

TINIAN AND AGUIGUAN LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION **Second Senatorial District**

Twenty-Third Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature

Senator Karl R. King-Nabors, Chairman Senator Jude U. Hofschneider, Vice Chair

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MEMORANDUM

Date: November 13, 2024

To: All Members

Tinian & Aguiguan Legislative Delegation

From: /s/Chairman Karl R. King-Nabors

Postponement of 3rd Day, Fourth Regular Session Subject:

Please be advised that the 3rd Day, Fourth Regular Session scheduled for today, Wednesday, November 13, 2024 at 9:30 a.m. is hereby moved to Monday, November 18, 2024, at 2:30 p.m. in the Senate Chamber, Honorable Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building, Capitol Hill, Saipan.

The presence of all members of the Delegation at this very important session is respectfully requested.

cc: **Senate President Speaker of the House Chairman SNILD**

Chairman, RLD

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Date: November 13, 2024

Pursuant to the Open Government Act (1 CMC §9901 et seq.), the Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation announces that the Delegation of the Twenty-Third Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature will convene the following open and public meeting:

Meeting: 3rd Day, Fourth Regular Session, 2024 Date & Time: Monday, November 18, 2024 at 2:30 p.m.

Location: Senate Chamber, Honorable Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building

Saipan, CNMI

Pursuant to 1 CMC §9904, written comments on agenda items may be submitted to the Delegation Clerk's Office, Honorable Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building on Capitol Hill, Saipan, prior to the convening of the session oral testimony may be presented during the Delegation's session. Copies of this notice, the official session call, and the agenda have been filed in the Office of the Delegation Clerk, released to the media, and posted at the following locations:

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TINIAN & AGUIGUAN LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT

TWENTY-THIRD NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE

ORDER OF BUSINESS

SESSION DAY	CALENDAR DAY	TIME
3 rd Day 4 th Regular Session	Monday, November 18, 2024	2:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

Moment of Silence

- A. ROLL CALL
- **B. PUBLIC COMMENT:**
- C. ADOPTION OF JOURNAL:
 - 1. **TALD Journal No. 23-11:** 2nd Day, Fourth Regular Session 9/13/24.
- D. INTRODUCTION OF LOCAL BILLS:
 - 1. **HLB NO. 23-65:** "To amend Tinian Local Law 23-09; and for other purposes." (Introduced by: Rep. Patrick H. San Nicolas See Hse. Comm. No. 23-26)
 - 2. **HLB NO. 23-66:** "To appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) from revenues collected from poker fees in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes." (Introduced by: Rep. Patrick H. San Nicolas See Hse. Comm. No. 23-27)
- E. INTRODUCTION OF LOCAL RESOLUTIONS: None
- F. MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR:
 - 1. **Gov. Comm. No. 23-17:** 9/10/24 Signed into law **HLB No. 23-53,** entitled, "To amend 10 CMC §2581(c)(3) to increase the internet gambling revenue tax; and for other purposes.", into **TINIAN LOCAL LAW NO. 23-14**."
 - 2. **Gov. Comm. No. 23-18:** 9/10/24 Signed into law **HLB No. 23-14,** entitled, "To amend 10 CMC §§ 2513(dd) and 2531(d) as established by Tinian Local Law 21-09 by reducing the number of minimum sleeping units from 200 to 50; and for other purposes.", into **TINIAN LOCAL LAW NO. 23-15.**"

- 3. **Gov. Comm. No. 23-19:** 9/20/24 Vetoed **SLB No. 23-05**, entitled, "To amend 10 CMC §§ 2513(ii) and 2531 to provide for regulatorily compliant internet gaming; and for other purposes."
- 4. **Gov. Comm. No. 23-20:** 10/2/24 Signed into law **HLB No. 23-64, D1,** entitled, "To appropriate \$94,091.00 for the personnel and operations of the Tinian Gaming Control Commission.", into **TINIAN LOCAL LAW NO. 23-16**."
- 5. **Gov. Comm. No. 23-21:** 10/2/24 Signed into law **HLB No. 23-63, D1,** entitled, "To appropriate One Hundred Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$114,000.00) revenues collected from poker fees in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes.", into **TINIAN LOCAL LAW NO. 23-17**."

G. MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR OF TINIAN & AGUIGUAN:

- 1. **Mayors Comm. No. 23-56:** 9/9/24 Commenting on **HLB's 23-54, 23-63 & 23-64**.
- 2. **Mayors Comm. No. 23-57:** 9/25/24 To Chairman Ayuyu, Board of Directors, CPA re Tinian Seaport.
- 3. **Mayors Comm. No. 23-58:** 8/22/24 To Secretary Norita, DOF re Request the Transfer of \$20,000 to purchase the diesel required to continue with the project.
- 4. **Mayors Comm. No. 23-59:** 8/27/24 To Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Pacific re Municipality of Tinian and Aguiguan's Initial Comments to the CJMT Revised Draft Environmental Statement.
- 5. **Mayors Comm. No. 23-60:** 10/30/24 Commenting on **HLB's Nos. 23-65 and 23-66.**

H. MESSAGES FROM THE TINIAN & AGUIGUAN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL: None

I. REPORTS OF COMMUNICATIONS FROM HEADS OF DEPT./AGENCIES: None

J. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMUNICATIONS:

- 1. **Hse. Comm. No. 23-26:** 10/25/24 Transmitting for Delegation action **HLB NO. 23-65,** "To amend Tinian Local Law 23-09; and for other purposes."
- 2. **Hse. Comm. No. 23-27:** 10/25/24 Transmitting for Delegation action **HLB NO. 23-66,** "To appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) from revenues collected from poker fees in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes."

K. SENATE COMMUNICATIONS: None

L. DELEGATION MATTERS:

- **1. Del. Matters No. 23-67:** 9/18/24 From Chairman Karl R. King-Nabors subject to Referral of HLB's Nos. 23-54 & 23-55 to the Committee on Fiscal Affairs & Resident Department Heads.
- **2. Del. Matters No. 23-68:** 10/25/24 Soliciting comments on HLB's Nos. 23-65 & 23-66 from Mayor Edwin P. Aldan, Municipality of Tinian and Aguiguan.
- **3. Del. Matters No. 23-69:** 10/25/24 Soliciting comments on HLB's Nos. 23-65 & 23-66 from Chairman Joseph R. E. Santos, 19th Tinian and Aguiguan Municipal Council.
- M. MICELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS: None
- N. REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES: None
- O. REPORTS OF SPECIAL/CONFERENCE COMMITTEES: None
- P. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None
- Q. RESOLUTION CALENDAR: None
- **R. BILL CALENDAR:**

First Reading

LOCAL BILL NO.	SHORT TITLE	ACTION

Second Reading

LOCAL BILL	SHORT TITLE	ACTION
NO.		

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- S. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:
- T. ANNOUNCEMENTS:
- U. ADJOURNMENT.