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MEMORANDUM

DATE : March 6, 2026

FROM : Rep. Joel C. Camacho
Chairperson, JGO

Rep. Vincent R. Aldan
Chairperson, T&I

TO: : JGO and T&I Committee Members

SUBJECT : Joint Committee Meeting



This is to inform House Standing Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Operations (JGO) and House Standing Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure (T&I) Committee Members that there will be a joint committee meeting on **Thursday, March 12, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.** in the House Chamber. Please see the attached agenda.

Your attendance is greatly appreciated.

cc: Speaker
LB Director
House Legal Counsels
House Legislative Assistants
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AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. ADOPTION OF AGENDA
- IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS
- V. OLD BUSINESS
- VI. NEW BUSINESS
 - a. **PUC Renominations**
 1. **House Gov Comm 24-107** – PUC Re-nomination James S. Sirok
 2. **House Gov Comm 24-108** – PUC Re-nomination James S. Sirok Pertinent Docs
 3. **House Gov Comm 24-106** – PUC Re-nomination Oscar Patrick Quitugua
 4. **House Gov Comm 24-113** – PUC Re-nomination Oscar Patrick Quitugua Pertinent Docs
 - b. **Referred House Bills**
 1. **H.B. 24-87:** To require an independent valuation of the Commonwealth Utilities Corporation (CUC), restore constitutional and audit oversight modernize procurement and review procedures, protect ratepayers, and clarify the economic framework for any privatization transaction; and for other purposes. [INTRODUCED BY: REP. VINCENT R. ALDAN]
 2. **H.B. 24-88:** To mandate that the Commonwealth Utilities Corporation undergo a comprehensive, independent, third-party utility expert audit; to require a formal Commonwealth Public Utilities Commission audit-review docket and transparent public review process; to require an enforceable corrective action plan, a ratepayer



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impact matrix, and a public audit implementation dashboard; to impose strict timelines and narrowly limited extensions; to require mandatory decennial audits; to establish compliance reporting and civil penalties for missed deadlines payable to the CNMI Treasury; and for other purposes. **[INTRODUCED BY: REP. VINCENT R. ALDAN]**

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

VII. ADJOURNMENT