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MEMORANDUM

DATE : March 31, 2023
TO: Speaker Edmund S. Villagomez
House Standing Committee on W&M Members
FROM : Chairman Ralph N. Yumul 
SUBJECT: Amended Agenda

This is to inform all Members of the **House Standing Committee on Ways & Means** that the agenda for the upcoming committee meeting scheduled for Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at 1p.m. in the Speaker's Conference Room has been amended. Please see attached.

Thank you.

xc: House Members
House Counsel
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DATE: Tuesday, April 4, 2023

TIME: 1:00 PM

LOCATION: Speaker's Conference Room

AMENDED AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Adoption of Agenda
- III. Public Comments
- IV. Old Business
 - a. **HLB 23-7:** *"To appropriate \$65,000.00 of the Rota Poker License Fees Account (specifically under BU 3302) and for other purposes."*
- V. New Business
 - a. **HLB 23-9:** *"To appropriate un-obligated funds under Saipan Local Law 23-01; and for other purposes."*
 - b. **HB 23-7:** *"To amend 4 CMC §1401(d) to increase revenues by properly taxing tobacco products."*
 - c. **HB 23-9:** *"To require Legislative Appropriation for all Non-Locally-Sourced Funds allocated for the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands."*
 - d. **HB 23-12:** *"To amend 1 CMC § 7831 to provide for direct legislative appropriation to the Office of the Public Auditor, and for other purposes."*
 - e. **HB 23-19:** *"To provide a tax credit for taxpayers who make donations of cash or food supplies to a qualified local food pantry, homeless shelter, or soup kitchen."*
 - f. **HB 23-26:** *"To amend 4 CMC 1402 (g)(1) to allocate 10 percent of the excise tax to the Solid Waste Management Revolving Fund."*
 - g. **HB 23-27:** *"To ensure that the expenditure authority designated in the Annual Appropriation Act retains exclusive control over all funds appropriated to it."*
 - h. **HB 23-28:** *"To clarify the process for appropriation of administrative expenses of the Department of Public Lands and timely transfer of funds to Marianas Public Land Trust."*
- VI. Miscellaneous
- VII. Adjournment