

TWENTY-THIRD NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH

LEGISLATURE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SESSION, 2024

H. L. B. 27-40

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

To re-appropriate Eighty-Seven Thousand, Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-7, and Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04 § 2(a); 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.

2 The purpose of this Act is to re-appropriate Eighty-Seven Thousand, Four
3 Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-07,
4 and Thirty-Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04
5 § 2(a) identified as the Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the Second
6 Senatorial District and certified by the Tinian Municipal Treasurer on January 19,
7 2024.

1 **SECTION 2. RE-APPROPRIATION.**

2 Notwithstanding any provision(s) of law, statutes, rules or regulations to the
3 contrary, the Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation hereby re-appropriates
4 funds identified as Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the Second Senatorial
5 District in the combined total amount of One-Hundred Seventeen Thousand, Four
6 Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$117,465.00). Of this total amount, Eighty-Seven
7 Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) are unspent amounts
8 allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-7, and Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00)
9 are unspent amounts allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04 § 2(a). The funds are
10 hereby re-appropriated to the Office of the Mayor of Tinian as follows:

11 (a) \$ 18,000.00 for the repair and maintenance of youth center and
12 basketball courts;

13 (b) \$80,000.00 for the repair to the perimeter fence of the San Jose Softball
14 Field;

15 (c) \$19,465.00 for the repair and maintenance of a restroom facility at Taga
16 and Tachonga Beach.

17 **SECTION 3. EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.**

18 The expenditure authority for funds under Section 2 shall be the Mayor of
19 Tinian and Aguiguan.

1 **SECTION 4. REPROGRAMMING**

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

4 **SECTION 5. REPORTING.**

5 The expenditure authority shall submit to the Chairperson of the Tinian
6 Legislative Delegation a detailed report showing the expenditure of the funds at the
7 completion of appropriations in Section 2 of this Act.

8 **SECTION 6. FUND DISTRIBUTION.**

9 Funds appropriated under Section 2 of this Act shall be distributed
10 accordingly for the intended purpose and or entity upon this Act becoming law.

11 **SECTION 7. FISCAL YEAR.**

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

13 **SECTION 8. SEVERABILITY.**

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

19 **SECTION 9. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

20 This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as
21 affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes

1 repealed or under any rule, regulation or order adopted under the statutes. Repealers
2 contained in this Act shall not affect any proceeding instituted under or pursuant to
3 prior law. The enactment of the Act shall not have the effect of terminating, or in
4 any way modifying, any liability, civil or criminal, which shall already be in
5 existence on the date this Act becomes effective.

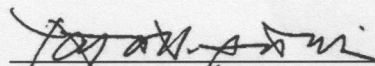
6 **SECTION 10. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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


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Date: _____

Introduced by: _____


Rep. Patrick H. San Nicolas

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DATE : January 19, 2024

TO : Senator Karl King-Nabors
Chairman, Tinian Legislative Delegation

FROM : Municipal Treasurer

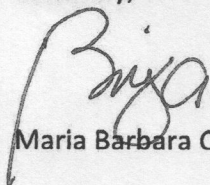
SUBJECT: Certification of Funds

This is to certify that the following funds from the Earned Bond Interest Income in the amount of \$117,465.00 are available at the Tinian Municipal Treasury for re-appropriation.

Tinian Local Law 20-07	Morgue Expansion	\$ 87,465.00
Tinian Local Law 22-04,S2(a)	Slaughter house generator	\$ 30,000.00

For additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at telephone number (670) 433-2275.

Sincerely,



Maria Barbara C. Borja

cc: Mayor Edwin P. Aldan
Senator Jude U. Hofschneider
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