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BILL STATUS

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES	NOTES
12-36 (COR)	Joe S. San Agustin	AN ACT TO AMEND §§ 7.111 AND 7.112 OF ARTICLE 5; AND § 7.86 (b)(2)(A) OF ARTICLE 4, ALL OF CHAPTER 7, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; RELATIVE TO EXPANDING THE "CASTLE DOCTRINE" JUSTIFICATION FOR ACTS OF SELF DEFENSE AND ELIMINATING THE REQUIREMENT OF RETREATING BEFORE THE USE OF FORCE IN THE FACE OF IMMINENT DANGER.	1/6/21 10:49 a.m.	1/13/21	Committee on Health, Land, Justice, and Culture			Request: 1/13/21 Waiver: 1/19/21	



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To: **Rennae Meno**
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From: **Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes**
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Re: **Fiscal Note Waiver**

Buenas yan Háfa adai.

Attached, please find the fiscal note waiver for the following bill:

Bill No. 8-36 (COR)
Bill No. 12-36 (COR)

Please forward the same to Management Information Services (MIS) for posting on our website.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Mary Maravilla, Committee on Rules Director at 472-2461.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.





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Hafa Adai! Vice Speaker Muña Barnes:

The Bureau requests that Bill No. 12-36 (COR) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

Legislative Bill No. 12-36 is seeking to amend §§ 7.111 and 7.112 of Article 5; and §7.86(b)(2)(A) of Article 4, all of Chapter 7, Title 9, Guam Code Annotated. The two primary intentions of the Bill are to adopt the "Stand Your Ground" Rule, which is an expansion of the "Castle Doctrine", to lift the requirement for a person to retreat before being able to act with force in self-defense and to expand the realm of the "Doctrine Act" from only applicable to an individual's home, to now include their workplace, vehicle, and any place he or she has a right to be in.

The proposed amendments are administrative in nature and would not fiscally impact the appropriations for FY 2021.

Si Yu'us Ma'ase,

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