# **EDDIE BAZA CALVO**Governor



RAY TENORIO
Lieutenant Governor

Office of the Governor of Guam

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December 10, 2012

Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Speaker I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910 31-12-197 Office of the Speaker Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D. 2012 DEC 1 1 AM 10: 30

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 477-31 (COR) "AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS", which I signed into law on December 6, 2012 as **Public Law 31-238**.

Senseramente,

EDDIE BAZA CALVO

Attachment: copy of Bill

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# I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Bill No. 477-31 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS", was on the 26th day of November, 2012, duly and regularly passed.

Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this 38-12 day of Nov., 2012, at Ssistant Staff Officer

APPROVED:

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EDWARD J.B. CALVO
I Maga'lahen Guåhan
DEC 0 6 2012

Public Law No. 31-238

# I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 477-31 (COR)

As amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.
T. C. Ada
V. A. Ada
F. F. Blas, Jr.
B. J.F. Cruz
Chris M. Dueñas
Judith P. Guthertz, DPA
Sam A. Mabini, Ph.D.
T. R. Muña Barnes
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AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds that
- 3 under the relevant statutes, the remittances arising from levies upon earnings must be
- 4 made through the court system in order to be transmitted to the judgment creditor.
- 5 Therefore, it is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to facilitate the ease and efficiency
- 6 of processing levies upon earnings, by amending §23112 and §23203 of Title 7,

Guam Code Annotated, to allow for remittances directly to the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's attorney.

**Section 2.** §23112 of Article 1, Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

# "§ 23112. Writ, By Whom and How Executed.

Except in the case of a levy on earnings, the marshal must execute the writ against the property of the judgment debtor, by levying on a sufficient amount of property, if there be sufficient, collecting or selling the things in action, and selling the other property and paying to the plaintiff or his attorney so much of the proceeds as will satisfy the judgment. Any excess in the proceeds over the judgment and accrued costs must be returned to the judgment debtor, unless otherwise directed by the judgment or order of the court. When there is more property of the judgment debtor than is sufficient to satisfy the judgment and accrued costs within the view of the marshal, he must levy only on such part of the property as the judgment debtor may indicate, if the property indicated be amply sufficient to satisfy the judgment and costs."

**Section 3.** §23203 of Article 2, Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

# "§ 23203. Payment by Debtor of Judgment Debtor.

(a) After the issuing of an execution against property and before its return, any person indebted to the judgment debtor may pay to the marshal the amount of his debt, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the execution, and the marshal's receipt is a sufficient discharge for the amount so paid.

(b) Notwithstanding Subsection (a), in the case of a levy on earnings, the employer *shall* remit the earnings levied upon directly to the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's attorney. Upon satisfaction of the judgment amount, the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's attorney *shall* file within thirty (30) days a satisfaction of judgment with the court and serve such document upon the employer."

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This provisions of this Act *shall* be effective upon enactment.



# I MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

Date: 11/26/12

# **VOTING SHEET**

Bill No. <u>477-31(COR)</u>	
Resolution No.	
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YAMASHITA, Aline A.	V				

CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

Clerk of the Legislature

\*3 Passes = No vote EA = Excused Absence



Thirty-First Guam Legislature

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# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY

I Mina'Trentai Uno Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR.

Chairman

August 2, 2012

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

Speaker

I Mina'Trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan

155 Hesler Place

Hagåtña, Guam 96910

VIA: The Honorable Rory J. Respicio

Chairman, Committee on Rules

RE: Committee Report on Bill No. 477-31 (COR).

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The Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement and Judiciary, to which was referred, BILL NO. 477-31 (COR) – "AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS", hereby reports out with the recommendation TO PASS.

Committee Votes are as follows:

<u>8</u> TO PASS

0 NOT TO PASS

2 TO REPORT OUT ONLY

0 INACTIVE FILE

Sincerely,

ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR., MPA, BS/CJA

Chairman

Attachments



# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY

I Mina'Trentai Uno Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR.

Chairman

# COMMITTEE REPORT ON Bill No. 477-31 (COR)

AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS.



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I Mina'Trentai Uno Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR.

Chairman

July 30, 2012

# **MEMORANDUM**

TO: ALL MEMBERS

Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement, & Judiciary

FROM: Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

Committee Chairman

SUBJECT: Committee Report on Bill No. 477-31 (COR).

Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report on BILL NO. 477-31 (COR) - AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS. – sponsored by Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

This report includes the following:

- Committee Voting Sheet
- Committee Report Digest
- Copy of Bill No. 477-31 (COR) as Introduced
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- · Copies of testimony submitted and supporting documents
- Fiscal Note for Bill No. 477-31 (COR)
- Copy of COR Referral of Bill No. 477-31 (COR)
- Notices of Public Hearing
- Copy of the Public Hearing Agenda
- Miscellaneous documents

Please take the appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact this office.

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# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY

I Mina'Trentai Uno Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR.

Chairman

# **COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET:**

BILL NO. 477-31 (COR) – AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS. – sponsored by Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

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# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY

I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR.

Chairman

# **COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST**

**Bill No. 477-31 (COR)** — "An Act to *amend* §23112 of Article 1 and §23203 of Article 2, both of Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, relative to levies on earnings." — authored by Chairman Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

# I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement and Judiciary ("Committee") convened the public hearing on July 13, 2011 at 9:05 a.m. in *I Liheslatura's* Public Hearing Room. Among the items on the agenda was the consideration of Bill No. 477-31 (COR) - "An Act to *amend* §23112 of Article 1 and §23203 of Article 2, both of Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, relative to levies on earnings", authored by Chairman Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

# **Public Hearing Requirements:**

Notices of the hearing were disseminated via facsimile and email to all senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on July 3 and July 6, 2012 (5-day Notice) and on July 10, 2012 (48-Hour notice) pursuant to meeting the requirements of the Open Government Law. Notice of the hearing was also posted on the Guam Legislature's website.

# **Senators Present:**

Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr., Chairman Vice-Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz Senator Aline Y. Yamashita, Member

# Individual(s) Registered for oral or written testimony:

Joshua F. Tenorio, Director of Policy Planning and Community Relations, Unified Judiciary of Guam, provided oral and written testimony, on behalf of Mr. Perry Taitano, Administrator of the Courts, in support of the Bill.

Bruce Bradley, Executive Director, Guam Bar Association, provided oral testimony in support of the Bill.

Geraldine Cepeda, Compiler of Laws, Unified Judiciary of Guam, provided oral testimony in support of the Bill.

# II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONIES

Chairman Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr., convened the public hearing at 9:05 a.m., read the agenda, recognized the Senators present, explained the procedures of the hearing, and provided brief opening remarks concerning Bill No. 477-31 (COR).

Chairman Palacios informed those in attendance that the introduction of Bill No. 477-31 (COR) was made at the request of the Unified Judiciary of Guam. Chairman Palacios recognized the importance of evaluating the efficiency of some of the current administrative processes within the Judiciary, such as payments made by debtors through an order of the Court.

Following his introductory remarks, Chairman Palacios recognized Mr. Joshua Tenorio, Director of Policy Planning and Community Relations for the Unified Judiciary of Guam, to provide testimony regarding Bill No. 477-31 (COR).

Mr. Tenorio thanked Chairman Palacios for his assistance in introducing the legislation and proceeded with reading the prepared remarks of Mr. Perry Taitano, Administrator of the Courts, in support of Bill No. 477-31 (COR).

In summary, Mr. Tenorio stated that an informal subcommittee on wage garnishment, which includes representatives from the private practice, Office of the Compiler of Laws, staff attorneys and administrators of the Unified Judiciary, has reviewed current statute pertinent to this matter. Mr. Tenorio informed the Committee that the informal subcommittee requests for 7GCA, §§23112 and 23203 to be amended so as to make clear that a wage garnishee is not required to remit earnings to the Marshal as opposed to the judgment creditor. Mr. Tenorio advised the Committee that current statute requires that the Marshal collect and then pay the plaintiff. Mr. Tenorio concluded by stating that the net effect of having the Marshal "collect" the money instead of allowing direct payment to the creditor or the creditor's attorney is inefficiency, delay and increased transaction costs.

Mr. Bruce Bradley, Executive Director of the Guam Bar Association, followed Mr. Tenorio's presentation and briefly commented in support of Bill No. 477-31 (COR). Mr. Bradley informed the Committee that the current process involving levies on earnings unfortunately involves delays for both creditors and debtors. Mr. Bradley suggested that the amendments proposed in Bill No. 477-31 (COR) will help streamline such process and ensure that debts owed to creditors are satisfied in a more timely manner, and that debtors are notified almost immediately after their obligations are satisfied.

Following Mr. Bradley's brief presentation, Chairman Palacios thanked him, Mr. Tenorio and Ms. Geraldine Cepeda, Compiler of Laws, for their participation at the public hearing. Chairman Palacios concluded the hearing by stating the importance of promoting accurate record keeping relative to the satisfaction of debts. Chairman Palacios applauded the efforts of the Unified Judiciary of Guam and specifically those made by the informal subcommittee to help streamline the process involving levies on earnings, which he believes will best serve both creditors and debtors.

Chairman Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr., concluded the public hearing at 9:30 a.m.

Chairman Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr., declared that Bill No. 477-31 (COR) has been duly heard and that the Committee would continue to receive written testimony following the hearing. The hearing was adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

# III. WRITTEN TESTIMONIES

**Perry C. Taitano**, Administrator of the Courts, Unified Judiciary of Guam. (Summarized in Section II)

No further written testimony was received within the ten- (10-) day period following the public hearing of Bill No. 477-31 (COR).

# IV. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION

The Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement and Judiciary hereby reports out **Bill No. 477-31 (COR)**, as introduced, with the recommendation **TO PASS**.

# MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 477-31 (COR)

Introduced by:

Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr. //

AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS.

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# 1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- 2 Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds
- 3 that under the relevant statutes, the remittances arising from levies upon
- 4 earnings must be made through the court system in order to be transmitted to
- 5 the judgment creditor. Therefore, it is the intent of I Liheslaturan Guåhan to
- 6 facilitate the ease and efficiency of processing levies upon earnings, by
- 7 amending §23112 and §23203 of Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, to allow for
- 8 remittances directly to the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's
- 9 attorney.
- Section 2. Section 23112 of Article 1, Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7,
- 11 Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

"Except in the case of a levy on earnings, the marshall must execute the writ against the property of the judgment debtor, by levying on a sufficient amount of property, if there be sufficient, collecting or selling the things in action, and selling the other property and paying to the plaintiff or his attorney so much of the proceeds as will satisfy the judgment. Any excess in the proceeds over the judgment and accrued costs must be returned to the judgment debtor, unless otherwise directed by the judgment or order of the court. When there is more property of the judgment debtor than is sufficient to satisfy the judgment and accrued costs within the view of the marshal, he must levy only on such part of the property as the judgment debtor may indicate, if the property indicated be amply sufficient to satisfy the judgment and costs."

**Section 3.** Section 23203 of Article 2, Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

# "§23203. Payment of Debtor of Judgment Debtor.

(a) After the issuing of an execution against property and before its return, any person indebted to the judgment debtor may pay to the marshal the amount of his debt, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the execution, and the marshal's receipt is a sufficient discharge for the amount so paid.

1	(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), in the case of a levy on
2	earnings, the employer shall remit the earnings levied
3	upon directly to the judgment creditor or the judgment
4	creditor's attorney. Upon satisfaction of the judgment
5	amount, the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's
6	attorney shall file a satisfaction of judgment with the
7	court and serve such document upon the employer."

Section 4. Effective Date. This Act shall be effective upon enactment.



# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY

I Mina Trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR. CHAIRMAN

# FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2012

BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES Bill No. 477-31 (COR) - AN ACT TO AMEND \$23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND \$23203 OF ARTICLE 2, ON EARNINGS. - sponsored by Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

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Bill No. 477-31 (COR)



# Judiciary of Guam

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS 120 WEST O'BRIEN DRIVE, HAGÅTŃA, GUAM 96910-5174 TEL: (671) 475-3544 / FAX: (671) 477-3184



ALBERTO C. LAMORENA III
PRESIDING JUDGE

PERRY C. TAITANO
ADMINISTRATOR OF THE COURTS

July 13, 2012

The Honorable Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr. Chairman
Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement, and Judiciary I Mina' Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
155 Hesler Place
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Chairman Palacios:

Thank you for introducing Bill No. 477-31(COR), AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS, at the request of the Judiciary.

If passed into law, Bill 477-31(COR) would amend 7 GCA 23112 and 23203 to make clear that a wage garnishee is not required to remit earnings to the marshal as opposed to the judgment creditor. Section 23112 currently requires that the marshal collect and then pay the plaintiff.

An informal subcommittee on wage garnishment procedures recommended the language contained in Bill 477-31(COR). The subcommittee is chaired by Justice Robert J. Torres and is made up of local debtor/creditor attorneys and judiciary staff. The members include Attorneys Oliver Bordallo, Mark Beggs, Terry Brooks, Charles McDonald, Michael Berman and Ray Haddock, Guam Bar Association Executive Director Bruce Bradley, Compiler of Laws Geri Cepeda, Superior Court Clerk of Court Richard Martinez, Deputy Clerk of Court Jessica Cruz and Court Controller Anthony Meno.

After looking closely at the statute, our subcommittee on wage garnishment concluded there was no discretion to allow direct payments to the judgment creditor rather than the marshal. The net effect of having the marshal "collect" the money instead of allowing direct payment to the creditor or the creditor's attorney is inefficiency, delay and increased transaction costs.

Our financial management division spends a significant amount of time each month processing payments with no direct benefit to the judiciary. Passage of this legislation would remove an unfunded mandate to perform these unnecessary services.

Senseramente,

Administrator of the Cour



# BUREAU OF BUDGET & MANAGEMENT RESEARCH OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Post Office Box 2950, Hagátña Guam 96932

EDDIE BAZA CALVO **GOVERNOR** 

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STEPHEN J. GUERRERO DEPUTY DIRECTOR

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Senator Rory J. Respicio Chairperson, Committee on Rules I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan The 31<sup>st</sup> Guam Legislature 155 Hesler Place Hagåtna, Guam 96932

Hafa Adai Senator Respicio:

Transmitted herewith are Fiscal Notes on the following Bill Nos.: 476-31(COR) and 477-31(COR).

If you have any question(s), please do not hesitate to call the office at 475-9412/9106.

**Enclosures** 

cc: Senator Vicente (ben) Pangelinan

# Bureau of Budget & Management Research Fiscal Note of Bill No. 477-31(COR)

AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS.

Dept./Agency Affected: Judiciary of Guam	Dept/Agency Head: Chief Justice, F.	DL:
Department's General Fund (GF) appropriation(s) to date:	Philip Carbullido	
Department's Other Fund (Specify) appropriation(s) to date:		24,738,59
Total Department/Agency Appropriation(s) to date:		145,000
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FY 2011 Unreserved Fund Balance <sup>1</sup>	General Fund:	(Specify Special Fund):	Total:
		\$0	
FY 2012 Adopted Revenues	\$0	\$0	
FY 2012 Appro. (P.L. 31-75 & 31-77)	\$0		
Sub-total:		\$0	
Less appropriation in Bill	\$0	50	
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Total:	\$0	SO	

	One Full Fiscal Year	For Remainder of FY 2012 (if applicable)	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	SO.	
(Specify Special Fund)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	S0 S0	
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Due to other budgetary priorities and impending deadline, insufficient time to coordinate with affected agency.

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# Footnotes

1/The Bill may provide potential cost savings to the Judiciary of Guam. However, in its present form, that impact cannot be determined at this time.

# **COMMITTEE ON RULES**



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Senator Rory J. Respicio CHAIRPERSON Majority Leader

June 22, 2012

Senator Judith P. Guthertz VICE CHAIRPERSON ASST. MAJORITY LEADER

**MEMORANDUM** 

To:

**Pat Santos** 

Clerk of the Legislature

**MAJORITY MEMBERS:**  Attorney Therese M. Terlaje

Legislative Legal Counsel

Speaker Judith T. Won Pat

From:

Senator Rory J. Respicio

Vice Speaker Benjamin J. F. Cruz

Majority Leader & Kules Chair

Senator Tina Rose Muña Barnes LEGISLATIVE SECRETARY MAJORITY WHIP

Subject:

Referral of Bill Nos. 475-31 (COR) thru 477-31 (COR)

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Ir. ASST. MAJORITY WHIP

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bill Nos. 474-31 (COR) through 477-31 (COR).

Senator Thomas C. Ada

Please ensure that the subject bills are referred, in my name, to the respective committee, as shown on the attachment. I also request that the same be forwarded to all members of I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan.

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DATE REFERRED	6/22/12
DATE	06/21/12 9:34 a.m.
ТІТІЕ	AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS.
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# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY

I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

# SENATOR ADOLPHO B. PALACIOS, SR. MA

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# FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2012

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Subject: First Notice of Public Hearing scheduled for July 13, 2012

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Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement & Judiciary Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr., Chairman 155 Hesler Place, Hagåtña, Guam 96910 477-5047/5048 477-5022 (fax)

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Adam S. Bearce <adam@guamlegislature.org> Tue, Jul 10, 2012 at 4:34 PM To: "Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr." <senator@senatorpalacios.com>, Yong Pak <yong@guamlegislature.org>

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David Leddy President Guam Chamber of Commerce 173 Aspinall Avenue, Suite 101,Ada Plaza Center Hagåtña, GU 96910

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Senseramente.

ADOJAHO B. PALACIOS, SR., MPA, BS/CJA

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# COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & JUDICIARY I Mina 'Trentai Uno Na Libeslaturan Guâhan

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July 3, 2012

David Leddy President Guam Chamber of Commerce 173 Aspinall Avenue, Suite 101, Ada Plaza Center Hagàtha, GU 96910

RE: Notice of Public Hearing Scheduled for July 13, 2012

Håfa adat, Mr. Leddy:

The Committee on Public Safety, Law Enforcement and Judiciary ("Committee") has scheduled a public hearing on Friday, July 13, 2012, beginning at 9:00 a.m., at the Legislative Hearing Room in *Hagatha*. Included on the agenda is the following bill which concerns the membership of the Guam Chamber of Commerce:

Bill No. 475-31 (COR): An Act to amend §23112 of Article 1 and §23203 of Article 2, Both of Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, Relative to levies on earnings.

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Chairman

# **PUBLIC HEARING**

# FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2012

I Liheslaturan Guåhan's Public Hearing Room, Hagåtña

# **AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Opening Remarks/Announcements
- III. Items for Discussion:

# 9:00 am:

- Bill No. 476-31 (COR) AN ACT TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (i) TO §28.40 OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 28, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO DEFINING THE TERM "PORNOGRAPHIC". sponsored by Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.
- Bill No. 477-31 (COR) AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS. sponsored by Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.
- Bill No. 482-31 (COR) AN ACT TO AMEND §§25.01.20, 25.01.30 AND 25.01.40 OF CHAPTER 25.01, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE SOLICITATION OF CHILDREN AND CHILD PORNOGRAPHY. sponsored by Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.
- IV. Closing remarks.
- V. Recess/Adjournment.

# MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 477-31 (COR)

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND §23112 OF ARTICLE 1 AND §23203 OF ARTICLE 2, BOTH OF CHAPTER 23, DIVISION 2, TITLE 7, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LEVIES ON EARNINGS.

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# BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds
  that under the relevant statutes, the remittances arising from levies upon
  earnings must be made through the court system in order to be transmitted to
  the judgment creditor. Therefore, it is the intent of I Liheslaturan Guåhan to
  facilitate the ease and efficiency of processing levies upon earnings, by
  amending §23112 and §23203 of Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, to allow for
  remittances directly to the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's
- Section 2. Section 23112 of Article 1, Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7,
- 11 Guam Code Annotated, is hereby amended to read:

"Except in the case of a levy on earnings, the marshall must execute the writ against the property of the judgment debtor, by levying on a sufficient amount of property, if there be sufficient, collecting or selling the things in action, and selling the other property and paying to the plaintiff or his attorney so much of the proceeds as will satisfy the judgment. Any excess in the proceeds over the judgment and accrued costs must be returned to the judgment debtor, unless otherwise directed by the judgment or order of the court. When there is more property of the judgment debtor than is sufficient to satisfy the judgment and accrued costs within the view of the marshal, he must levy only on such part of the property as the judgment debtor may indicate, if the property indicated be amply sufficient to satisfy the judgment and costs."

**Section 3.** Section 23203 of Article 2, Chapter 23, Division 2, Title 7, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

# "§23203. Payment of Debtor of Judgment Debtor.

(a) After the issuing of an execution against property and before its return, any person indebted to the judgment debtor may pay to the marshal the amount of his debt, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the execution, and the marshal's receipt is a sufficient discharge for the amount so paid.

1	(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), in the case of a levy on
2	earnings, the employer shall remit the earnings levied
3	upon directly to the judgment creditor or the judgment
4	creditor's attorney. Upon satisfaction of the judgment
5	amount, the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's
6	attorney shall file a satisfaction of judgment with the
7	court and serve such document upon the employer."

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Act shall be effective upon enactment.