

*I Mina'Trentai Kuáttro Na Liheslaturan*  
**BILL STATUS**

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES	NOTES
137-34 (LS)	Therese M. Terlaje	AN ACT TO ADD A NEW § 30122 TO CHAPTER 30 OF TITLE 5, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, AND TO AMEND SECTION 3 OF CHAPTER VII OF PUBLIC LAW 33-185, RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO PROCURE EXPERTS IN FEDERAL LITIGATION CASES ON BEHALF OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAM, TO FUND SUCH COSTS.	6/30/17 2:33 p.m.	07/10/17	Committee on Appropriations and Adjudication				



## COMMITTEE ON RULES

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### MEMO

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

**Attorney Julian Aguon**  
Legislative Legal Counsel

**From:** **Senator Régine Biscoe Lee**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

**Re:** **Referral of Bill No. 137-34 (LS)**

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*Buenas yan Håfa adai.*

As per my authority as Chairperson of the Committee on Rules and subject to § 6.01(d)(1), Rule VI of our Standing Rules (see B(2) and B(3) of the pre-referral checklist), I am forwarding the referral of **Bill No. 137-34 (LS)**.

Please ensure that the subject bill is referred, in my name, to Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz, Chairperson of the Committee on Appropriations and Adjudication. I also request that the same be forwarded to the prime sponsor of the subject bill.

After committee review, the subject bill may be further referred by the Committee on Appropriations to the Principal Committee of subject matter jurisdiction, pursuant to § 6.01(d)(1), Rule VI of our Standing Rules. If the Committee on Appropriations determines that a subsequent referral is in order, the Committee on Rules respectfully advises that the subject bill be referred to Vice Speaker Therese M. Terlaje, Chairperson of the Committee on Culture and Justice.

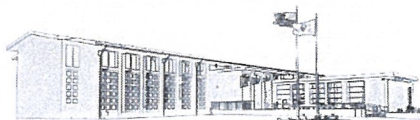
Attached, please see the COR pre-referral checklist for your information, which shall be attached as a committee report item to the bill.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Jeanenne Cordero at 472-3455.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Respectfully,

  
**Senator Régine Biscoe Lee**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules





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## PRE-REFERRAL CHECKLIST

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<b>(A) Legal Bureau</b>	<b>(1) One subject matter?</b> [SR § 6.01(a), 2 GCA § 2108(a)] <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Return to Prime Sponsor)  <b>(2) Conform to Standing Rules as to form and style?</b> [SR §§ 6.02(b) and (d), 6.03(d)] <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Return to Prime Sponsor)	<b>Notice to Legal Bureau:</b> <u>7/3/17 2:09 p.m.</u>  <b>Completed by Legal Bureau:</b> <u>7/7/17 4:04 p.m.</u>
<b>(B) Office of Finance &amp; Budget (OFB)</b>	<b>(1) Does the Bill contain appropriations or authorizations for appropriations from any fund sources?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO  <b>(2) Does the Bill contain an authorization to expend government funds?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> N/A  <b>(3) Does the Bill contain provisions that have <u>potential</u> fiscal impacts on the government of Guam budget?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	<b>Notice to OFB:</b> <u>7/3/17 2:09 p.m.</u>  <b>Completed by OFB:</b> <u>7/7/17 3:54 p.m.</u>
<b>COR Action</b>	<b>Is the fiscal impact revenue negative to the government of Guam budget?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES (Refer to Committee on Appropriations) <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	<b>Completed by:</b> <u></u>





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#### (C) DEBT

<b>(1) SR § 6.01 (b)(1)(A)</b> Land, Infrastructure, Building Projects, Capital Improvement Projects	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Return to Prime Sponsor)	<b>Received by:</b> (Signature, Date & Time) 7-10-17 @ 1010  <b>Completed by:</b> (Signature, Date & Time) 
<b>(2) SR § 6.01 (b)(1)(B)</b> Refinancing of existing debt (not less than 2%)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Return to Prime Sponsor)	
<b>(3) SR § 6.01 (b)(2)</b> Authorize public debt to fund operations of agency, instrumentality, public corporation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> YES (Return to Prime Sponsor) <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> Waived (per official state of emergency, as attached)	
<b>COR Action</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Return to Prime Sponsor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Refer to: 	<b>Date &amp; Time:</b> 

<b>For COR Office Use Only</b>	<b>Pursuant to COR decision (COR Meeting, April 3, 2017):</b>  Completed within five (5) working days? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	<b>Initial:</b>   <b>If NO:</b> Provide letter of explanation (see attached).
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