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The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Speaker

Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
155 Hessler Street
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

30-10-0222

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 236-30 (COR) "AN ACT TO AMEND §6217 OF CHAPTER 6 OF TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ENSURING THAT THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES WHO WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY" which I signed into law on March 11, 2010 as **Public Law 30-105**.

Sinseru yan Magåhet,

MICHAEL W. CRUZ, M.D.

I Maga'låhen Guåhan para pa'go Acting Governor of Guahan

Attachment: copy of Bill

#### I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

#### CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN

This is to certify that Bill No. 236-30 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND §6217 OF CHAPTER 6 OF TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES WHO WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY," was on the 26th day of February, 2010, duly and regularly passed.

P.L. 30-105

Public Law No.

#### I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2009 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 236-30 (COR)

As amended on the Floor.

Introduced By:

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Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.
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T. C. Ada
F. B. Aguon, Jr.
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T. R. Muña Barnes

AN ACT TO AMEND §6217 OF CHAPTER 6 OF TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES WHO WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent: I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds that working beyond the confines of a normal eight-to-five day places significant stress upon workers and their family by keeping parents away from their children during critical family time. I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that employees who are required to work during these family-unfriendly hours should be

1 compensated for this loss of quality family time. I Liheslaturan Guåhan further

2 finds that the current practice of paying workers a night differential *only* when they

3 work for a minimum of four (4) consecutive hours is inherently unfair to workers.

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managers who may schedule workers so that they only work three (3) hours at

6 "night" so as to keep them from receiving night differential pay, thus encouraging

managers to attempt to balance the budget of their respective agency on the backs

of the workers.

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It is, therefore, the intent of *I Liheslatura* to amend §6217 of Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, in order to compensate Guam's public servants who work outside of normal family-friendly hours with night differential pay for each and every hour that these persons log on the job.

**Section 2.** §6217 of Chapter 6, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

"§6217. Night Differential Pay. All employees of the government of Guam, except the department or agency heads and the Deputy Directors, shall be entitled to night differential pay, calculated at the rate of their regular wage plus ten percent (10%), for all periods worked between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m."



### I MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

Date: 2/26/10

#### **VOTING SHEET**

Bill No. <u>236-30(COR)</u>					
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**CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:** 

Clerk of the Legislature

\* 3 Passes = No vote EA = Excused Absence



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October 26, 2009

The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D

Speaker

I Mina Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guahan 155 Hesler Street

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VIA: The Honorable Rory J. Respicio

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Buenas yan Hafa Adai Madam Speaker,

The Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology, to which was referred: Bill No. 236-30 (COR) "AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4 GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY" hereby reports out it findings and recommendations.

The voting record is as follows:

TO PASS

**NOT TO PASS** 

TO REPORT OUT

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Copies of the Committee Report and other pertinent documents are attached. Thank You for your attention in this matter

Senseframente,

Chairman.

Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology

# COMMITTEE REPORT ON

BILL NO. 236-30 (COR) (Matt Rector, A. B. Palacios Sr., T.R. Muna-Barnes, R.J. Respicio)

"AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4 GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY".



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October 26, 2009

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Members

Committee on Labor, the Public, Structure, Public Libraries, and Technology.

FROM:

Chairman, Matthew Rector

Committee on Labor, the Public, Structure, Public Libraries, and Technology.

SUBJECT: Committee Report on Bill No. 236-30 (COR)

Transmitted herewith for your information and action is the committee report on Bill No. 236-30 (COR) - "AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4 GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE **NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY"** 

This Memorandum is accompanied by the following:

- 1. Voting Sheet
- 2. Bill No. 236-30 (COR) as Introduced
- 3. Sign-in Sheet
- 4. Committee Report Digest
- 5. Written Testimonies
- 6. Notices of Public Hearing

Please take appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should there be any questions regarding this matter, please contact my office at 734-6288.

Sehseramente,

MAYT RECTOR Chairman.

Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology

#### I MINA TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN

#### **Committee Voting Sheet**

# Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology.

Bill No. 236-30(COR) – "AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4 GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY".

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#### **COMMITTEE REPORT ON:**

Bill No. 236-30 (COR) - "AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4 GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE **NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY"** 

#### Overview T.

The Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology convened for a public hearing on Tuesday, October 6, 2009 at 9:00 AM at the I Liheslaturan Guahan, Hagatna public hearing room. Notice of all hearings was disseminated to all local media outlets via electronic mail on Tuesday, September 29, 2009 and Monday, October 2, 2009 as required by Guam Open Government Law, copies of which are attached to said report. Notice of said events was also displayed upon the Guam Legislature's website www.guamlegislature.com/calendar.htm.

#### **Committee members/Senators Present:**

**Senator Matthew Rector Chairman** Senator Adolpho Palacios, Sr. Vice Chairman

#### **Summary of Testimony** II.

Senator Matt Rector: Senator Matt Rector Starts the Hearing at 9:00 AM, and reads the title of Bill No. 236.

There being no oral or written testimony received, the Chairman indicated that the committee will continue to receive written testimonies for the next (10) days.

There being no comments or discussion, the chairman concluded the public hearing on Bill **No. 236-30 (COR)** as duly heard.

#### III. **Findings and Recommendations**

The Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology, to which was referred Bill No. 236-30(COR) recommends to PASS Bill No. 236-30 (COR) As Introduced: - "AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4 GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY".

I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2009 (FIRST) Regular Session

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Bill No. ( )

Introduced By:

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during these family unfriendly hours should be compensated for this loss of

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ninimum of four consecutive hours is inherently unfair to workers.

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by managers who may schedule workers so that they only work three hours at

"night" so as to keep them from receiving night differential pay, thus

encouraging managers to attempt to balance the budget of their respective

agency on the backs of the workers. It is therefore the intent of I Liheslatura

to amend § 6217 of 4 GCA in order to compensate the Guam's public

servants that work outside of normal family friendly hours with Night

Differential Pay for each and every hour that these persons log on the job.

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- 4 heads and the Deputy Directors, shall be entitled to night differential pay,
- 5 calculated at the rate of their regular wage plus ten percent (10%), for all
- periods worked between the hours of 6 p.m. and <u>7 a.m.</u> [6 a.m., provided they
- 7 work a minimum of more than four (4) consecutive hours within that time
- 8 period.]"

# SENATOR MATT RECTOR

CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON LABOR, THE PUBLIC STRUCTURE, PUBLIC LIBARIES AND TECHNOLOGY PUBLIC HEARING SIGN-IN SHEET

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SENATOR RORY J. RESPICIO Chairperson

September 28, 2009

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Senator

Judith P. Guthertz Vice Chairperson

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Matthew Rector SENATOR

MINORITY MEMBERS:

Frank F. Blas, Jr. SENATOR

James V. Espaldon Senator **MEMORANDUM** 

To:

**Pat Santos** 

Clerk of the Legislature

Attorney Therese M. Terlaje Legislative Legal Counsel

From:

Senator Rory J. Respicio

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Subject:

Referral of Bills No. 236-30(COR)

As Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bills No. 236-30(COR).

Please ensure that the subject bill is referred, in my name, to the respective committee, as shown on the attachment. I also request that the same be forwarded to all Senators of *I Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Should you have any questions, please contact Stephanie Mendiola or Elaine V. Tajalle at 472-7679.

Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!

(1) Attachment

# I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guâhan Bill Log Sheet Page 1 of 1

Bill No.	Sponsor(s)	Title	Date Intro	Date Referred	Committee Referred	Public Hearing Date	Date Committee Report Filed	Status (Date)
236-30 (COR)	Matt Rector, T.R. Muña Barnes, A.B. Palacios, Sr., R.J. Respicio	AN ACT TO AMEND \$6217 OF 4 GCA 9/25/09 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING 3:32 THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT P.m. DIFFERENTIAL PAY.	9/25/09 3:32 p.m.	6/28/06	Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology			



SENATOR MATT RECTOR

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September 29, 2009

To: All Senators/Members

From: Senator Matthew Rector, Chairperson,

Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology

Subject: Notification of Public Hearing (First Notice)

Re: Bill No's. B236 (COR), B227 (COR), B221 (LS), B211 (LS), B209 (LS), B208 (LS), B200 (COR)

Please be advised that the Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology will be conducting a Public Hearing on Tuesday, October 6, 2009 in the Legislative Public Hearing Room, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

On the **AGENDA** are the following:

**Bill No. B236-30 (COR)** – Matt Rector / T.R. Muna-Barnes / A.B. Palacios, Sr. / R.J. Respicio An act to amend §6217 of 4 GCA for the purpose of ensuring that public employees that work at night receive night differential pay.

Bill No. B227-30 (COR) - A.B. Palacios, Sr.

An act to authorize hazardous pay to Parole Officers who perform the duty of supervising and counseling parolees by amending 4 GCA §6222 (a); and to authorize hazardous pay to employees of the Department of Corrections who perform duties, which if performed by other law enforcement or public safety officers would entitle such officers would entitle such officers to hazardous pay, by adding a new Item (1) to §6222 (a).

Bill No. B221-30 (LS) - A.B. Palacios, Sr.

An act to amend 4 GCA §4109(a) relative to eliminating annual leave for judges and justices.

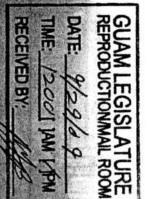
Bill No. B211-30 (LS) - A.B. Palacios, Sr. / J.V. Espaldon

An act relative to preserving the independence of the Office of Public Accountability by restoring the Public Auditor's authority to hire a Deputy Public Auditor and Secretary and the protection against the reduction of the salaries of the staff of the Office of Public Accountability by amending Subsection (b) Section 1907 of Title 1 of the Guam Code Annotated and adding a new Subsection (c) to Section 1907 of Title 1 of the Guam Code Annotated.

Bill No. B209-30 (LS) - J.P. Guthertz, DPA / R.J. Respicio

An Act to amend § 13102 (a) of Chapter 13 of Title 4, Guam Code Annotated, to expand its definition, and to add a new sub item (4) to item (a) of § 13102 to require all persons or public officials that have authority to enter into binding contracts on behalf of the government of Guam or any of its departments, agencies, autonomous entities and public corporations to comply with the Public Official Financial Disclosure Act of the government of Guam.

Bill No. B208-30 (LS) – A.B. Palacios, Sr. / F.B. Aguon, Jr. / Telo Taitague
An act relative to clarifying the restrictions established on the recruitment or compensation of
government of Guam personnel above Step 10 of the Compensation Schedule; through
amending Section 6205.2 of Chapter 6, Title 4, Guam Code Annotated.



SENATOR TELO TAITAGUE

Bill No. B200-30 (COR) - A.B. Palacios, Sr.

An act to adjust the compensation for the Attorney General of Guam to be comparable and equitable with other legal officer positions of the government of Guam by amending §30116(a) Chapter 30, Title 5 Guam Code Annotated; and to repeal §30116(b), Chapter 30, Title 5 Guan Code Annotated.

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I look forward to your attendance during this hearing. Should you have any questions suggestions or comments concerning the hearing, please feel free to share them with me.

Si Yu'os Ma'ase!

CC:

All Senators Sergeant At Arms MIS Clerk of the Legislature

Senseramente,

MATT RECTOR

#### **Rhad Sutacio**

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Subject:

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: Senator Matthew Rector Committee on Labor,

Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE September 29, 2009 Notice of Public Hearing (First Notice)

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Please contact 734-MATT (6288) for more information.

#### Fred Burgos

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October 2, 2009

To: All Senators/Members

From: Senator Matthew Rector, Chairperson,

Committee on Labor, the Public Structure, Public Libraries and Technology

Subject: Notification of Public Hearing (Second Notice)

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I look forward to your attendance during this hearing. Should you have any questions suggestions or comments concerning the hearing, please feel free to share them with me.

Si Yu'os Ma'ase!

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I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2009 (FIRST) Regular Session

936-30(cor) Bill No. ( )

**Introduced By:** 

MATT RECTOR

AN ACT TO AMEND § 6217 OF 4—GCA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENSURING THAT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES THAT WORK AT NIGHT RECEIVE NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL PAY.

#### 1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

#### 2 Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent:

I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds that working beyond the confines of a normal eight to five day places significant stress upon a worker and their family by keeping parents away from their children during critical family time. I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds employees that are required to work during these family unfriendly hours should be compensated for this loss of quality family time. I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that the current practice of paying workers a night differential only when they work for a minimum of four consecutive hours is inherently unfair to workers. Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that the current practice is subject to abuse by managers who may schedule workers so that they only work three hours at "night" so as to keep them from receiving night differential pay, thus encouraging managers to attempt to balance the budget of their respective agency on the backs of the workers. It is therefore the intent of I Liheslatura to amend § 6217 of 4 GCA in order to compensate the Guam's public servants that work outside of normal family friendly hours with Night Differential Pay for each and every hour that these persons log on the job.

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- 1 Section 2. § 6217 of 4 GCA is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 2 "§ 6217. Night Differential Pay.
- 3 All employees of the government of Guam, except the department or agency
- 4 heads and the Deputy Directors, shall be entitled to night differential pay,
- 5 calculated at the rate of their regular wage plus ten percent (10%), for all
- periods worked between the hours of 6 p.m. and <u>7 a.m.</u> [6 a.m., provided they
- 7 work a minimum of more than four (4) consecutive hours within that time
- 8 period.]"