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134-32	Frank B. Aguon, Jr.	AN ACT RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING THE OFFICE OF	06/04/13	06/04/13	Committee on			
(COR)		VETERANS AFFAIRS AS THE OFFICIAL LOCAL	12:38 p.m.		the Guam U.S.			
		AGENCY FOR ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING			Military			
		THE "GUAM VETERANS REGISTRY" WHICH SHALL			Relocation,			
		BE UTILIZED FOR ENUMERATING THE POPULATION			Homeland			
		OF VETERANS ON GUAM, AND FOR THE USE OF			Security,			
		SUCH INFORMATION FOR INCREASING OR			Veteran's Affairs,			
		ACQUIRING NECESSARY HEALTHCARE AND OTHER			and Judiciary			
		RELEVANT SERVICES TO BENEFIT VETERANS AND						
		THEIR FAMILIES; THROUGH ADDING A NEW						
		§67110 TO CHAPTER 67, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE						
		ANNOTATED.						



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 From:
 Senator Rory J. Respicio

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## Subject: Referral of Bill No. 134-32(COR)

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of **Bill No. 134-32(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

Bill No. 134-32 (COR)

Introduced by:

FRANK B. AGUON, JR.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AS THE OFFICIAL LOCAL AGENCY FOR ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING THE "GUAM VETERANS REGISTRY" WHICH SHALL **BE UTILIZED FOR ENUMERATING THE POPULATION** OF VETERANS ON GUAM, AND FOR THE USE OF **INCREASING** OR SUCH **INFORMATION** FOR **ACQUIRING NECESSARY HEALTHCARE AND OTHER RELEVANT SERVICES TO BENEFIT VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES: THROUGH ADDING A NEW §67110** CODE **GUAM** TO **CHAPTER** 67. TITLE 10, ANNOTATED.

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

- Section 1.
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### **Establishment of a Guam Veterans Registry.**

§67110 of Chapter 67, Title 10, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the 3 Office of Veterans Affairs is hereby added to read as follows: 4

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#### Guam Veterans Registry. **"§67110.**

The Office of Veterans Affairs (the "Office") shall be responsible for 6 the establishment and maintenance of a Guam Veterans Registry (the "Registry") 7 which shall be updated no less than semiannually. The update of the Registry shall 8 entail the addition of newly registered veterans residing on Guam, and the 9 scrubbing of the list to ensure that the names of veterans who no longer reside on 10 island or who have passed away are deleted from the Registry. The Registry shall 11 be utilized by the Office for the purposes of providing Guam veterans and their 12 families with current information on veteran benefits and activities, through the use 13

of its webpage or other means deemed necessary that would ensure the maximum dissemination of veteran-related information; and for the validation of Guam's veteran population to further strengthen the Office's ability to pursue financial resources and support in the provision of services or programs for the benefit of Guam's veterans and their families.

6 All government of Guam entities, whenever applicable, shall render 7 assistance to the Office of Veterans Affairs in carrying out the provisions 8 contained herein."

9 Section 2. Effective Date.

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10The provisions contained herein shall be effective upon enactment of11this Act.