

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

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SESSION, 2023

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

To re-appropriate One Hundred Twenty Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$120,500.00) allotted under Saipan Local Law 21-10, specifically under Project Code 7192N; One Hundred Nine Thousand, Five Hundred Seventy-Four Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$109,574.90) allotted under Saipan Local Law 22-10, specifically under Project Code 2007G; One Hundred Nine Thousand, One Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$109,115.00) allotted under Saipan Local Law 21-17, specifically under Project Code 4963U; and One Thousand, Nine Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars and Forty-Five Cents (\$1,958.45) allotted under Saipan Local Law 22-09, specifically under Project Code 2007H; and for other purposes.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE THIRD 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 re-appropriate One Hundred Twenty  
3 Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$120,500.00) allotted under Saipan Local Law  
4 21-10, specifically under Project Code 7192N; One Hundred Nine Thousand, Five  
5 Hundred Seventy-Four Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$109,574.90) allotted under

1 Saipan Local Law 22-10, specifically under Project Code 2007G; One Hundred  
2 Nine Thousand, One Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$109,115.00) allotted under Saipan  
3 Local Law 21-17, specifically under Project Code 4963U; and One Thousand, Nine  
4 Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars and Forty-Five Cents (\$1,958.45) allotted under  
5 Saipan Local Law 22-09, specifically under Project Code 2007H.

6 **SECTION 2. RE-APPROPRIATION.**

7 Notwithstanding any provisions, statutes, laws or regulations to the  
8 contrary, the Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation hereby re-  
9 appropriates the sum of Three Hundred Forty-One Thousand, One Hundred Forty-  
10 Eight Dollars and Thirty-Five Cents (\$341,148.35) as follows:

11 (a) One Hundred Twenty Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$120,500.00)  
12 allotted under Saipan Local Law 21-10, specifically under Project Code  
13 7192N; One Hundred Nine Thousand, Five Hundred Seventy-Four  
14 Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$109,574.90) allotted under Saipan Local  
15 Law 22-10, specifically under Project Code 2007G; and One Hundred  
16 Nine Thousand, One Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$35,425.00) allotted  
17 under Saipan Local Law 21-17, specifically under Project Code 4963U  
18 for the Asphalt Road Paving of Gagu Street in Kagman III, Saipan; and

19 (b) Seventy-Three Thousand, Six Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$73,690.00)  
20 allotted under Saipan Local Law 21-17, specifically under Project Code  
21 4963U; and One Thousand, Nine Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars and

1           Forty-Five Cents (\$1,958.45) allotted under Saipan Local Law 22-09,  
2           specifically under Project Code 2007H for the construction, renovation,  
3           and/or repair of speed bumps, bus shelters, restroom facilities,  
4           basketball court facilities, crosswalks, installation of street lights and  
5           traffic signages, and road repairs/improvements within Precinct V.

6    **SECTION 3. EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.**

7           The expenditure authority for the funds under Section 2 of this Act shall be  
8    the Secretary of the Department of Public Works.

9    **SECTION 4. REPROGRAMING.**

10          Notwithstanding any laws, provisions or regulations to the contrary, funds  
11       appropriated under this Act shall not be reprogrammed for any other purpose.

12   **SECTION 5. REPORTING.**

13          The expenditure authority shall submit to the Chairperson of the Saipan and  
14       Northern Islands Legislative Delegation a detail report showing the expenditure of  
15       the funds at the completion of appropriations in Section 2 of this Act.

16   **SECTION 6. FUND DISTRIBUTION.**

17          Funds appropriated under Section 2 of this Act shall be distributed  
18       accordingly to the intended purpose and or entity upon this Act becoming law.

19   **SECTION 7. FISCAL YEAR.**

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

21   **SECTION 8. SEVERABILITY.**

1           If any provision of this Act or the application of any such provision to any  
2 person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction,  
3 the remainder of this Act or the application of its provisions to persons or  
4 circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected  
5 thereby.

6   **SECTION 9. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

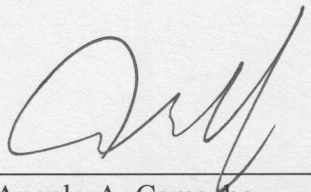
7           This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as  
8 affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes  
9 repealed or under any rule, regulation or order adopted under the statutes. Repealers  
10 contained in this Act shall not affect any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

14   **SECTION 10. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

15           This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or it becoming  
16 law without such approval.

Prefiled: 12/28/2023

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Introduced by:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Rep. Angelo A. Camacho

Reviewed for Legal Sufficiency by:

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House Legal Counsel