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Office of the Governor of Guam

April 19, 2011

Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Speaker *I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

31-11-430

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 24-31 (COR) "AN ACT TO AMEND §50103(p)(4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES", which I signed into law on April 18, 2011 as Public Law 31-18.

Senseramente,

EDDIE BAZA CALVO

Attachment: copy of Bill

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Bill No. 24-31 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND §50103(p)(4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO GUAM **ECONOMIC** AUTHORITY DEVELOPMENT LOANS AND LENDING **PRACTICES**", was on the 4th day of April, 2011, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. **Speaker**

Attested:

A Muña Barnes Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by I Maga 'lahen Guåhan this _____ day of <u>April</u>, 2011, at 09:50 o'clock A. .M.

APPROVED:

EDWARD J.B. CALVO

I Maga'lahen Guåhan

APR 18 2011 Date:

Public Law No. 31–18

Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office

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I MINA'TRENTI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

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Bill No. 24-31 (COR)

Introduced by:

T. R. Muña Barnes
T. C. Ada
V. Anthony Ada
F. F. Blas, Jr.
B. J.F. Cruz
Chris M. Duenas
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AN ACT TO AMEND §50103(p)(4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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8 Therefore, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* intends to *amend* §50103(p)(4) of Article 9 1, Chapter 50 of Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, with regard to its purpose and 10 authorized activities.

Section 2. §50103(p)(4) of Article 1, Chapter 50 of Title 12, Guam Code
Annotated, is *amended* to read:

13 "(4) engaged in any activity that has resulted in conviction of a 14 felony *or* a crime of moral turpitude in the Courts of Guam, the United 15 States and its territories, or foreign jurisdiction. This Section shall *not* apply 16 in the event that the prosecution is dismissed with prejudice."

17 Section 3. Severability. *If* any provision of this law or its application to 18 any person or circumstances is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such 19 invalidity shall *not* affect other provisions or applications of this law, which can be 20 given effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this end the 21 provisions of this law are severable.

I MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

VOTING SHEET

Date: 4/4/11 Reponsideration

Bill No.	24-31	(cor)
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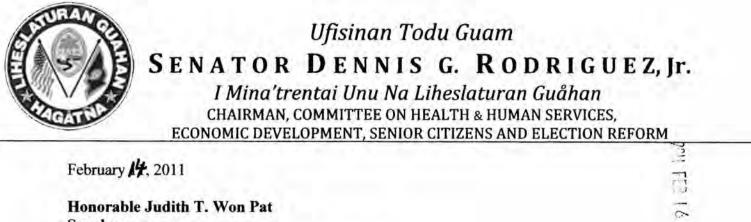
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CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

* 3 Passes = No vote EA = Excused Absence

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Speaker I Mina'Trentai Una na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Place Hagatña, Guam 96910

VIA: The Honorable Rory J. Respicio Chairperson, Committee on Rules

RE: Committee Report - Bill No. 24-31 (COR).

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is the Committee Report on Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report on BILL NO. 24-31 (COR) - BILL NO. 24-31 (COR) - AN ACT TO AMEND §50103 (p) (4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, (AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW 30-77) RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES; Sponsored by Tina Rose Muna-Barnes, and referred to the Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform. Bill No. 24-31 (COR) was publicly heard on January 28, 2011.

Committee votes are as follows:

5	TO PASS
	NOT TO PASS
	ABSTAIN
5	TO REPORT OUT ONLY
	TO PLACE IN INACTIVE FILE

Respectfully,

SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR.

Attachment



I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Chairman, committee on health & human services, economic development, senior citizens and election reform

COMMITTEE REPORT ON

BILL NO. 24-31 (COR)

Sponsored by Tina Rose Muna-Barnes

"AN ACT TO AMEND §50103 (p) (4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, (AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW 30-77) RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES."



I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Chairman, committee on health & human services, economic development, senior citizens and election reform

February 10, 2011

MEMORANDUM

To: ALL MEMBERS Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform.

From: SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR. 77 Committee Chairperson

Subject: Committee Report on Bill No. 24-31 (COR).

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This report includes the following:

- Committee Voting Sheet
- Committee Report Narrative / Digest
- Copy of Bill No.24-31 (COR)
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- Copies of Submitted Testimony & Supporting Documents
- Copy of COR Referral of Bill No. 24-31 (COR)
- Notices of Public Hearing (1st and 2nd)
- Copy of the Public Hearing Agenda
- Related News Articles (Public hearing publication of public notice)

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 do not hesitate to contact me.

Si Yu'os ma'åse'!

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COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET BILL NO. 24-31 (COR)

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I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Chairman, committee on health & human services, Economic development, senior citizens and election reform

COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

Bill No. 24-31 (COR)

I. OVERVIEW: The Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform conducted a public hearing on January 28, 2011. The Hearing convened at 09:00 A.M. in *I Liheslatura*'s Public Hearing Room. Among the items on the agenda was the consideration of BILL NO. 24-31 (COR) – BILL NO. 24-31 (COR) – AN ACT TO AMEND §50103 (p) (4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, (AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW 30-77) RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES; Sponsored by Tina Rose Muna-Barnes.

Public Notice Requirements

Notices were disseminated via hand-delivery/fax and/or e-mail to all senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on January 20, 2011 (5-Day Notice), and again on January 25, 2011 (48-Hour Notice). Notice was published *on-line* in the Pacific Daily News on January 21, 2011.

Senators Present

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr. Senator Tina R. Muna-Barnes Senator Rory J. Respicio Senator Vicente C. Pangelinan Senator Anthony Ada Senator Sam Mabini Chairperson Vice-Chairperson Committee Member Committee Member Committee Member Committee Member Committee Member

The public hearing on agenda item Bill No. 24-31 (COR) was Called-to-Order at 09:15 A.M.

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY & DISCUSSION.

CHAIRMAN DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR., convened the Public Hearing on Bill No. 24-31 (COR). Invited Senator Tina R. Muna-Barnes, author of Bill No. 24-31 (COR), to explain the intent of her Bill.

Senator Muna-Barnes: Introduction by author Bill No. 24-31: Si Yu'os Ma'åse. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to speak first about my Bill No. 24-31. This Bill 24-31 is an act to amend Section 50103(p) (4) of Article 1, Chapter 50, Title 12 GCA, as amended by a recent P.L. 30-77, is relative to GEDA's loan and lending practices. There was a finding from this body that there was a need to implement stricter guidelines governing the practices of how loans or guarantees made by persons, firms or partnerships to do business, including non-profit corporate associations, to do business with GEDA.

But one of the provisions that I noted earlier, that there was a provision that said that Section 4 was to engage in any activity as resulting in felony and for the personal intent of this bill was to note that in our system of law based on constitutional law it is the process where an individual is innocent until proven guilty; and with that being said after careful deliberation by the previous legislature, I noted that as we go through processes of law and pending cases within the court and judicial system, it is important to know that every man is innocent until they are proven guilty. And I would just like to make that at change that the strikeout of prosecution for felony is because we believe that it is the judicial system the processes and constitutional principles that we have today is that a man is proven innocent until their case is adjudicated and if convicted then the process works from there. So the only change on this provision of P.L. 30-77, instead of saying as a result of prosecution - it would be conviction of a felony.

I would like to take the chance to thank you, I hope that this policy making body for the 31st Guam Legislature would seriously find it in their hearts to revisit this section and help support the effort to do what's right as in the constitutional principle of believing in our judicial system and court system, as in every allegation against a person will not be used against them until the case is adjudicated. And that if a person had an interest in working closely with GEDA that they would consider that, and I do thank you for this and invite open discussion and deliberation and I hope this gets to the floor. I also know, Mr. Chair, that there is that 10 day requirement and I am open to seeking from the public any written testimony via email or communication sent via mailing or through our office for the listening audience can know the intent of this legislation, so thank you again for giving me the opportunity to speak on this Bill No. 24-31.

Chairman: Called the first panel to testify – No one was signed up to testify, nor came forward at the invitation of the Chairman.

Chairman noted for the record that written testimony had been received from:

Mr. Karl Pangelinan, Acting Administrator, Guam Economic Development Authority, submitted written testimony (attached) IN SUPPORT of Bill No. 24-31 (COR).

There being no other testimony, or comments by Senators, Chairman Rodriguez declared the bill as having been heard, and concluded the public hearing on Bill No. 24-31 (COR). The Committee would continue to accept written testimony for a period of ten (10) subsequent to the public hearing.

Fiscal Note: Requested January 12, 2011 (attached), and received on January 25. 2011 (attached).

III. FINDINGS & RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee finds in keeping with the principles of American jurisprudence, that an individual is innocent until proven guilty, it appropriate that \$50103(p)(4) of Article 1, Chapter 50, Title 12 GCA be amended so as to accordingly reflect the principle that a conviction of a felony should be applicable, and *not* simply the accusation and prosecution for a crime wherein a determination as to guilt or innocence has yet to be made.

The Committee on, Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform, hereby reports out Bill No. 24-31 (COR), with the recommendation to

Report Out Only

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 24-31(COR)

Introduced by:

T.R. Muña Barres

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SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr., Chairman

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,

SENIOR CITIZENS AND ELECTION REFORM

Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guahan • 31st Guam Legislature

PUBLIC HEARING DATE / TIME: Friday, January 28, 2011 9:00am

AGENDA ITEM: Bill No. 24-31 (COR)- Tina Rose Muña Barnes

An Act to amend §50103 (p) (4) of Article 1, Chapter 50 of Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, (as Amended by Public Law 30-77) relative to Guam Economic Development Authority Loans and Lending Practices.

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January 24, 2011

Testimony on Bill 24-31 (COR) of Mr. Karl Pangelinan, Acting Administrator Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA) to The Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens and Election Reform, chaired by Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr., *Mina'Trental Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*

Hafa Adai Senator Rodriguez and Members of the Committee!

I regret I am not able to participate in the public hearing for this bill due to previous commitments but I would like to take this opportunity to provide testimony in support of Bill 24-31 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND §50103 (p) (4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, (AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW 30-77) RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES".

I agree with the change proposed in Bill 24-31 as it provides clarity and fairness for applicants in need of financial assistance through GEDA's loan program. We applaud the good Senator Muna-Barnes for her action in recognizing that an individual is truly innocent until proven guilty.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on this bill. As always, please let my agency know if you need more information or comment.

Si Yu'us Ma'ase'!

KARL PANGELINAN Acting Administrator



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January 12, 2011

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Ms. Benita Manglona Acting Director Bureau of Budget & Management Research P.O. Box 2950 Hagåtña, Guam 96910

RE: Request for Fiscal Note – Bill Nos. 22-31 (COR) through 26-31 (COR)

Hafa Adai Ms. Manglona:

Transmitted herewith is a listing of *I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan's* most recently introduced bills. Pursuant to 2 GCA §9103, I respectfully request the preparation of fiscal notes for the referenced bills.

Si Yu'os ma'dse' for your attention to this matter.

Very Truly Yours,

Rory J. Respicio

Attachments

Cc: Clerk of the Legislature

Faxed: 1/12/11 5:36pm Recid by annalyn 1/13/11 9:20am

I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Bill Log Sheet January 10, 2011 Page 1 of 1

Bill No.	Sponsor(s)	Title	Date Introduced	Date Referred	120 Day Deadline	Committee Referred	Public Hearing Date	Date Committee Report Filed	Status (Date) Passed? Failed? Vetoed? Overridden? Public Law?
23-31 (COR)	M. Silva Taijeron	An Act To <i>Expedite</i> The Repair Of Southern Bridges To Allow For							
	Tuljoron	Reasonable Transportation To And From Southern Villages							
24-31	T. R. Muña	An Act To Amend §50103 (P) (4)	6						
(COR)	Barnes	Of Article 1, Chapter 50 Of Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, (As	4:26 p.m.						
		Amended By Public Law 30-77)							
		Relative To Guam Economic Development Authority Loans							
	I	And Lending Practices.							



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Senator Christopher M. Duenas January 25, 2011 2011 J.W. 25 MR 10: Memorandum Pat C. Santos To: · Clerk of the Legislature - com Senator Rory J. Respició 🚧 From: Chairperson, Committee on Rules **Fiscal Notes** Hafa Adai! Attached please find the fiscal notes for the bills number listed below. Please note that the fiscal notes, or waivers, are issued on the bills as introduced. 11-31 (COR) Bill Nos.: 12-31 (COR) 14-31 (COR) 21-31 (COR) 22-31 (COR) 24-31 (COR) 26-31 (COR)

Please forward the same to MIS for posting on our website. Please contact our office should you have any questions regarding this matter.

Si Yu'os ma'åse'!



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Senator Rory J. Respicio Chairperson, Committee on Rules I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan The 31st Guam Legislature 155 Hester Place Hagåtna, Guam 96910

Hafa Adai Senator Respicio:

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Transmitted herewith are Fiscal Notes on the following Bill No.: <u>11-31(LS)</u>, <u>14-31(COR)</u> <u>20-31(COR)</u>, <u>21-31(COR)</u>, <u>26-31(COR</u> and Fiscal Note Waivers on Bill Nos.: <u>12-31COR</u>) <u>and 24-31(COR)</u>

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

BENITA A. MANGLONA Acting Director

Enclosures

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The Bureau requests that Bill No. 24-31 (COR) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason:

Bill No 24-31 (COR) is an act to amend §50103 (p) (4) relative to Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA) Loans and Lending Practices. The act will remove the disqualification of individuals or businesses from GEDA programs solely on having been prosecuted for a felony without a conviction; not being found guilty or having the case dismissed without prejudice. The legislative intent stated as being not to be overly-inclusive so as to penalize and disqualify from the GEDA program those who have been found not guilty of wrongdoing.

The legislation does not have a funding impact.

BENITA A. MANGLONA Acting Director

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Senator Christopher M. Duenas MEMORANDUM

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 Bill Nos. 22-31 (COR) through 26-31 (COR)

As Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bill Nos. 22-31 (COR) through 26-31 (COR).

2011 JAN 12 FM 1:00

Please ensure that the subject bills are referred, in my name, to the respective committees, as shown on the attachment. I also request that the same be forwarded to all Senators of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at 472-7679.

Si Yu'os ma'åse!

(4) Attachments

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23-31 (COR)	M. Silva Taijeron	An Act To <i>Expedite</i> The Repair Of Southern Bridges To Allow For Reasonable Transportation to And From Southern Villages	1/10/11 11:54 a.m.	1/12/2011		Committee on Utilities, Transportation, Public Works and Veterans Affairs.
24-31 (COR)	T.R. Muña Barnes	An Act To Amend §50103 (P) (4) Of Article 1, Chapter 50 Of Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, (As Amended By Public Law 30-77) Relative To Guam Economic Development Authority Loans And Lending Practices.	1/10/11 4:26 p.m.	1/12/2011		Committee on Health & Human Services Senior Citizens, Economic Development and Election Reform



I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Chairman, committee on health & human services, economic development, senior citizens and election reform

January 20, 2011

MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL SENATORS

FROM: Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

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SUBJECT: First Notice of Public Hearing scheduled for Friday, January 28, 2011.

The Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens and Election Reform has scheduled a public hearing starting at 9am, Friday, January 28, 2011, at *I Liheslaturan Guåhan's* Public Hearing Room in Hagåtña, on the following:

- Bill No. 24-31 (COR)- AN ACT TO AMEND §50103 (p) (4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, (AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW 30-77) RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES. -by Senator Tina Rose Muña Barnes
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CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES,

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, SENIOR CITIZENS AND ELECTION REFORM

PRESS RELEASE

FIRST NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Friday, January 28, 2011 9:00am - 12:00pm

(January 20, 2011 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE)

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For further information, please contact the Office of Senator Dennis Rodriguez, Jr. at 649-8638.

Un Dangkolo Na Si Yuos Ma'åse! Senseramente,

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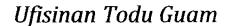
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Attached is the SECOND NOTICE for Public Hearing on Friday, January 28, 2011 at 9am to 12pm.

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I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan chairman, committee on health & human services, economic development, senior citizens and election reform

January 25, 2011

MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL SENATORS

FROM: Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

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For Immediate

January 25, 2011

- SECOND NOTICE

In accordance with the Open Government Law, Law 24-109, relative to notice for meetings, let this serve as 72 hours notice for a by the Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens and Election Reform is scheduled for

Date: Friday, January 28, 2011

Time: 9:00 AM-12:00 AM

Place: Guam Legislature's

Attached is the agenda for Friday's . Please note that the for the 28th will begin at 9:00 am and will be held in the Guam Legislature's Room.

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I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan chairman, committee on health & human services, economic development, senior citizens and election reform

January 20, 2011

Karl Pangelinan, Administrator, Guam Economic Development Authority 590 S. Marine Corps. Dr. Suite 511 GITC Building Tamuning, Guatu 96913

Dear Mr. Pangelinan:

Buenas yan Hafa Adai!

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I would also like to invite you and your staff to participate at the public hearings and to also provide testimony. Written testimony may be emailed to senatordrodriguez@gmail.com, or hand-delivered to my office no later than 12pm on Thursday, January 27, 2011.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact my staff at 649-8638. Un dangkulo' na Si Yu'os Ma'åse!

Senseramente,

Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. Senator I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

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Attached is a letter for testimony regarding two (2) bills that will be of interest for GEDA. Please be advised that there will be a public hearing next week Friday, January 28, 2011 at 9am. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office via email or by phone at 649-8638.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Manibusan

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SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr.

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PUBLIC HEARING

Friday, January 28, 2011 9am to 12 noon at I Liheslaturan Guåhan's Public Hearing Room, Hagåtña, Guam

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Announcements
- III. Items for Public Consideration

9:00am

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NEWS UPDATE: Legislature's health committee to hold public hearing next week

Pacific Daily News + January 20, 2011

The Committee on Health and Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens and Election Reform will be conducting a public hearing on Friday, Jan. 28.

The hearing will take place at 9 a.m. in the Legislature public hearing room.

The public will be able to submit testimony on the following bills:

Bill 24-31 which would change the guidelines by which the Guam Economic Development Authority makes loans. (Introduced by T.R. Muña Barnes).

Bill 27-31 would require the disclosure of the names of candidates or groups paying for political advertisements. (Introduced by R.J. Respicio).

Bill 31-31 would require that at the time of filing for candidacy with the Guam Election Commission, a candidate shall submit a clearance from the Department of Revenue and Taxation's collections branch, on a form provided by the commission, showing there is no past-due tax obligation owed by the candidate to the government of Guam. (Introduced by B.J.F. Cruz).

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Bill No. 24-31(COR)

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND §50103 (p) (4) OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 50 OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, (AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW 30-77) RELATIVE TO GUAM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY LOANS AND LENDING PRACTICES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds there is a need to implement stricter guidelines and restrictions that will govern the manner in which the Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA) makes loans or guarantees loans of any persons, firm, partnership or corporation licensed to do business on Guam, including non-profit cooperative associations.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that GEDA should implement restrictions to prohibit abuse by the few individuals and entities that have defaulted on their loans and not paid GEDA back the monies owed to them. However, in a system of laws based on the constitutional principle that an individual is innocent until proven guilty, the effect should not be so overly-inclusive so as to penalize and disqualify from the GEDA program those who have been found not guilty of wrongdoing.

Therefore, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* intends to *amend* §50103 (p) (4), of Article 1, Chapter 50 of Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, (as amended by Public Law 30-77) with regard to its purpose and authorized activities.

Section 2. §50103 (p) (4) of Article 1, Chapter 50 of Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, (as amended by Public Law 30-77) is *amended* to read:

"(4) engaged in any activity that has resulted in prosecution for a felony conviction of a felony or a crime of moral turpitude or conviction for that type of crime in the Courts of Guam, the United States and its territories, or foreign jurisdiction. This Section shall *not* apply in the event that the prosecution is dismissed with prejudice."

Section 3. Severability. *If* any provision of this law or its application to any person or circumstances is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall *not* affect other provisions or applications of this law, which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this law are severable.

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