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Section 403. Upon the effective date of this section and until such time as they may by law be made inapplicable (except as herein otherwise provided) the following laws will be applicable to the Northern Mariana Islands:

(a) The laws of the United States expressly made applicable to the Northern Mariana Islands.

(b) The existing laws of the United States applicable to the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands;

(c) The laws of the United States applicable in the territory of Guam as well as in the several states in the same manner and to the same extent those laws are of general applicability;

(d) The laws of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, of the Marianas District Legislature and local municipalities, and all other executive and district orders of a local nature now applicable to the Mariana Islands District, and not inconsistent with the laws of the United States set forth in subsection (a) to (c), will remain in force and effect until repealed unless repealed by the Government of the Northern Mariana Islands.

The term "laws of the United States" includes statutes, joint resolutions, treaties and Executive Agreements, proclamations, Executive Orders, judicial decisions, and regulations issued by the several departments, agencies, and regulatory commissions.