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August 1, 2011

The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat

Speaker

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31st Guam Legislature

155 Hesler Place

Hagatna, Guam 96910

VIA: The Honorable Rory J Respicio
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

RE: Committee Report on Bill No. 240-31 (COR) As Substituted

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is the Report of Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations and Public Broadcasting the on Substitute Bill No. 240-31 (COR) "An act to amend §850, §852 & §853 all of chapter 8 Article 2 of Title 1 Guam Code Annotated, relative to arts in building and facilities." sponsored by Senator Aline Yamashita PhD and substituted by the Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations and Public Broadcasting.

Committee votes are as follows:

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TO DO PASS

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TO NOT PASS

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TO REPORT OUT ONLY

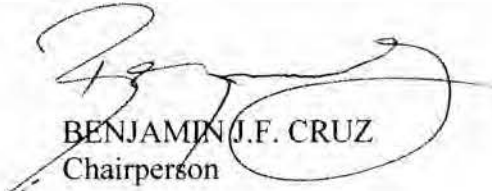
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TO ABSTAIN

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Sincerely,


BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ
Chairperson

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COMMITTEE REPORT

ON

Substitute Bill No. 240-31 (COR)

“An act to amend §850, §852 & §853 all of chapter 8 Article 2 of Title 1 Guam Code Annotated, relative to arts in building and facilities.”



August 1, 2011

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Members
Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General
Government Operations and Public Broadcasting

FROM: Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz


SUBJECT: Committee Report on Bill No. 240-31(COR) As Substituted

Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report on Substitute Bill No. 240-31(COR)- "An act to amend §850, §852 & §853 all of chapter 8 Article 2 of Title 1 Guam Code Annotated, relative to arts in building and facilities." This report includes the following:

- Committee Vote Sheet
- Committee Report Digest
- Bill No. 240-31(COR)
- Substitute Bill No. 240-31(COR)
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- COR Referral of Bill No. 240-31(COR)
- Fiscal Note Requirement
- Notices of Public Hearing
- Public Hearing Agenda

Please take the appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

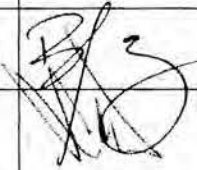




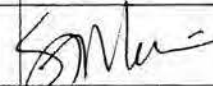
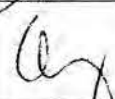
Very truly yours,


BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ
Chairperson



COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET

Substitute Bill No. 240-31 (COR) "An act to amend §850, §852 & §853 all of chapter 8 Article 2 of Title 1 Guam Code Annotated, relative to arts in building and facilities."

COMMITTEE MEMBERS	SIGNATURE	TO PASS	TO NOT PASS	TO REPORT OUT ONLY	TO ABSTAIN	TO PLACE IN INACTIVE FILE
CRUZ, BENJAMIN J.F. Chairperson		8/1/11				
MUÑA BARNES, TINA ROSE Vice-Chairperson				✓		
WON PAT, JUDITH T. Speaker and Ex-Officio Member						
ADA, THOMAS C. Member				✓ 8/1/11		
GUTHERTZ, JUDITH P. Member						
RESPICIO, RORY J. Member						
RODRIGUEZ, DENNIS G. JR. Member						
ADA, V. ANTHONY Member		8/1/11				
DUEÑAS, CHRISTOPHER Member		8/1/11				
MABINI, SAM Member		8/1/11				
YAMASHITA, ALINE Member		8/1/11				



Committee Report Digest

I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations and Public Broadcasting convened a public hearing on Friday, July 15th, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. in the Public Hearing Room of *I Liheslatura*. Among the items on the agenda was the consideration of Bill No. 240-31 (COR) "An act to amend §850, §852 & §853 all of chapter 8 Article 2 of Title 1 Guam Code Annotated, relative to arts in building and facilities."

Substitute Bill No. 240-31(LS) would enforce standing legislation to make art a necessity in any building or facility. The 1% required by law now would be given to The Council for Arts and Humanities who shall create rules and regulations and therefore be in charge of the program.

Public Notice Requirements

All legal requirements for public notices were met, with requests for publication sent to all media and all senators on July 8th and 13th via email. Copies of the hearing notices are appended to the report.

Senators Present

Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz, Chairperson
Senator V. Anthony Ada, Committee Member
Senator Aline A. Yamashita, Ph.D., Committee Member
Senator Adolpho Palacios, Committee Member
Senator Chris Duenas, Committee Member
Senator Thomas Ada, Committee Member
Senator Mana Silva, Committee Member
Senator Rory J. Respicio, Committee Member
Senator Sam Mabini Ph.D., Committee Member

The public hearing was called to order at 9:05 a.m.

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY AND DISCUSSION

Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz called the public hearing to order at 9:05 a.m. and announced the morning's agenda and public hearing notices.

James Artero Cameron, Director, Department of Chamorro Affairs, testified that he was



renaissance of the Chamorro Culture.

Monica Okada, Galaide Group, testified that this bill's intent is positive. That she supports the measure fully.

III. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations and Public Broadcasting finds there is a need for amendments to the bill the changes are as follows:

Substitute Bill No. 240-31 (COR)

The following revisions to Bill No. 240-31(COR) are contained in Substitute Bill No. 240-31(COR).

- **Section 1 has been revised as follows:**

- The Legislature declares it to be a ~~territorial~~ policy that a portion of appropriations for capital expenditures for public buildings be set aside for the acquisition of works of art to be used in such buildings and in any buildings intended for use of the general public to the extent that the construction or improvement of such non-public buildings is supported by either Federal or government of Guam tax incentives or other subsidy arrangement funds through ~~tax abatements, rebates, loans, loan guarantees or bond financing or by Federal funds administered by the government of Guam.~~

- **Section 2 has been revised to include a amendments to item (a) and two (2) new items (g) and (h) as follows:**

- (a) Plans for public buildings and buildings supported by Federal or government of Guam ~~funds~~ subsidy which contain public areas and plans for remodeling or renovation of public buildings or facilities where the total cost of construction, remodeling or renovation exceeds the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) shall contain provisions for the inclusion of works of art, by local



artists if available, including, but not limited to sculptures, paintings, murals or objects relating to or consisting of native art ...

- “(g) The Director of CAHA shall include in CAHA rules and regulations, pursuant to the Administrative Adjudication Law procedures for the acceptance of funds as stated in this Section.

- (1) An account shall be established which shall be maintained separate and apart from other funds of the government of Guam and shall be kept in a separate bank account and shall not be subject to any transfer authority of *I Maga'lahren Guahan*. Funds shall remain in such account and expended by CAHA for purposes mandated in this section. Said Fund shall be examined and reported upon as required by law by the Director of CAHA who will serve as the certifying officer of said Fund.

- (2) On the first (1st) day of each fiscal quarter, the CAHA Director shall provide to *I Maga'lahren Guahan* and the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guahan*, and post on the CAHA website, a detailed report of how funds were allocated and utilized.

- (h) Enforcement.

- (1) CAHA shall identify public buildings in non-compliance with this Section and send written notice within ten (10) working days. Upon receipt of the notice, recipients have two weeks – fourteen (14) calendar days— to acknowledge, in writing, receipt. Recipients will be given up to one (1) fiscal year to comply with this Section.

- (2) The Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA) shall ensure that current Qualifying Certificate (QC) program beneficiaries are in compliance with this Section.

- (3) For monitoring purposes, GEDA shall provide CAHA a list of past and current QC recipients. CAHA will determine whether former QC recipients complied with subsections (a) and (c), and notify them in writing if non-compliance was



determined. Upon receipt of the notice, recipients have two weeks – fourteen (14) calendar days)— to acknowledge, in writing, receipt. Recipients will be given up to one (1) fiscal year to comply with this Section.

(4) CAHA shall provide the Department of Revenue and Taxation a list of QC recipients who fail to comply with this Section. The Department of Revenue and Taxation shall refuse to grant renewal of business licenses for current and past QC recipients in noncompliance, until the CAHA Director issues a written confirmation of compliance.”

- **A new Section 3 was included as it was inadvertently omitted in the bill during initial introduction, with the following header: “Chapter 8, Article 2 of Title 1, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby amended to read as follows”:**

- Revisions were made to item (a) to include a heading:
 - **Government of Guam buildings and structures.**
- New items (c) and (d) were added to Section 3:

(c) **Compliance.** Government of Guam agencies found in non-compliance of this Section shall be given up to one fiscal year to comply. CAHA shall ensure compliance with this Section.

(d) **Government Leased Spaces.** Government of Guam agencies leasing spaces are not exempt from this Section, and if found in non-compliance will be given up to one fiscal year to comply. CAHA shall ensure compliance with this Section.”

- **A new Section 4 to include a severability clause was added:**
 - **Section 4. Severability.** If any provision of this Law or its application to any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Law which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this Law are severable.



effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this Law are severable.

Please note that the Committee recognizes that some members have concerns about the language of this measure. Most glaring perhaps is:

(h) (4) CAHA shall provide the Department of Revenue and Taxation a list of QC recipients who fail to comply with this Section. The Department of Revenue and Taxation shall refuse to grant renewal of business licenses for current and past QC recipients in noncompliance, until the CAHA Director issues a written confirmation of compliance."

Some have made the suggestion that the word *shall* should be replaced with *may* therefore making the language permissive and allowing some latitude for the Director of DRT to have some leeway in deciding whether or not to grant a business license.

The Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations and Public Broadcasting to which was referred Bill No. 240-31 (COR), hereby submits these findings to *I Mina' Trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guahan* and reports out Substitute Bill No. 240-31(COR) with the recommendation TO REPORT OUT ONLY.

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2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

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BILL NO. 240-31 (cor)

Introduced by:

A.A. YAMASHITA, PhD *[Signature]*

**AN ACT TO AMEND §850, §852 & §853 ALL OF CHAPTER 8,
ARTICLE 2 OF TITLE 1, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED,
RELATIVE TO ARTS IN BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES.**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

2 **Section 1. § 850 of Chapter 8, Article 2 of Title 1, Guam Code Annotated, is**
3 **hereby amended to read as follows:**

4 **“§ 850. Purpose.**

5 The ~~territory~~ government of Guam recognizes its responsibility to foster culture
6 and the arts and the necessity for the development of ~~local artists~~ the arts, beginning with
7 our young children and throughout the community. The Legislature declares it to be a
8 ~~territorial~~ policy that a portion of appropriations for capital expenditures for public
9 buildings be set aside for the acquisition of works of art to be used in such buildings and
10 in any buildings intended for use of the general public to the extent that the construction
11 or improvement of such non-public buildings is supported by either government of Guam
12 funds through tax abatements, rebates, loans, loan guarantees or bond financing or by
13 Federal funds administered by the government of Guam.

14 **Section 2. § 852 of Chapter 8, Article 2 of Title 1, Guam Code Annotated, is**
15 **hereby amended to read as follows:**

16 **“§ 852. Arts in Public Buildings and Buildings Supported by Public**

1 **Funds.**

2 (a) Plans for public buildings and buildings supported by government of Guam
3 funds which contain public areas and plans for remodeling or renovation of public
4 buildings or facilities where the total cost of construction, remodeling or
5 renovation exceeds the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) shall
6 contain provisions for the inclusion of works of art, by local artists if available,
7 including, but not limited to sculptures, paintings, murals or objects relating to or
8 consisting of indigenous art as defined in ~~Public Law 15-50~~ § 851 of this Chapter.
9 The owner of the building shall also have the option of allotting at least one
10 percent (1%) of the overall construction, remodeling or renovation cost of a
11 building to the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities (CAHA) in lieu of the
12 inclusion of works of art. If artwork plans are selected, however, a representation
13 of the final selection shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation
14 and/or the online version of the newspaper for public screening prior to
15 implementation.
16 (b) Before issuance of the occupancy permit for such construction, remodeling or
17 reconstruction the owner of the building must obtain clearance from the Guam
18 Council on Arts and Humanities Agency (~~CAHA~~) that the provisions of this
19 Chapter are being complied with.
20 (c) At least one percent (1%) of the overall construction, remodeling or
21 renovation cost of a building described in subsection (a) of this section shall be
22 reserved for the purposes of the design, construction, mounting, maintenance and

1 replacement, and administration of works of art by CAHA in the public area of
2 such a building or the owner shall give the amount to CAHA.

3 The Director of CAHA shall include in CAHA rules and regulations,
4 pursuant to the Administrative Adjudication Law, for the disposition of funds to
5 meet the purpose of fostering culture and the arts for the development of local
6 artists, our children and the community as a whole.

7 The Director of the Department of Public Works shall ensure that no
8 construction, remodeling or renovating of a public building or building supported
9 by government of Guam funds is granted an occupancy permit(s) without this
10 Chapter being complied with.

11 (d) Such buildings with an overall construction cost of less than One Hundred
12 Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) are exempted from the requirements of the Chapter
13 unless inclusion of works of art in their design and construction is specifically
14 authorized by the owner.

15 (e) The artist who creates these works of art shall be selected as provided in
16 subsection (f) of this section.

17 (f) The Director of CAHA shall develop rules and regulations, pursuant to the
18 Administrative Adjudication Law, for the selection of works of art under this
19 Chapter, and shall open competition for awarding any art contract
20 under this Chapter by:

21 (1) Soliciting proposals from local artists by a project announcement
22 published no less than three (3) times in a local publication of general
23 circulation in print and online versions.

(2) Appointing a selection committee consisting of five (5) members to review all proposals and report to the Director the results of its deliberations regarding the proposed art contract. Such committee shall include a representative of the building's owner or of the agency or department involved, the project architect, the municipal commissioner from the project site, and at least two (2) practicing artists from Guam. The final decision regarding the use of art work and the selection committee's recommendations shall be by the Director of CAHA, who shall be the contracting officer for any art contract executed pursuant to this Chapter.

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4 Section, it shall refuse to issue either a building permit or an occupancy permit (as
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2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

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Governor of Guam

Honorable Ray S. Ternorio
Lieutenant Governor of Guam

Joseph Artero-Cameron

June 20, 2011

The Honorable Benjamin J Cruz
Vice-Speaker & Chairman
Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement,
General Government Operations & Public Broadcasting
Thirty-First Guam Legislature
155 Hesler Street, Hagåtña

Subject: Testimony Bill No. 240-31

Dear Vice-Speaker Cruz:

Recipients of CAHA award grants follow federal guidelines limiting recipients age 18 or older.

Bill No. 240 allows monies for those artists below the age of eighteen to participate in arts grant awards. The monies will come from an existing revenue stream.

During Ms. Jackie Balbas and I's discussion with Senator Yamashita, it became very clear that children are "left out" without possibility of nurturing their artistic abilities.

This local initiative promotes and endorses minors' engagement in the art world in their critical formative years.

I applaud the intent and the positive effect Bill No. 240 advocates. The Guam Council of the Arts and Humanities is the natural agency to manage such a program; given their track record of successes with adult arts recipients (through federal funding with the National Endowment of the Arts).

Bill No. 240 provides a cultural shift in the way CAHA has does business. A change welcomed.

I am very sure there are many young artists in grade schools that need the "extra push" for successes; as Bill No. 240 provides.

Senator Yamashita's bill is a PERFECT fit to the mission and the vision of the Calvo-Ternorio Administration. Our campaign platform on education and the preservation of local artists is aligned with Bill No. 240.

Let's support this Bill; a welcomed addition that will definitely be supported by our community with overwhelming embrace.

Joseph A. Cameron
JOSEPH ARTERO-CAMERON



The Honorable
Eddie Baza Calvo
Governor

The Honorable
Ray Tenorio
Lieutenant Governor



July 15, 2011

The Honorable Benjamin J.F. Cruz
Vice Speaker
Chairperson, Committee on Procurement, Cultural Affairs
Public Broadcasting and Youth & General Government Operations
I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
155 Hessler Place
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Re: Bill 240-31, *AN ACT TO AMEND §850, §852 & §853 ALL OF CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 2 OF TITLE 1, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ARTS IN BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES*

Dear Vice Speaker Cruz:

Buenas yan hafa adai!

The Department of Public Works thanks you and the Committee for the opportunity to submit testimony relative to the above referenced bill.

While the DPW supports the intent and the spirit of the bill, we are concerned that it will create yet another level of procedural review and approval within the building permit process. As such, the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities should be prepared to expedite their reviews and approvals to ensure that the building permit process is efficient and effective.

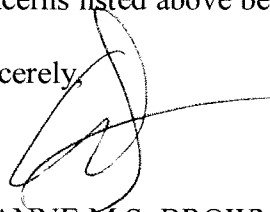
In addition, it is important to clarify whether the one percent (1%) is inclusive of the property value or is just limited to the construction, remodeling or renovation costs. This is important given that the Government of Guam leases a number of its facilities throughout the island, and it is feasible that there may be build-to-suit type leaseholds in the future, designed specifically for Government of Guam purposes. Such leases generally include the cost of land acquisition that, in some cases, may actually equal or exceed the value of the building.

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Another concern is whether this would apply to temporary leaseholds, such as the recent John F. Kennedy High School lease in the renovated Tiyan facilities. Would the valuation for the percentage of the arts be based on the total leasehold costs or just the value of the renovations? It is certainly arguable that those facilities were renovated specifically to suit the needs of the Government of Guam for a limited amount of time. However, the property owner will enjoy the benefits of the improvements (paid for in part by the Government through the lease) long after JFK has moved to its new facilities.

We are presently in the process of revamping our building permit process and can easily include the provisions of this bill into our updated permitting system. However, we do suggest that some of the concerns listed above be properly addressed to ensure that the intent of the law is clear and enforceable.

Sincerely,


JOANNE M.S. BROWN

Office of the Vice Speaker
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Re: Per Cent of the Arts

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Judy Flores to me, Monica

Attached is my testimony in favor of Bill 240-31. Please forward to Senator Aline Yamashita.
Judy

> Hafa Adai fellow CHACO members,
>
> There will be a public hearing tomorrow, Friday, July 15 at the Guam
> Legislature Public Hearing Room on Bill 240-31, an act introduced by
> Senator Aline Yamashita to update the Per Cent of the Arts Program. If you
> will remember, many years ago, when our economy was booming, there were
> significant amount of dollars poured into requiring local art in our
> buildings. This really helped to promote our local artists as well as
> bringing a piece of our culture into these businesses. With the military
> build up and the potential for much construction, we should take advantage
> and pursue this type of
>
> I have attached the draft legislation. If you have time to come out and
> support this effort, it would be really good to see you. Please pass this
> on to other artists and friends of the arts. According to Jackie Balbas,
> Joseph Cameron, as Acting ED for CAHA will submit testimony.
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> Esta,
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> Más Rikuetdo / Best Regards
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Benjamin J.F. Cruz

TO: Senator Aline A. Yamashita
 Vice Speaker Benjamin J. Cruz

SUBJECT: Support for Bill 240-31 AN ACT TO AMEND §850, §852 & §853 ALL
 OF CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 2 OF TITLE 1, GUAM CODE
 ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ARTS IN BUILDINGS AND
 FACILITIES.

I am pleased to see the introduction of this bill, which will enhance an existing percent-for-the-arts law. In the 1990s this law was very beneficial to local artists as well as for the enrichment of those who frequent the public spaces where the art was displayed. Due in part to our economic recession, the effectiveness of this law has diminished to the point where enforcement is non-existent. It is time for revitalizing and expanding the intent of this law to meet current economic opportunities and to encourage a new generation of artists.

I applaud the intent of the bill to expand the benefits whereby a percent of construction fees may go to CAHA, where it can be used to benefit performing artists and other important art programs in addition to visual artists.

I also support additions that will designated specific agencies to enforce this law; and to insure that all entities involved will support and comply with the intent of the legislation.

The revival of visual and performing indigenous art has grown extensively since the introduction of the original percent-for-the-arts legislation twenty-two years ago. This is a pro-active and much-needed update.

Saina ma'ase,



Judy S. Flores, PhD



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July 19, 2011

Memorandum

MAJORITY MEMBERS:

From: Senator Rory J. Respicio

Subject: Fiscal Notes

Hafa Adai!

Attached please find the fiscal notes for the bill numbers listed below. Please note that the fiscal notes, or waivers, are issued on the bills as introduced.

Bill Nos.:

77-31 (COR)	237-31 (COR)	246-31 (COR)
172-31 (COR)	239-31 (COR)	249-31 (COR)
209-31 (COR)	240-31 (COR)	251-31 (COR)
212-31 (COR)	242-31 (COR)	252-31 (COR)
226-31 (LS)	243-31 (COR)	253-31 (COR)
228-31 (COR)	244-31 (COR)	254-31 (COR)
233-31 (COR)	245-31 (COR)	256-31 (COR)

Senator
vicente c. pangelinan

Senator
Aline A. Yamashita
ASST. MINORITY LEADER

Please forward the same to MIS for posting on our website. Please contact our office should you have any questions regarding this matter.

Si Yu'os ma'āse'!

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Hafa Adai Senator Respicio:

Transmitted herewith are Fiscal Notes on the following Bill Nos.: 77-31(COR), 172-31(COR), 209-31(COR), 212-31(COR), 226-31(LS), 228-31(COR), 233-31(COR), 237-31(COR), 239-31(COR), 240-31(COR), 243-31(COR), 244-31(COR), 245-31(COR), 246-31(COR), 249-31(COR), 251-31(COR), 252-31(COR), 254-31(COR), 256-31(COR) and Fiscal Note Waivers on Bill Nos.: 242-31(COR), 253-31(COR).

If you have any question(s), please do not hesitate to call the office at 475-9412/9106.


JOHN A. RIOS
Acting Director

Enclosures

cc: Senator Vicente (ben) Pangelinan

Bureau of Budget & Management Research
Fiscal Note of Bill No. 240-31 (COR)

AN ACT TO AMEND § 850, § 852 & § 853 ALL OF CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 2 OF TITLE 1, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ARTS IN BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES.

Department/Agency Appropriation Information

Dept./Agency Affected: Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency	Dept./Agency Head: Joseph Artero-Cameron
Department's General Fund (GF) appropriation(s) to date:	288,700
Department's Other Fund (Specify) appropriation(s) to date: Tourist Attraction Fund \$50,000	50,000
Total Department/Agency Appropriation(s) to date:	\$338,700

Fund Source Information of Proposed Appropriation

	General Fund:	(Specify Special Fund):	Total:
FY 2010 Unreserved Fund Balance ¹		\$0	\$0
FY 2011 Adopted Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0
FY 2011 Appro. (P.L. 30-196)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total:	\$0	\$0	\$0
Less appropriation in Bill	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total:	\$0	\$0	\$0

Estimated Fiscal Impact of Bill

	One Full Fiscal Year	For Remainder of FY 2011 (if applicable)	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
(Specify Special Fund):	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/

1. Does the bill contain "revenue generating" provisions? /X/ Yes / / No
 If Yes, see attachment. 1/
2. Is amount appropriated adequate to fund the intent of the appropriation? 1. /X/ N/A / / Yes / / No
 If no, what is the additional amount required? /X/ N/A
3. Does the Bill establish a new program/agency? /X/ Yes / / No
 If yes, will the program duplicate existing programs/agencies? / / N/A / / Yes /X/ No
 Is there a federal mandate to establish the program/agency? / / Yes /X/ No
4. Will the enactment of this Bill require new physical facilities? / / Yes /X/ No
5. Was Fiscal Note coordinated with the affected dept/agency? If no, indicate reason: /X/ Yes / / No
 / / Requested agency comments not received by due date / / Other: _____

Analyst: Angela Flores Date: 7/1/11 Director: JOHN A. RIOS, Acting Date: 7/18/11

Footnotes:

1/ The Bill has a potential for additional funding impact in terms of staffing the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency (CAHA) to conduct the additional responsibilities for its review and clearance before issuance of occupancy permits for construction, remodeling or renovation of public buildings at a cost exceeding \$100,000. See attachment for projected multi-year revenue comments.

Bureau of Budget & Management Research
Attachment to Fiscal Note No. 240-31 (COR)
(for revenue generating provisions)

Projected Multi-Year Revenues					
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
(Specify Special Fund): 1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Total	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/

Comments:

1/ There is a potential for increase in revenues as Section 2(a) of Bill No. 240-31 (COR) provides that owners seeking construction, remodeling or renovation of its public buildings, at a cost exceeding \$100,000 may opt to allot at least 1% of such cost (e.g. \$1,000) to CAHA for its disposition, in lieu of inclusion of works of art by local artists. However, in the Bill's present form that impact cannot be determined at this time. It is noted that a special fund account is not identified for purposes of accounting for such potential revenue increase.



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June 16, 2011

MEMORANDUM

To: Pat Santos
Clerk of the Legislature

Attorney Therese M. Terlaje
Legislative Legal Counsel

From: Senator Judith P. Guthertz, DPA
Acting Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Subject: Referral of Bill No. 240-31 (COR)

As the Acting Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bill No. 240-31 (COR).

Please ensure that the subject bill is referred, in my name, to the respective committee, as shown on the attachment. I also request that the same be forwarded to all members of *I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at 472-7679.

Si Yu'os ma'åse!

(1) Attachment

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Bill Log Sheet
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Bill No.	Sponsor(s)	Title	Date Introduced	Date Referred	120 Day Deadline	Committee Referred	Public Hearing Date	Date Committee Report Filed	Status (Date) Passed? Failed? Vetoed? Overridden? Public Law?
240-31 (COR)	A. A. Yamashita, Ph.D.	AN ACT TO AMEND §850, §852 & §853 ALL OF CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 2 OF TITLE 1, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ARTS IN BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES.	6/14/11 3:05 p.m.	6/16/11		Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations and Public Broadcasting.			

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Hafa Adai All,

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July 8, 2011

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Members/All Senators

FROM: Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz

RE: First Notice of Public Hearing – July 15th, 2011

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Senseramente,

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July 13, 2011

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Members/All Senators

FROM: Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz

RE: Second Notice of Public Hearing – July 15th, 2011

Hafa Adai! Please be advised that the Committee on Youth, Cultural Affairs, Procurement, General Government Operations, and Public Broadcasting will conduct a Public Hearing on Friday July 15th, 2011 at 9:00 A.M. in *I Liheslaturan's* Public Hearing Room with the following agenda:

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- **Bill No. 256-31 (COR)**- B.J.F. Cruz / M.S. Taijeron- "An act add a *new* § 10313 to Article 3 of Chapter 10 of Title 5 of the Guam Code; relative to the public disclosure of temporary labor certifications."
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Please provide written testimonies at least one day prior to the hearing to the Office of the Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F Cruz, 155 Hesler Place, Hagatna Guam 96910. They may be sent via facsimile to 477-2522, or via email to chris.carillo@senatorbjcruz.com.

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