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BILL STATUS

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	FISCAL NOTES	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
276-37 (LS)	Chris Barnett Sabina Flores Perez Joanne M. Brown	AN ACT TO <i>ADD</i> A NEW PARAGRAPH (e) TO § 3103 OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO REQUIRING ALL REPORTS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION TO THE GUAM EDUCATION BOARD BE POSTED ON THE GUAM DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WEBSITE.	4/19/24 3:42 p.m.	4/23/24	Committee on Education, Public Safety and the Arts	Request: 4/23/24 Waiver: 4/30/24			



COMMITTEE ON RULES

Senator Chris Barnett, Chairperson
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37th Guam Legislature

April 30, 2024

To: **Joaquin P. Taitague**
Clerk of the Legislature

From: **Senator Chris Barnett** 
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Subject: **Fiscal Note Waiver for Bill No. 276-37 (LS)**

Håfa Adai yan Biba Guåhan!

Find the attached, Fiscal Note Waiver for the following bill:

Bill No. 276-37 (LS).

I also request that the same be sent to the respective Chairperson of the Standing Committee, to which this bill has been referred. Kindly forward the same to Management Information Services (MIS) for posting on our website.





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Hafa Adai! Senator Barnett:

The Bureau requests that Bill No. 276-37 (LS) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229, as amended for the following reason(s):

Bill No. 276-37 (LS) is an act to add a new paragraph (r) to § 3103 of Chapter 3, of Title 17, Guam Code Annotated relative requiring all reports of the Superintendent of Education to the Guam Education Board be posted on the Guam Department of Education Website.

According to comments received from the Superintendent of the Guam Department of Education (GDOE), the fiscal impact of the Bill 276-37 (LS) is negligible and that the GDOE is already providing these documents referenced on its website. However, there is a concern over the timeline because the Superintendent's report must be submitted to the Board 72 hours prior to the scheduled meeting and that could result in a problem with timing. Further, though the entire packet is published, action item vote results will not appear in the minutes until the following month to reflect approval of the minutes. The packets are located at <https://www.gdoe.net/District/Department/19-Guam-Education-Board/1844-Reporting-Requirements.html>. Also, the Superintendent notes that the proposed Bill is redundant and reflects what GDOE already do by policy and SOP.

The Bureau has determined that the Bill is administrative in nature and poses no additional fiscal impact upon any of the funds of the Government of Guam.

Senseramente,

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