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BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES
70-32 (COR)		AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 8 TO CHAPTER 32 OF 5GCA RELATIVE TO GIFT CARDS AND GIFT CERTIFICATES.	3/19/13 3:23 p.m.	3/19/13	Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Park, Recreation, Historic Preservation, and Land	6/13/13, 2:30pm	8/12/13 2:04pm	Fiscal Note Requested 3/28/13 Fiscal Note (Waiver) Received 04/19/13



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Senator Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan (D)

AUG 0 7 2013

The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.

Speaker

I Mina'trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Place Hagåtña, Guam 96910

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

RE: Committee Report on Bill No. 70-32 (COR)

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is the Committee Report on Bill No. 70-32 (COR) as introduced, "An Act to Add A New Article 8 To Chapter 32 of 5GCA Relative to Gift Cards and Gift Certificates" which was referred to by the Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land.

Committee votes are as follows:

3 TO PASS

TO NOT PASS

4 TO REPORT OUT ONLY

Ø TO ABSTAIN

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Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan Chairman

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COMMITTEE REPORT ON

Bill No. 70-32 (COR)

Sponsored by Senator Tony Ada

"An Act to Add A New Article 8 To Chapter 32 of 5GCA Relative to Gift Cards and Gift Certificates"



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MEMORANDUM

To: All Members

Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land

Chairman Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land

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From: Senator Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan Chairman

Subject: Committee Report on Bill No. 70-32 (COR)

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This report includes the following:

- 1. Committee Voting Sheet
- Committee Report Narrative 2.
- 3. Copy of Bill No. 70-32 (COR), As Introduced
- 4. Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- 5. Copies of Written Testimonies
- Copy of Fiscal Note Request 6.
- 7. Copy of COR referral
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- 9. Copy of the 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 my office.

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Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan

Chairman

I MINA' TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

Committee Voting Sheet

Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land

Bill No. 70-32 (COR) as introduced, "An Act to Add A New Article 8 To Chapter 32 of 5GCA Relative to Gift Cards and Gift Certificates"

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Senator Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan (D)

Committee Report

Bill No. 70-32 (COR): "An Act to Add A New Article 8 To Chapter 32 of 5GCA Relative to Gift Cards and Gift Certificates."

I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land convened a public hearing on <u>June 13, 2013</u> at <u>2:30pm</u> in *I Liheslatura's* public hearing room.

Public Notice Requirements

Notices were published in the newspaper of general circulation as required by the Open Government Law and disseminated via hand-delivery and e-mail to all senators and broadcasting outlets on <u>June 7, 2013</u> (5-Day Notice), and again on <u>June 11, 2013</u> (48 Hour Notice).

(a) Committee Members and Senators Present

Senator Vicente (ben) C. Pangelinan, Chairman Speaker Judith T. Won Pat, Member Senator Mike Limtiaco, Member Senator Tommy Morrison, Member Senator Rory Respicio Senator Tom Ada Senator Tony Ada Senator Chris Dueñas

(b) Appearing before the Committee

Mr. Manny Duenas, President, Guam Fisherman Co-op Association

(c) Written Testimonies Submitted

None

II. COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS

Chairman Vicente (ben) C. Pangelinan: The next item on the agenda is Bill No. 70-32, introduced by Senator Anthony Ada, an act to add a new article 8 to chapter 32 of 5GCA relative to gift cards and gift certificates. We don't have anyone signed up for written or oral

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testimony but we will conduct this public hearing and hold it for the record and we will also give an opportunity for the sponsor to issue a statement on the bill.

(a) Bill Sponsor Summary

Senator Tony Ada: Thank you Mr. Chairman. Mr. Chairman, two federal statutes; The Credit Card Accountability Responsibility and Disclosure (CARD) Act of 2009 (Public Law 111-24) and the Eco-Gift Card Act (Public Law 111-209) created new requirements for electronic gift cards. Under these laws electronic gift cards must have minimum expiration date of five years and generally prohibits companies from charging dormancy fees for not using the card for long periods of time.

Bill 70-32 does two main things, (1) it recognizes that the federal law applies to Guam and (2) makes the same policies of the federal law apply to paper gift certificates. This bill will create a minimum five year expiration date for paper gift certificates and the bill will provide for certain exemptions such as promotional gift certificates that were not bought with cash and phone cards.

The reasoning behind Bill 70-32, the sellers of gift certificates give their money up front yet many of them put a 3-month expiration date on them or even sooner and after 3-months the buyer is left with a useless piece of paper. That's just not right. Bill 70-32 seeks to rectify this inequity. I think there are just a couple of companies that are on island, if you do go buy paper gift certificates, you'll notice the expiration date sometimes just says open or none for the date. With the paper gift certificates we just want to makes sure that all those that buy gift certificates, the redeemer has time to use it and that the money is just not left out there and they are left with a worthless piece of paper. Thank you Mr. Chair.

PANEL COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

Chairman Vicente (ben) C. Pangelinan: Thank you very much Senator Ada. Just curious, what if the gift certificate cost \$100 and the guy waits four years to redeem it and the service is now being assessed at \$200. Does he get to redeem it at \$200 or redeem the \$100 and pay the additional \$100?

Senator Tony Ada: That's the way it would be. The gift certificate is valued at what it was purchased for. If it were purchased for \$100 and four years later that service is now increased to \$200 then they would have to pay the difference because that gift certificate would now hold the value of \$100.

Chairman Vicente (ben) C. Pangelinan: Ok. Great. Thank you.

Senator Tony Ada: Thank you Mr. Chair.

(b) Testimony

1. Mr. Manny Duenas - President, Fisherman's Cooperative Association

Mr. Duenas: My name is Manny Duenas, President of the Fishermen's Cooperative Association and here to make comments on Bill 70. Senator Ada, I appreciate the bill but as an operator of a small business, 5 years is a long time. I support the bill, but I think for paper consideration, I year is sufficient. The other concern I have is we have a lot of gift certificates as a donation. So, putting us in a financial bind to hold that thing for 5 years is kind of difficult. I have not read the legislation completely. I am just saying on the surface what I have read. I was not prepared to testify, so I am just raising the points.

PANEL COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

Senator Tony Ada: To answer Mr. Duenas' question; for promotional or gift certificates that you gave in donation, that is exempted from the bill.

Chairman Vicente (ben) C. Pangelinan: This concludes the testimony on Bill No. 70-32. There being no additional individuals to present any additional testimony, this Committee will continue to remain open for the acceptance of any additional information or public testimony on the bill discussed. You can submit those testimonies to my office directly on Soledad Avenue, as well as the Guam Legislature or through any of the electronic processes either email at office@senbenp.com or through our website at www.senbenp.com.

This hearing is hereby adjourned

III. FINDINGS & RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land, hereby reports Bill No. 70-32 (COR) with the recommendation To Reput Only.

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I MINA' TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 70-32 (LOF)

Introduced by:

V. Anthony Ada

AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 8 TO CHAPTER 32 OF 5GCA RELATIVE TO GIFT CARDS AND GIFT CERTIFICATES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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Section 1. A new Article 8 is added to Chapter 32 of 5GCA to read as follows:

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Article 8

Gift Cards and Gift Certificates

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§32801. Applicability of Federal Law. TITLE IV of the Credit Card Accountability Responsibility And Disclosure Act Of 2009 as enacted by Public Law 111-24 and as further amended, is applicable to Gift Certificates and Gift

Cards sold by merchants doing business on Guam. Such federal law is in addition

to provisions of law enacted by this Article.

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14 §32802. Applicability of Federal Regulations. §205 of Title 12 of the Code of

15 Federal Regulations (12 CFR 205) is applicable to Gift Certificates and Gift Cards

sold by merchants doing business on Guam.

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§32803. Definitions.

- 1 "Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card" are defined by 12 CFR 205.
- 2 "Paper Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card" means any Gift Card/Gift
- 3 Certificate/ Store Gift Card or similar instrument that is issued in printed form only
- 4 and issued in exchange for monetary consideration when the certificate, card, or
- 5 similar instrument is redeemable for merchandise, food, or services regardless of
- 6 whether any cash may be paid to the owner of the certificate, card, or instrument as
- 7 part of the redemption transaction.

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- 9 "Electronic Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card" are defined by 12 CFR
- 10 205.

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- §32803. Provisions relating to Paper Gift Cards/ Gift Certificates/ Store Gift
- 13 Cards. A Paper Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card shall be valid for a
- period of not less than five (5) years following the date of issue. Any Paper Gift
- 15 Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card without a date of issue or where the date of
- issue is not clearly marked shall not have an expiration date.

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- 18 §32804. Provisions relating to Electronic Gift Cards/ Gift Certificates/ Store
- 19 Gift Cards. An electronic Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card shall not
- 20 have an expiration date if the buyer of the electronic gift card does not receive a
- 21 printed sales receipt with both the issuance date and expiration date clearly marked
- 22 on it OR, the buyer or holder of the electronic gift card does not have both the
- 23 issuance date and the expiration date available through an Internet site OR through
- a toll-free information telephone line.

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- §32805. Telephone Cards exempted. This Article shall not apply to prepaid
- 2 telephone or mobile commercial radio service as provided for by the Credit Card
- 3 Accountability Responsibility And Disclosure Act Of 2009 as amended.

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- 5 §32806. Severability. If any provision of this Act or its application to any person
- 6 or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall not
- 7 affect other provisions or application of this Act which can be given effect without
- 8 the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are
- 9 severable.

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- §32807. Effective Date. The effective date of this Act shall be the effective date
- of Credit Card Accountability Responsibility And Disclosure Act Of 2009 as
- 13 amended.

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COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, PUBLIC DEBT, LEGAL AFFAIRS, RETIREMENT, PUBLIC PARKS, RECREATION, HISTORIC PRESERVATION AND LAND

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The Bureau requests that Bill No. 70-32 (COR) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

The Bill proposes to add a new Article 8 to to Chapter 32 of 5GCA relative to gift certificates.

The intent of the Bill is administrative in nature, as submitted for Legislative consideration.

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Senator Rory J. Respicio CHAIRPERSON MAIORITY LEADER

March 19, 2013

MEMORANDUM

Senator Thomas C. Ada VICE CHAIRPERSON ASSISTANT MAJORITY LEADER

To:

From:

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Senator Vicente (Ben) C. Pangelinan Clerk of the Legislature

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Referral of Bill No. 70-32(COR) Subject:

Legislative Secretary Tina Rose Muña Barnes Member

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bill No. 70-32(COR).

Senator

Frank Blas Aguon, Jr.

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 Dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan.

Senator

Member

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

Michael F.Q. San Nicolas Member

Si Yu'os Ma'åse!

Senator V. Anthony Ada Member

Attachment

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Senator Aline Yamashita Member

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Public Hearing - First Notice

Lisa Dames <cipo@guamlegislature.org>
To: PHrg Notice <phnotice@guamlegislature.org>

Thu, Jun 6, 2013 at 12:10 PM

Please note correction:

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On Thu, Jun 6, 2013 at 12:04 PM, Lisa Dames <cipo@guamlegislature.org> wrote:

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To view the bills on the attached agenda, move your curser over the bill.

Thanks,

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June 7, 2013

Memorandum

To:

All Senators

From:

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Re:

Public Hearing - FIRST NOTICE

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Guam Code Annotated Relative to the Repair and Improvements to the Guam Fishermen's Cooperative.

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Senator Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan (D)

June 11, 2013

Memorandum

To:

All Senators

From:

Senator Vicente (ben) Cabrera Pangelinan

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Re:

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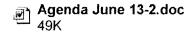
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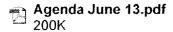
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gi Huebes, gi diha 13 gi Huño, 2013 Thursday, June 13, 2013

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TAREHA (AGENDA)

Para Komfitmusion: (Confirmation Hearing)

Mr. Lawrence S. Rivera, Member for the Guam Land Use Commission

Priniponi Siha: (Bills)

Bill No. 63-32 (COR) – Introduced by Speaker Judith Won Pat - An Act to amend §22425(q) of Article 4, Chapter 22, Division 2, Title 5 Guam Code Annotated relative to designating additional revenue derived from the valuation of real property, due to commence during calendar years 2013 and 2014 towards the replacement or renovation of Simon Sanchez High School and other education facilities requiring new construction or rehabilitation; and for other education related purposes.

Bill No. 91-32 (COR) – Introduced by Senator Rory Respicio - An Act to earmark all tax revenue derived from the operation of any new acute care hospital facility, and to appropriate such earmarked revenue to the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority to supplement pharmaceutical and related supplies.



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Bill No. 71-32 (COR) – Introduced By Senator Anthony Ada - An Act to Repeal Paragraph (34) of §26203 of Chapter 26 of 11GCA Relative to Business Privilege Tax Exemptions.

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Memorandum

To:

Rennae Meno

Clerk of the Legislature

From:

Senator Rory J. Respicio

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Subject:

Fiscal Notes

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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.

FISCAL NOTES:

Bill Nos.: 02-32 (LS), 28-32 (COR), 52-32 (LS), 64-32 (COR), 75-32 (LS),

and 77-32 (COR)

WAIVERS:

Bill Nos.: 70-32 (COR), and 72-32 (LS)

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RAY TENORIO LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

The Bureau requests that Bill No. <u>70-32 (COR)</u> be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

The Bill proposes to add a new Article 8 to to Chapter 32 of 5GCA relative to gift certificates.

The intent of the Bill is administrative in nature, as submitted for Legislative consideration.

IOHN A. RIOS

Director

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To:

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Clerk of the Legislature

Attorney Therese M. Terlaje

Legislative Legal Counsel

From:

Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F & rū

Acting Chairperson, Committee on

Subject: Referral of Bill No. 70-32(COR)

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Bill No. 70-32(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 Dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

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

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I MINA' TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 70-32 (LOP)

Introduced by:

V. Anthony Ada

AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 8 TO CHAPTER 32 OF 5GCA RELATIVE TO GIFT CARDS AND GIFT CERTIFICATES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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Month.

Section 1. A new Article 8 is added to Chapter 32 of 5GCA to read as follows:

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Article 8

Gift Cards and Gift Certificates

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- 8 §32801. Applicability of Federal Law. TITLE IV of the Credit Card
- 9 Accountability Responsibility And Disclosure Act Of 2009 as enacted by Public
- Law 111-24 and as further amended, is applicable to Gift Certificates and Gift
- 11 Cards sold by merchants doing business on Guam. Such federal law is in addition
- to provisions of law enacted by this Article.

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- §32802. Applicability of Federal Regulations. §205 of Title 12 of the Code of
- 15 Federal Regulations (12 CFR 205) is applicable to Gift Certificates and Gift Cards
- sold by merchants doing business on Guam.

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§32803. Definitions.

- "Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card" are defined by 12 CFR 205.
- 2 "Paper Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card" means any Gift Card/Gift
- 3 Certificate/ Store Gift Card or similar instrument that is issued in printed form only
- 4 and issued in exchange for monetary consideration when the certificate, card, or
- 5 similar instrument is redeemable for merchandise, food, or services regardless of
- 6 whether any cash may be paid to the owner of the certificate, card, or instrument as
- 7 part of the redemption transaction.

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- 9 "Electronic Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card" are defined by 12 CFR
- 10 205.

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- §32803. Provisions relating to Paper Gift Cards/ Gift Certificates/ Store Gift
- 13 Cards. A Paper Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card shall be valid for a
- period of not less than five (5) years following the date of issue. Any *Paper Gift*
- 15 Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card without a date of issue or where the date of
- issue is not clearly marked shall not have an expiration date.

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- 18 §32804. Provisions relating to Electronic Gift Cards/ Gift Certificates/ Store
- 19 Gift Cards. An electronic Gift Card/ Gift Certificate/ Store Gift Card shall not
- 20 have an expiration date if the buyer of the electronic gift card does not receive a
- 21 printed sales receipt with both the issuance date and expiration date clearly marked
- on it OR, the buyer or holder of the electronic gift card does not have both the
- 23 issuance date and the expiration date available through an Internet site OR through
- 24 a toll-free information telephone line.

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- 1 §32805. Telephone Cards exempted. This Article shall not apply to prepaid
- 2 telephone or mobile commercial radio service as provided for by the Credit Card
- 3 Accountability Responsibility And Disclosure Act Of 2009 as amended.

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- 5 §32806. Severability. If any provision of this Act or its application to any person
- or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity *shall* not
- 7 affect other provisions or application of this Act which can be given effect without
- 8 the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are
- 9 severable.

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- 11 §32807. Effective Date. The effective date of this Act shall be the effective date
- of Credit Card Accountability Responsibility And Disclosure Act Of 2009 as
- 13 amended.

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