

SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr.

I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, SENIOR CITIZENS AND ELECTION REFORM

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VIA: The Honorable Rory J. Respicio	-2
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RE: Committee Report - Bill No. 54-31 (COR), as Sub	.61-

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is the Committee Report on Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report on Substitute Bill No. 54-31; "An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act"; sponsored by Christopher Duenas and Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr., and referred to the Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform. Bill No. 54-31 (COR) was publicly heard on February 16, 2011.

Committee votes are as follows:

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Respectfully,

SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR.

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SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr.

I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES,
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, SENIOR CITIZENS AND ELECTION REFORM

COMMITTEE REPORT

ON

BILL NO. 54-31 (COR), as Substituted

Sponsored by Christopher Duenas and Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

"An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act."



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March 15, 2011

MEMORANDUM

To: ALL MEMBERS

Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform.

From: SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR. Ay

Committee Chairperson

Subject: Committee Report on Bill No. 54-31 (COR), as Substituted.

Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report on BILL NO. 54-31 (COR) as SUBSTITUTED; "An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act"; sponsored by Christopher M. Duenas and Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

This report includes the following:

- · Committee Voting Sheet
- Committee Report Narrative / Digest
- Copy of Bill No. 54-31 (COR), as Substituted
- Copy of Bill No.54-31 (COR)
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- Copies of Submitted Testimony & Supporting Documents
- Copy of COR Referral of Bill No. 54-31 (COR)
- Notices of Public Hearing (1st and 2nd)
- Copy of the Public Hearing Agenda
- Related News Articles (Public hearing publication of public notice)

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.

Si Yu'os ma'ase'!

Attachment



SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr.

I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, SENIOR CITIZENS AND ELECTION REFORM

COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET BILL NO. 54-31 (COR), as Substituted

"An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act"; sponsored by Christopher Duenas and Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

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COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

Bill No. 54-31 (COR), as Substituted

I. OVERVIEW: The Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform conducted a public hearing on January 28, 2011. The Hearing convened at 09:00 A.M. in *I Liheslatura*'s Public Hearing Room. Among the items on the agenda was the consideration of Bill No. 54-31; "An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act"; sponsored by Christopher M. Duenas and Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

Public Notice Requirements

Notices were disseminated via hand-delivery/fax and/or e-mail to all senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on January 20, 2011 (5-Day Notice), and again on January 25, 2011 (48-Hour Notice). Notice was published *on-line* in the Pacific Daily News on January 21, 2011.

Senators Present

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

Senator Thomas C. Ada

Senator Rory J. Respicio

Senator Christopher M. Duenas

Senator Anthony Ada

Senator Frank F. Blas, Jr.

Chairperson

Vice-Chairperson

Committee Member

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The public hearing on agenda item Bill No. 54-31 (COR) was Called-to-Order at 09:03 A.M.

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY & DISCUSSION.

CHAIRMAN DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR., convened the Public Hearing on Bill No. 54-31 (COR). Invited Senator Christopher Duenas, author of Bill No. 54-31 (COR), to explain the intent of the bill.

Senator Chris Duenas: Thank you very much Mr. Chairman. This maybe the first time that I defend the bill as testimony had already been given in my introduction. First of all I d like to thank you for your timeliness in conducting this public hearing. Obviously these two bills have a similarity in terms of their recognition, in not only the general but also the primary. A large number of spoiled ballots and the discrepancies and the election process itself. So this Bill-54-31, basically, tries to do 3 things to correct that process; 1) to separate the congressional ballot from the other offices as a stand alone ballot, and conduct the other elections on the primary ballot; 2) ensure that during the primary, that both the parties are placed at the opposite sides of the ballot so that its very simple the instructions. The election designated employee to give simple instructions to vote on one side of the ballots. The 3) is related but probably more to the general, of course a primary election as well, and that is to codify and help the election commission that it is placed in law that they conform to oversee citizens absentee act, commonly know as the "Move Act-Military and Overseas Empowerment." And that was a strong point of contention in the general election than the primary. And so but I believe that it will allow for the concurrence going into the general. So it's pretty basic and pretty straightforward. In anticipation of some of the issues that Uncle Larry has brought up there is an opportunity in the mark up meetings to recommend this bill, should the separation of the ballots not be proper because of the potential of having not voted strictly along party lines because of the fact that there is a provision to have a 2 sided ballot. The ballot will be less busy and have more room and accommodate to conduct this. We can still have the congressional ballot but we can still have it on one side. So you can still have the congressional race, but if it is 2-sided it is a lot less tempting for those who want to vote in the congressional race and also want to participate and vote for another individual but also want to vote for another party perhaps senatorial and mayoral so that ca be amended. I want to complete the opening by agreeing with what they discussed while understanding the terms of the party elections that should be conducted by the parties. But with the understanding and having research the election commission, every time before an election is to be conducted. Issues their letter to the parties, the parties respond and they continue to respond that a primary election shall be conducted by the GEC. And it will be up the parties to respond to the election indicate THEY will take the responsibility of conducting their primary and placing their nominations before the GEC and before the regularly scheduled general election. So, with that Mr. Char, I would like to thank you for the opportunity to introduce this bill and I will defer to you at this time.

Chairman: Thank you very much Senator Duenas. Mr. Carbullido is you going to testify first? And we can come back.

Carbullido: No I'm not going to testify.

Chairman: Thank you very much. Mr. Ramirez?

Ramirez: As you might know Congress still passes a lot of laws. The law mandated that after 15 days after the election, if the candidate does not receive 50+1 votes then a runoff should occur to see who be the next candidate.

Chairman: Thank you Mr. Ramirez. Are there any other members who wish to speak on this bill? No? Ok? Just like the first bill we'll have a mark up of this and have the GEC have a look at this. The committee will now conclude the hearing on Bill 54-31, and accordingly Bill 54 has been heard. The committee will continue to receive testimony for the next few days. Submit testimony to the Committee on Health and Human Service, Economic Development, Senior Citizens and Election Reform and submit is via email at senatordrodriguez@gmail.com, or at my office at 176 Sirenu Ave., Guam or here at the legislative building at 155 Hesler Place, Hagatna Guam. Thank you.

There being no other testimony, or comments by Senators, Chairman Rodriguez declared the bill as having been duly heard, and concluded the public hearing on Bill No. 54-31 (COR).

Fiscal Note: Requested February 10, 2011 (attached), and was received on February 28,2011 (attached).

III. FINDINGS & RECOMMENDATIONS

Based upon information obtained, as well as recommendations received during the public hearing, Bill No. 54-31 (COR) has been amended by the Committee.

The Committee on, Health & Human Services, Economic Development, Senior Citizens, and Election Reform, hereby **reports out Bill No. 54-31 (COR), as Substituted,** with the recommendation to <u>PASS</u>.

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Bill No. <u>54-31 (COR)</u>, As Substituted by the Committee on Health and Human Services, Senior Citizens, Economic Development, and Election Reform.

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Introduced by:	C. Duenas
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An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- Section 1. Legislative Statement and Intent. It is the intent of *I Liheslatura* to encourage voters of Guam to exercise their right in a manner that minimizes the spoiling of their cast ballots. To this end, *I Liheslatura* proposes to change the Primary Election ballot so that all candidates from one (1) recognized political party are listed on one side of the ballot, with all candidates from the other recognized political party listed on the opposite side.
- Section 2. §7105 of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated is amended to read:
- "§ 7105. Order of Names on Ballot Legislature. The Commission shall prepare the ballot in such a manner that a nominee's name shall appear under the name of the political party, if any,

sponsoring such nominee.

In all elections, the names of all nominees or candidates for a specific office shall be listed in a random manner. Each contestant for any office under a party or independent designation shall be listed according to lot drawn by the Election Commission. All drawings for ballot position shall be done publicly and persons appearing on the ballot shall be specifically invited to attend. The drawings for ballot placement shall be accomplished as soon as is reasonably possible after the identity of the persons to appear on the ballot is known to the Election Commission.

The names of the nominees shall appear in columns vertically in such order as is determined by lot. The names of all nominees holding the office for which they are seeking election shall have the word **INCUMBENT** printed immediately after them."

Section 3. §16301(a) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotate, is amended to read:

"(a) All candidates for all offices to be contested in the forthcoming General Election shall appear on a Primary Ballot to be voted upon by voters in each voting district. A voting district is each district within Guam as defined in 1 GCA § 403, unless otherwise provided in this Title. The Guam Election Commission shall publish a ballot with the names of all qualified candidates from the Republican Party on one (1) side of the ballot, and the names of all qualified candidates from the Democratic Party on the opposite side. This ballot format shall be used to limit voters to casting votes in only one party for all offices in that Primary Election."

Section 4. §16301(d) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, is amended to read:

"(d) There shall appear specific instructions in boldface type on each ballot that a voter may cast votes for candidates appearing on that ballot for one (1) party only; that if votes are cast for candidates of more than one (1) party for any office or

- nomination of offices appearing on the ballot, the entire ballot shall be void. The
- 2 instructions on the ballot shall clearly indicate that voters are allowed to cast votes in
- only one (1) party for all offices in that Primary Election, and shall not cast votes on
- 4 more than one (1) side of the ballot. Any ballot wherein votes are cast for more than
- one (1) party for all offices in that Primary Election shall be void;"

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Section 5. §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, is amended to read:

- "(e) The ballot for each office for which party nominations are sought shall contain instructions to the voters as to the maximum number of candidates that may be selected for that office; that party's candidates for nomination for each office shall be listed on the ballot in random order in a manner similar to that established for General Election Ballot listing and placement;"
- Section 6. Uniform and Overseas Citizens 13 Absentee Voting (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment 14 (MOVE) Act. The Guam Election Commission shall adopt the same policy and 15 procedures as embodied in the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act 16 (UOCAVA), as amended, relative to the timelines for the issuance, receipt, and 17 18 tabulation of all absentee ballots issued for each local elective office as it would follow for any federal elective office. 19
- Section 7. Effective Date. This Act shall be effective upon enactment into law.

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Bill No. 54 - 31 (LS)

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An Act to amend §7105, §16301(a), §16301(d) and §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election ballot; to mandate the separation of local and federal elective offices; and, to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Statement and Intent. The Guam Election Commission has ascertained that a number of ballots cast in the 2010 Primary Election were spoiled as a result of cross-over votes being cast for a Republican Gubernatorial team and for the Democrat candidate for the office of Washington Delegate. It is the intent of *I Liheslatura* to encourage voters of Guam to exercise their right in a manner that minimizes the spoiling of their cast ballots. To this end, *I Liheslatura* proposes to change the Primary Election ballot so that all candidates from one (1) recognized political party are listed on one side of the ballot, with all candidates from the other recognized political party listed on the opposite side. It is also the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* that the ballot for all federal elective offices shall be separate from the ballot for all local elective offices.

Section 2. §7105 of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated is amended to read:

"§ 7105. Order of Names on Ballot - Legislature. The Commission shall prepare the ballot in such a manner that a nominee's name shall appear under the name of the political party, if any, sponsoring such nominee.

In all elections, the names of all nominees or candidates for a specific office shall be listed in a random manner. Each contestant for any office under a party or independent designation shall be listed according to lot drawn by the Election Commission. All drawings for ballot position shall be done publicly and persons appearing on the ballot shall be specifically invited to attend. The drawings for ballot placement shall be accomplished as soon as is reasonably possible after the identity of the persons to appear on the ballot is known to the Election Commission.

The names of the nominees shall appear in columns vertically in such order as is determined by lot. [Columns for recognized political parties shall be listed on the basis of the number of nominees elected to the Legislature at the last preceding regular general election in descending order from left to right; last shall appear the names of those nominees not sponsored by any political party, which shall appear under the designation "Independent".] The names of all nominees holding the office for which they are seeking election shall have the word INCUMBENT printed immediately after them."

Section 3. §16301(a) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotate, is amended to read:

"(a) All candidates for all offices to be contested in the forthcoming General Election shall appear on a Primary Ballot to be voted upon by voters in each voting district. A voting district is each district within Guam as defined in 1 GCA § 403, unless otherwise provided in this Title. The Guam Election Commission shall [determine a method] publish a ballot with the names of all qualified candidates from the Republican Party on one (1) side of the ballot, and the names of all qualified candidates from the Democratic Party on the opposite side. This ballot format shall be used [that] to limit[s] voters to casting votes in only one party for all offices in that Primary Election. The ballot for each federal elective office shall be separate from the ballot for each local elective office;"

Section 4. §16301(d) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, is amended to read:

"(d) There shall appear specific instructions in boldface type on each ballot that a voter may cast votes for candidates appearing on that ballot for one (1) party only; that if votes are cast for candidates of more than one (1) party for any office or nomination of offices appearing on the ballot, the entire ballot shall be void. The instructions on the ballot shall clearly indicate that voters are allowed to cast votes in only one (1) party for all offices in that Primary Election, and shall not cast votes on more than one (1) side of the ballot. Any ballot wherein votes are cast for more than one (1) party for all offices in that Primary Election shall be void;"

Section 5. §16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, is amended to read:

"(e) [The order in which a party shall appear on the ballot shall be determined publicly by the
Guam Election Commission; each concerned party shall be given reasonable notice of the time and
place of the drawing and shall be invited to attend;

The ballot for each office for which party nominations are sought shall contain instructions to the voters as to the maximum number of candidates that may be selected for that office; that party's candidates for nomination for each office shall be listed on the ballot in random order in a manner similar to that established for General Election Ballot listing and placement;"

Section 6. Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (MOVE) Act. The Guam Election Commission shall adopt the same policy and procedures as embodied in the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended, relative to the timelines for the issuance, receipt, and tabulation of all absentee ballots issued for each local elective office as it would follow for any federal elective office.

Section 7. Effective Date. This Act shall be effective upon enactment into law.



SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr., Chairman

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, SENIOR CITIZENS AND ELECTION REFORM

Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guahan • 31st Guam Legislature

PUBLIC HEARING DATE / TIME: Wednesday, February 16, 2011 9:00am

AGENDA ITEM: Bill No. 54-31(COR)-AN ACT TO AMEND §7105, §16301 (a), §16301 (d) and § 16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code
Annotated, relative to the Primary Election Ballot; to mandate the separation of local and federal elected offices; to mandate the Guam Election
Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens absentee
Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (Move)act. (Introduced by C. Duenas)

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Senator Rory J. Respicio CHAIRPERSON Majority Leader February 24, 2011

Memorandum

Senator Judith P. Guthertz VICE CHAIRPERSON Asst. Majority Leader

To: Pat C. Santos

Clerk of the Legislature

MAJORITY MEMBERS:

Senator Rory J. Respicio

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Speaker Judith T. Won Pat

Subject: **Fiscal Notes**

Vice Speaker Benjamin J. F. Cruz

Hafa Adai!

From:

Senator Tina Rose Muña Barnes LEGISLATIVE SECRETARY MAIORITY WHIP

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.

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Ir. ASST. MAJORITY WHIP

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Bill Nos.: 28-31 (COR) 63-31 (COR) 54-31 (COR) 67-31 (COR) 56-31 (COR) 75-31 (COR) 59-31 (COR) 60-31 (COR) 61-31 (COR) 62-31 (COR)

MINORITY **MEMBERS:**

Senator Aline A. Yamashita Asst. Minority Leader

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

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Senator Rory J. Respicio Chairperson, Committee on Rules I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan The 31st Guam Legislature 155 Hester Place Hagåtna, Guam 96910

Hafa Adai Senator Respicio:

Transmitted herewith are Fiscal Notes on the following Bill Nos.: 28-31(COR), 54-31(COR), 60-31(COR), 61-31(COR), 62-31(COR), 63-31(COR), 67-31(COR) and 75-31(COR),

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

BENITA A. MANGLONA

Director

Enclosures

cc: Senator Vicente (ben) Pangelinan

Bureau of Budget & Management Research Fiscal Note of Bill No. 54-31

AN ACT TO AMEND §7105, §16301(a), §16301, §16301(d) AND §16301(e) OF TITLE 3, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT; TO MANDATE THE SEPARATION OF LOCAL AND FEDERAL ELECTIVE OFFICES; AND, TO MANDATE THE GUAM ELECTION COMMMISSION ADOPT THE SAME POLICY AND PROCEDURES FOR LOCAL OFFICE ABSENTEE BALLOTS AS REQUIRED UNDER UNIFORM AND OVERSEAS CITIZENS ABSENTEE VOTING ACT (UOCAVA), AS AMENDED BY THE MILITARY AND OVERSEAS VOTER EMPOWERMENT (MOVE) ACT.

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The Bill has a potential for additional funding impact. However, in its present form, that impact cannot be determined at this time.

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January 28, 2011

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Subject:

Referral of Bill Nos. 54-31 (COR) through 56-31 (COR)

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Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. ASST. MAJORITY WHIP

As Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bill Nos. 54-31 (COR) through 56-31 (COR).

Senator Thomas C. Ada

Please ensure that the subject bills are referred, in my name, to the respective committees, as shown on the attachment. I also request that the same be forwarded to all Senators of I Mina'trentai Unu na Liheslaturan Guåhan.

Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr.

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

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(3) Attachments

Senator Christopher M. Duenas

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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?
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- 01/27/11 Read first time. Referred to the Committee on Rules.
- 01/28/11 Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services, Senior Citizens, Economic Development, and Election Reform.
- 02/16/11 Public hearing scheduled by the Committee on Health and Human Services, Senior Citizens, Economic Development, and Election Reform.

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February 9, 2011

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TO:

ALL SENATORS

FROM:

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SUBJECT: FIRST NOTICE of Public Hearing scheduled for Wednesday, February 16, 2011.

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- III. Items for Public Consideration

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NEWS UPDATE: Confirmation hearing: Jones and Calvo appointments to GEDA

February 14, 2011

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The Committee on Health & Human Services, Economic Develop-ment, Senior Citizens and Election Reform will hold a public hearing Friday at the Guam Legislature's public hearing room. Testimony on the following bills will be heard: \$\triangle\$ Bill 46, which would require all

elected members of the Education Board to be citizens of the United

States,

A Bill 47, which would change the date of Senior Citizens Day from the third Wednesday of May to a date in May specified by the speaker of the Guam Legislature:

△Bill 55, which would authorize Guam Memorial Hospital Authority to solicit and contract, in whole or in part, for the management and opera-tion of vendor services relative to cafeterin, snach bar, restaurant, and/or other food service activities.

Bill 51, which would prohibit the abortion of femses more than 20 weeks of age, with exceptions for the health of the mother; and

. Bill 52, known as the The Woman's Reproductive Health Information Act of 2011, which would require a woman's "informed consent" before an abortion, including information about the anatomi-cal and physiological characteristics of the fetus.

Testimony may be submitted via hand delivery to 176 Serenu Avenue, Suite 107, Tamuning, Guam 96931 for at the main Legislature building at 155 Hesler Place, Hagatria, Guam 96910, or via e-mail to senatordrodriguez@gmail.com.



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PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA

Wednesday, February 16, 2011

Public Hearing Room, I Liheslaturan Guåhan, Hagatña, Guam

- Call to Order
- II. Announcements
- III. Items for Public Consideration

9:00am

- -The Executive Appointment of Ms. Ramona L.E. Jones to serve as a Member of the Guam Economic Development Authority Board.
- -The Executive Appointment of Mr. Edward J. Calvo to serve as a Member of the Guam Economic Development Authority Board.
- -Bill No. 50-31(COR)-AN ACT TO REPEAL TITLE 3 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED CHAPTER 10 § 10129 "EARLY VOTING SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY." (Introduced by R.J. Respicio)
- -Bill No. 54-31(COR)-AN ACT TO AMEND §7105, §16301 (a), §16301 (d) and § 16301(e) of Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, relative to the Primary Election Ballot; to mandate the separation of local and federal elected offices; to mandate the Guam Election Commission adopt the same policy and procedures for local office absentee ballots as required under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as amended by the Military and Overseas Voter Empowerment (Move) Act. (Introduced by C. Duenas)
 - IV. Announcements
 - V. Adjournment

The Committee requests that, if written testimonies are to be presented at the hearing, copies be submitted one day prior to the public hearing date, to the Office of Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. at 176 Serenu Avenue Suite 107, Tamuning, Guam, at our mailbox in the Legislature Building at 155 Hesler Place, Hagåtna, Guam or via email to senatordrodriguez@gmail.com. Copies of the aforementioned Resolution and/or Bills may be obtained at *I Liheslaturan Guåhan's* website at www.guamlegislature.org. Individuals requiring special accommodations or services, please contact Clifton Herbert or Joe Mesngon at 649-8638. We look forward to your presence and participation.