

*I Mina'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*  
**BILL STATUS**

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES	NOTES
225-35 (COR)	Telena Cruz Nelson Joe S. San Agustin Jose "Pedro" Terlaje	AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 21 OF CHAPTER XII OF PUBLIC LAW 35-36 AND TO ADD A NEW § 72110 OF CHAPTER 72, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED TO APPROPRIATE FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$525,000) TO THE GUAM FIRE DEPARTMENT FROM FISCAL YEAR 2019 LAPSES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE GUAM FIRE DEPARTMENT TO CONDUCT A NEW FIRE RECRUIT CYCLE FOR THE NEXT TWO (2) FISCAL YEARS.	10/23/19 4:00 p.m.						

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2019 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. *725*-35 (COR)

Introduced by:

Telena Cruz Nelson  
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1           **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

2           **Section 1.** *I Maga'Hagan Guahan* is authorized to transfer a sum of Five  
3 Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$525,000) from the Fiscal Year 2019's  
4 General Fund lapses for the purpose outlined in Section 3.

5           **Section 2.** Section 21 of Chapter XII of Public Law 35-36 is *amended* to  
6 read:

7                   **Section 21. Authorization to Utilize Lapse Funds from Fiscal**  
8 **Year 2019.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, *I Maga'hågan*  
9 *Guåhan* is hereby authorized to recruit and hire public safety personnel for  
10 the Guam Police Department, Guam Fire Department, and the Department  
11 of Corrections using lapse funds from Fiscal Year 2019.

1           **Section 3.** A new § 72110 of Chapter 72, Title 10, Guam Code Annotated,  
2 is hereby *added* to read:

3           **“§ 72110. Fire Recruit Cycle for Fiscal Years 2020 and 2021.**

4           The Guam Fire Department shall conduct a fire recruit cycle for a  
5 minimum of fifteen (15) candidates for the next two (2) fiscal years,  
6 beginning on Fiscal Year 2020 and ending Fiscal Year 2021. Allocation for  
7 the fire recruit cycle is as follows:

8           (a) Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$525,000) from the  
9 Fiscal Year 2019’s lapses shall be appropriated to the Guam Fire  
10 Department’s fire recruit cycle during Fiscal Year 2020.

11           (b) The Fire Chief shall, for Fiscal Years 2021, determine the total  
12 cost to conduct a fire recruitment cycle of at least fifteen (15)  
13 candidates, which he shall transmit his proposed budget for Fiscal  
14 Year 2021 to I Maga’Hågan Guåhan for inclusion in the  
15 Executive Budget request that I Maga’Hågan Guåhan submits  
16 annually to I Liheslaturan Guåhan.

17           **Section 4. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to  
18 any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such  
19 invalidity *shall not* affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be  
20 given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the  
21 provisions of this Act are severable.