexual stimulation or arousal;
- (ii) Acts of human masturbation, sexual intercourse or sodomy;
- (iii) Fondling or other erotic touching of human genitals, pubic region, buttock or femal breast.

(b) For the purpose of this Section, specified anatomical areas is defined as:

(i) Less than completely and opaquely covered human genitals, pubic region and female buttock;

(ii) Human male genitals in a discernibly, turgid state, even if completely and opaquely covered.

Section 203. Exhibition Posting. No motion picture exhibitor shall commercially exhibit adult films without posting signs in English and Trukese at all entrances to the theatre or place of exhibition which shall state the film exhibited is an adult film and that no persons under eighteen years of age shall be allowed admission.

Section 204. Criminal Penalty. Any motion picture exhibitor who violates Section 203 of this Chapter or who willfully and knowingly allows persons under eighteen years of age admission to a commercial exhibition of an adult film shall be guilty of unlawfully exhibiting adult films and upon conviction thereof shall be imprisoned for a period of not more than six months or fined not more than one hundred dollars, or both."

Section 2. Effective Date. This Act shall take effect on September 1, 1976, upon its approval by the District Administrator, Truk, or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Signed by: Koichi Sana
Koichi Sana, Speaker
Truk District Legislature

Date: 7/29/76

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Truk District Legislature

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Date: 8/18/76