

21ST NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE
IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

_____ **SESSION, 2019**

H. L. B. 21-17

**A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT
FOR THE FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

To amend Rota Local Law 20-08, Section 2(q), to
reappropriate the \$100,000 for the Rota Island Specialty
Crop Association.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT DELEGATION
PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 4, DIVISION 1, TITLE 1 OF THE
COMMONWEALTH CODE:**

1 SECTION 1. FINDINGS AND PURPOSE.

2 The Rota Legislative Delegation (Delegation) finds that Rota Local Law
3 20-08 appropriated \$100,000 for the Afanelos Marianas, Inc. However, the
4 corporation has since dissolved and a new corporation, Rota Island Specialty Crop
5 Association (RISCA), was formed. In addition, the Delegation further finds that
6 removing the existing language that states “provided that any proposed use of the
7 funds for a loan program must be submitted to the Rota Delegation Chairperson for
8 review and approval by Delegation Resolution” is appropriate. Therefore, the
9 purpose of this Act is to reappropriate the \$100,000 initially appropriated for
10 Afanelos Marianas, Inc. and instead give the funds to RISCA.

11 SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.

1 Rota Local Law 20-08, Section 2(q) is amended to read as follows:

2 “(q) \$100,000 for ~~Afanelos Marianas, Inc.~~ Rota Island Specialty Crop
3 Association to assist the local Rota fishermen and farmers’ programs under the
4 expenditure authority of the ~~Chairperson~~ President of the non-profit corporation.
5 ~~Provided that any proposed use of the funds for a loan program must be submitted~~
6 ~~to the Rota Delegation Chairperson for review and approval by Delegation~~
7 ~~Resolution.~~ The ~~Chairperson~~ President shall submit a report describing the fund
8 expenditures within 30 days after the end of ~~Fiscal Year 2019~~ each quarter until
9 such time all appropriated funds is exhausted.”

10 **SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY.**

11 If any provision of this Act or the application of any such provision to any
12 person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction,
13 the remainder of this Act or the application of its provisions to persons or
14 circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected
15 thereby.

16 **SECTION 4. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

17 This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as
18 affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes
19 repealed or under any rule, regulation or order adopted under the statutes.
20 Repealers contained in this Act shall not affect any proceeding instituted under or
21 pursuant to prior law. The enactment of the Act shall not have the effect of

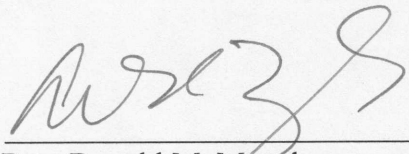
1 terminating, or in any way modifying, any liability, civil or criminal, which shall
2 already be in existence on the date this Act becomes effective.

3 **SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

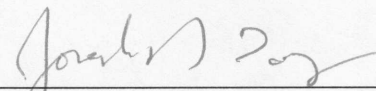
4 This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or its becoming
5 law without such approval.

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Date: 4/23/19

Introduced by: 
Rep. Donald M. Manglona

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To appropriate Seventy-Five Thousand, Five Hundred Nineteen dollars (\$75,519.00 USD) of the Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the First Senatorial District that has been identified by the Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriations; and for other purposes.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT DELEGATION
PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 4, DIVISION 1, TITLE 1 OF THE
COMMONWEALTH CODE:**

1 SECTION 1. PURPOSE.

2 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate Seventy-Five Thousand, Five
3 Hundred Nineteen dollars (\$75,519.00 USD) of the Earned Bond Interest Income
4 collected for the First Senatorial District that has been identified by the
5 Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriations; and for
6 other purposes.

7 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS.

8 Notwithstanding any provisions of law, statutes, rules or regulations the
9 Rota Legislative Delegation hereby appropriates Seventy-Five Thousand, Five
10 Hundred Nineteen dollars (\$75,719.00 USD) of the Earned Bond Interest Income

1 collected for the First Senatorial District that has been identified by the
2 Commonwealth Development Authority for air conditioning units for Dr. Rita H.
3 Inos Jr./Sr. High School and Sinapalo Elementary School. The expenditure
4 authority shall be the Commissioner of Education.

5 **SECTION 3. NO REPROGRAMMING.**

6 Funds appropriated under this act shall not be reprogrammed for any other
7 purpose. Notwithstanding any provisions of law, all capital improvement projects
8 funded under this Act shall be without fiscal year limitation.

9 **SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.**

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11 person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction,
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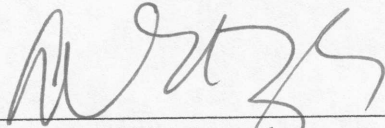
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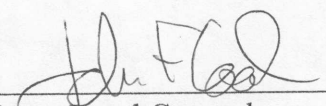
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