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A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT FOR THE SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT

To appropriate up to Two Hundred Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Six US Dollars (\$202,996.00) of the Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the Second Senatorial District that has been identified by the Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriations; and for other purposes.

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

1 SECTION 1. PURPOSE.

- The purpose of this Act is to appropriate up to Two Hundred Two Thousand
- 3 Nine Hundred Ninety-Six US Dollars (\$202,996.00) of the Earned Bond Interest
- 4 Income collected for the Second Senatorial District that has been identified by the
- 5 Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriation.

6 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.

- Notwithstanding any provisions, law, statutes, rules or regulations to the
- 8 contrary, the Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation hereby appropriates up
- 9 to Two Hundred Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Six US Dollars
- 10 (\$202,996.00) of the Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the Second

- 1 Senatorial District, that has been identified by the Commonwealth Development
- 2 Authority available for appropriation for the construction of platform at the lookout
- 3 point in Carolinias Tinian.

4 SECTION 3. EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.

- The expenditure authority of the funds appropriated in Section 2 shall be
- 6 the Secretary of the Department of Public Works or his/her designee.

7 SECTION 4. REPROGRAMMING.

- 8 Funds appropriated under this act shall not be reprogrammed for any other
- 9 purpose. Notwithstanding any provision of law, the project funded under this Act
- 10 shall be without fiscal year limitation.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY.

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

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SECTION 6. SAVINGS CLAUSE.

- 18 This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as
- 19 affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes
- 20 repealed or under any rule, regulation or order adopted under the statutes.
- 21 Repealers contained in this Act shall not affect any proceeding instituted under or

- 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 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. 4
- This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or its becoming 5
- 6 law without such approval.

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Introduced By: Rep. Patrick H. San Nicolas

Reviewed for Legal Sufficiency by: