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AN ACT to give the authority to any Local Government Councils the jurisdiction to enact local ordinance prescribing different curfew hours for Juveniles as necessary.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE NITIJELA OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS

§101. Short Title.

This Act may be cited as the *Juvenile Procedure (Amendment) Act 2018*.

§102. Amendment.

Section 312 of the Juvenile Procedure Act shall be amended to read as follows:

§312. Curfew Hours for Juveniles.

(1) No person under eighteen (18) years of age shall be allowed on the streets or at any facility or public places between the hours of 10:00 p.m. in the evening and 6:00 a.m. in the morning from Monday through Sunday.

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§312A. Local jurisdiction

Nothing in Section 312 shall prevent any Local Government from enacting Ordinance that would otherwise prescribe different curfew hours in their own local jurisdiction in accordance with its circumstances.

§103. **Effective date.**

This Act shall take effect on the date of certification in accordance with the Constitution and the Rules of Procedures for the Nitijela.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify:

1. That Nitijela Bill No: 169ND1 was passed by the Nitijela of the Republic of the Marshall Islands on the 25th day of September 2019; and
2. That I am satisfied that Nitijela Bill No: 169ND1 was passed in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Constitution of the Republic of the Marshall Islands and the Rules of Procedures of the Nitijela.

I hereby place my signature before the Clerk this 1st day of October 2019.

Attest:



Hon. Kenneth A. Kedi

Speaker

Nitijela of the Marshall Islands



Morean S. Watak

Clerk

Nitijela of the Marshall Islands

