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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
233-36 (LS)	V. Anthony Ada Frank Blas Jr. Joanne Brown Christopher M. Dueñas Telo T. Taitague Mary Camacho Torres	AN ACT TO <i>AMEND</i> §7.58(c) OF ARTICLE, 2CHAPTER 7, TITLE 9 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO HOLDING PERSONS CRIMINALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR CRIMES COMMITTED AFTER INTENTIONALLY CONSUMING ALCOHOL AND OTHER SUBSTANCES BY REPEALING THE LIMITATIONS OF THE INTOXICATION DEFENSE.	12/10/21 10:59 a.m.	12/15/21	Committee on Health, Land, Justice, and Culture			Request: 12/16/21 Waiver: 12/20/21	



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To: **Rennae Meno**
Clerk of the Legislature

From: **Senator Amanda L. Shelton**
Acting Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Re: **Fiscal Note Waiver for Bill No. 233-36 (LS)**

Håfa adai,

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

Bill No. 233-36 (LS)

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. 233-36(LS) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

Bill No. 233-36(LS) is an act to amend § 7.58(c) of Article 2, Chapter 7, Title 9 Guam Code Annotated relative to the expansion of the definition of *mens rea* (criminal intent) for crimes committing while intoxicated (alcohol/controlled substances). According to the bill's legislative findings and intent, the *mens rea* caps crimes committed while intoxicated at "reckless," which limits the criminal culpability of severe offenses like *assault, criminal sexual assault or homicide*. It is the Legislature's intent to remove defenses or limitations on these criminal offenses.

This bill is administrative in nature and poses no fiscal impact upon any funds of the Government of Guam.

Senseramente,

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