

**TWENTY-SECOND NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH**  
**LEGISLATURE**  
**IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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SESSION, 2022

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

To appropriate Fifty Thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) from the Poker Licensing Fee Account (specifically under BU 3302); 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. SHORT TITLE.**

2           The purpose of this Act is to appropriate Fifty Thousand dollars  
3 (\$50,000.00) from the Poker Licensing Fee Account (specifically under BU 3302)  
4 and for other purposes.

5 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS.**

6           Notwithstanding 10 CMC §1901, the Rota Legislative Delegation hereby  
7 appropriates Fifty Thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) from the Poker Licensing Fee  
8 Account (specifically under Business Unit 3302) as follows:

9           (a) Fifty Thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) for Medical Subsistence Allowance

1 for the Rota hemodialysis and terminally-ill patients under the expenditure  
2 authority of the Secretary of Finance.

3 **SECTION 3. FISCAL YEAR.**

4 The funds allocated under this Act shall be without fiscal year limitation(s).

5 **SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.**

6 If any provision of this Act or the application of any such provision to any  
7 person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction,  
8 the remainder of this Act or the application of its provisions to persons or  
9 circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected  
10 thereby.

11 **SECTION 5. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

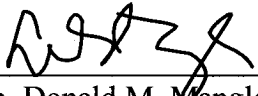
12 This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as  
13 affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes  
14 repealed or under any rule, regulation or order adopted under the statutes.  
15 Repealers contained in this Act shall not affect any proceeding instituted under or  
16 pursuant to prior law. The enactment of the Act shall not have the effect of  
17 terminating, or in any way modifying, any liability, civil or criminal, which shall  
18 already be in existence on the date this Act becomes effective.

19 **SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

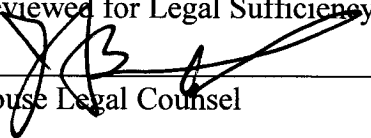
20 This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or its becoming  
21 law without such approval.

Prefiled: 10/14/2022

Date: 10/14/2022

Introduced by:   
Rep. Donald M. Manglona

Reviewed for Legal Sufficiency by:

  
House Legal Counsel