

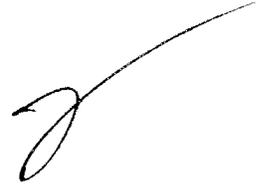
I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Committee on Rules
Resolution No. 1 (COR)

Introduced by:

v. c. pangelinan



Relative to Amending Rule VI, Section 6.04.06, *I Mina Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guahan* Standing Rules.

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I***
2 ***MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*:**

WHEREAS, Rule VI, Section 6.04.06, *I Mina Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guahan* Standing Rules is hereby amended to read:

3 **"Section 6.04.06. Amendments.** No bill introduced, considered or
4 passed by the Guam Legislature, or any of its members, shall contain more
5 than one (1) subject matter, and shall not contain unrelated subjects or pertain
6 to multiple projects, except for one (1) annual budget bill and one (1)
7 supplement to the annual budget bill per fiscal year; except that, the
8 succeeding Guam Legislature may, on the year it commences, may introduce,
9 consider and pass, one (1) supplement to the annual budget bill for that fiscal
10 year, whose subject and contents may be exempted from this Section. 2

1 G.C.A. 2108(a). Unrelated subjects on an annual budget bill or a supplement
2 to the annual budget bill shall have the subject matter of a bill, which has been
3 discussed at a duly noticed public hearing, unless the public hearing is
4 waived due to the existence of emergency conditions involving danger to the
5 public health or safety consistent with 2GCA 2103. A Member may challenge
6 the germaneness of an amendment matter at any time prior to Third Reading.
7 The Speaker may rule *sua sponte* at anytime prior to Third Reading, that an
8 amendment is *not* germane. Any amendments or matters in violation of this
9 Section which are so ruled by the Speaker to be non-germane shall be out of
10 order and shall *not* be considered by *I Liheslaturan Guahan unless I Liheslaturan*
11 *Guahan* overrules the decision of the Presiding Officer in the manner provided
12 by for these Rules. A decision of the Presiding Officer that an amendment or
13 matter is germane may also be challenged, and if the challenge is successful,
14 such amendment or matter shall *not* be considered by the Body.”

15 **NOW THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED,** that *I Mina'Trenta Na*
16 *Liheslaturan Guahan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam amend Rule
17 VI, Section 6.04.06, *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guahan* Standing Rules be it
18 further

1 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the
2 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be
3 thereafter transmitted to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahren*
4 *Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA
LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE ____ DAY OF _____ 2009.**

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature