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In accordance with Public Law 17-22, the Nineteenth Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands Youth Congress will convene the following open and public meeting:

Meeting : **Organizational Session**
Date and Time: **Saturday, April 15, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.**
Location : **House Chamber, Honorable Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building, Capitol Hill, Saipan**

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 27, 2023

TO: MEMBERS OF THE 19TH CNMI YOUTH CONGRESS

FROM: Perry J. Tenorio, LB Director

VIA: Luis John Castro, Youth Congress Clerk

SUBJECT: Session Call (1st Day, Organizational Session 2023)

By the authority vested in me, pursuant to 1CMC §1610, I hereby call for the Nineteenth CNMI Youth Congress to convene its *Organizational Session* on **Saturday, the 15th of April, 2023 at 10:00AM** in the House Chamber of the Honorable Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building, in Capitol Hill, Saipan.

The presence of all members is greatly appreciated.

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**ORGANIZATIONAL SESSION
OF THE
19TH CNMI YOUTH CONGRESS**

10:00AM • House Chamber • Hon. Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building

Assembly & Introductions

Master of Ceremonies

Presentation of the Senators-elect of the 19th CNMI Youth Congress

Posting of Colors

Saipan Southern High School JROTC Manta Battalion Color Guard

Singing of the Anthems

Mandy Tenorio & Lisa Agulto

Invocation

Very Rev. Father Rey D. Rosal

Rector of Mount Carmel Cathedral, Diocese of Chalan Kanoa

ORDER of BUSINESS

Call to Order

Hon. Edmund S. Villagomez

Speaker of the House of Representatives

23rd Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature

Speaker Pro Tempore of the CNMI Youth Congress

Call of the Roll by School

Appointment of Credential Committee & Adoption of Credential Committee Report

YC Special Committee Report 19-01

Swearing-in of Members

Hon. Alexandro C. Castro

Chief Justice of the Commonwealth Supreme Court

Adoption of the Rules

YC Resolution 19-01

Election of the Speaker

Election of the Vice-Speaker

Election of the Floor Leader

Election of the Legislative Secretary

Appointment of Committee Chairpersons

Notification to Governor & Presiding Officers

Communications

Statements of Members

Public Comments

Announcements

Adjournment

Benediction

Rev. Michael Rodgers

Pastor, Grace Christian Ministries