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84-32 (COR)	Vicente (ben) Pangelinan Tina Rose Muña Barnes	AN ACT TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (f) to SECTION 2, PART III, CHAPTER II OF PUBLIC LAW 31-233, RELATIVE TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE GUAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM	4/8/13 11:47 a.m.	4/8/13	Committee on Municipal Affairs, Tourism, Housing, and Hagatna Restoration and Development Authority			



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MEMORANDUM

To: Rennae Meno
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From: Senator Rory J. Respicio 
Majority Leader & Rules Chair

Subject: Referral of Bill No. 84-32(COR)

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my re referral of Bill No. **84-32(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 members of *I Mina'trentai Dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

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

Si Yu'os Ma'åse!

Attachment

I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2013 (FIRST) REGULAR SESSION

2013 APR -8 AM 11:47

Bill No. 84-32 (COR)

Introduced by:

v.c. pangelinan
T.R. Muña Barnes

**AN ACT TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (f) to SECTION 2,
PART III, CHAPTER II OF PUBLIC LAW 31-233, RELATIVE
TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE GUAM COMMUNITY
COLLEGE APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM.**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that the sum of One Million Six Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Eight Dollars (**\$1,688,448**) was appropriated from the Manpower Development Fund (MDF) to the Guam Community College (GCC) for its Apprenticeship Program pursuant to the *Annual Appropriations Act of Fiscal Year* 2013 (Section 2(d), Part III, Chapter II, Public Law 31-233).

I Liheslatura finds that according to the FY 2012 audited financial statements for GCC, funds appropriated from the MDF for the GCC Apprenticeship Program have not been received by GCC as of February 14, 2013. This, according to the audit, has resulted in cuts to funding contractual services, supplies, and other operational costs across the entire College.

I Liheslatura finds that GCC continues to receive less funding from the MDF each Fiscal Year. In Fiscal Year 2010, GCC received Two Million Two Hundred Five Thousand Dollars (\$2,205,000.00) or Ninety percent (90%) of its

1 appropriation; in Fiscal Year 2011, GCC received One Million Eight Hundred
2 Eighty One Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Nine Dollars (\$1,881,399.00) or
3 Sixty Two percent (62%) of its appropriation; in Fiscal Year 2012 GCC received
4 Seven Hundred Eight Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Twelve Dollars
5 (\$787,712.00) or Forty Seven percent (47%) of its appropriation. The pattern of
6 reduced funding to the GCC is forcing the Board of Trustees and its Administrators
7 to choose to cancel important programs that are needed to provide workforce
8 development to our community.

9 *I Liheslatura* finds that revenue estimates for the Tourist Attraction Fund
10 (TAF) for Fiscal Year 2013 are tracking at Twenty-Five Million Five Hundred
11 Ninety-Six Thousand Six Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars (**\$25,596,688**), of which
12 Twenty-Three Million Eight Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand Two Hundred
13 Dollars (**\$23,888,200**) is appropriated.

14 *I Liheslatura* finds the TAF revenues for Fiscal Year 2013 are projected to
15 exceed appropriations by One Million Seven Hundred Eight Thousand Four
16 Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars (**\$1,708,488**), *in addition to* the Fiscal Year 2012
17 ending cumulative fund balance of Four Million Sixty Five Thousand Fifteen
18 Dollars (**\$4,065,015**), and is available for appropriation.

19 It is, therefore, the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to add a new Subsection
20 (f) to Section 2 of Part III, Chapter III, of Public Law 31-233 to add a new funding
21 source for the GCC Apprenticeship Program and operational needs of the College.

22 **Section 2. A new subsection (f) is added to Section 2, Part III, Chapter**
23 **II, of Public Law 31-233 to read:**

24 **“(f) Appropriation to the GCC Apprenticeship Program.** The sum of
25 Two Million Dollars (**\$2,000,000**) is appropriated from the fund balance of the
26 Tourist Attraction Fund to GCC for the GCC Apprenticeship Program for Fiscal
27 Year 2013. In addition to the authorization contained in §7120 of Chapter 7, Title

22 GCA, this appropriation herein *shall* be available and authorized to be used by GCC to fund the operations of other programs at GCC, as approved by the Board and Administration of the College, after all Apprenticeship program requirements and obligations have been fully funded.”

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