



SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR.

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Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.

Speaker

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155 Hesler Place

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Rory J. Respicio

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

RE: Committee Report – Bill No. 316-33(COR)

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith, for your consideration, is the **Committee Report on Bill 316-33 (COR), An act to add a new Article 24 to part 2 of Chapter 12, 10 GCA Relative to authorizing access to and use of experimental treatments for patients with an advanced illness; to establish conditions for use of experimental treatment; to prohibit sanctions of health care providers solely for recommending or providing experimental treatment; to clarify duties of a health insurer with regard to experimental treatment authored under this act; to prohibit certain actions by public officials, employees, and agents; and to restrict certain causes of action arising from experimental treatment; Sponsored by Senator V. Anthony Ada, and referred to the Committee on Health, Economic Development, Homeland Security and Senior Citizens. Bill No. 316-33(COR) was publicly heard on November 18, 2016.**

Committee votes are as follows:

3 TO PASS
____ NOT TO PASS
____ ABSTAIN
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Senseramente,

Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.
Chairman

Attachments

COMMITTEE REPORT ON

Bill 316-33 (COR)

An act to add a new Article 24 to part 2 of Chapter 12, 10 GCA Relative to authorizing access to and use of experimental treatments for patients with an advanced illness; to establish conditions for use of experimental treatment; to prohibit sanctions of health care providers solely for recommending or providing experimental treatment; to clarify duties of a health insurer with regard to experimental treatment authored under this act; to prohibit certain actions by public officials, employees, and agents; and to restrict certain causes of action arising from experimental treatment.

**Sponsored by
Senator V. Anthony Ada.**



SENATOR DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, JR.

November 21, 2016

MEMORANDUM

To: ALL MEMBERS
Committee on Health, Economic Development, Homeland Security and Senior Citizens

From: Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. *DR*
Committee Chairperson

Subject: Committee Report on Bill no. 316-33(COR)

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- Committee Voting Sheet
- Committee Report Narrative/Digest
- Copy of Bill No. 316-33(COR)
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- Copies of Submitted Testimony and Supporting Documents
- Copy of COR Referral of Bill No. 316-33(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'åse'!

Attachments



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COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET

Bill 316-33 (COR), An act to add a new Article 24 to part 2 of Chapter 12, 10 GCA Relative to authorizing access to and use of experimental treatments for patients with an advanced illness; to establish conditions for use of experimental treatment; to prohibit sanctions of health care providers solely for recommending or providing experimental treatment; to clarify duties of a health insurer with regard to experimental treatment authored under this act; to prohibit certain actions by public officials, employees, and agents; and to restrict certain causes of action arising from experimental treatment; Sponsored by Senator V. Anthony Ada

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DENNIS G. RODRIGUEZ, Jr. Chairman					11/28/16	
V. ANTHONY ADA Vice Chairman		✓				
BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ					✓	
RORY J. RESPICIO					11-28-16	
TINA ROSE MUNA-BARNES		✓				
THOMAS C. ADA					✓	
FRANK B. AGUON, Jr.						
NERISSA B. UNDERWOOD					✓ 11-28-16	
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FRANK F. BLAS, Jr.		✓				
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COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

Bill No. 316-33 (COR)

- I. OVERVIEW:** The Committee on Health, Economic Development, Homeland Security and Senior Citizens conducted a public hearing on November 18, 2016. The hearing convened at 11am in I Liheslatura's Public Hearing Room. Among the items on the agenda was the consideration of **Bill 316-33 (COR), An act to add a new Article 24 to part 2 of Chapter 12, 10 GCA Relative to authorizing access to and use of experimental treatments for patients with an advanced illness; to establish conditions for use of experimental treatment; to prohibit sanctions of health care providers solely for recommending or providing experimental treatment; to clarify duties of a health insurer with regard to experimental treatment authored under this act; to prohibit certain actions by public officials, employees, and agents; and to restrict certain causes of action arising from experimental treatment; Sponsored by Senator V. Anthony Ada.**

Public Notice Requirements

Notices were disseminated via hand-delivery/fax and/or email to all senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on November 10, 2016 (5-day notice), and again on November 15, 2016 (48-hour notice)

Senators Present

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.	Chairman
Senator V. Anthony Ada	Vice Chairman
Senator Frank B. Aguon, Jr.	Member
Senator James V. Espaldon	
Senator Mary C. Torres	

The public hearing on agenda item Bill No. 316-33(COR) was convened at 11:05am.

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY & DISCUSSION.

Public Hearing was called to order at 11:05AM

(Recognized Senator Tony V. Ada)

Senator Tony V. Ada: Thank you Mr. Chair. Bill 316-33 (COR) is a bill to implement the Right to Try Act on Guam. What it does is the Right to Try Act legislation that allows terminally ill patients the access investigational treatments that have passed basic testing phase 1 with the FDA but are not yet available on Pharmacy shelves. This Legislation is modeled after the Gold Water Institute which serves as the model for over 25 state "Right to Try" laws. Over 1 million Americans die from a



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terminal illness every year and they spend years searching for potential struggle, care and vein to get accepted into a clinical trial. Unfortunately, FDA regulations restrict that into promising new treatments and for those that do get access, it's often that the "Right to Try" has been signed into law in 31 states. Why do we need a "Right to Try" law? Under present regulatory practices with the FDA, fewer than 3% terminally ill patients gain access to investigation to treatments through clinical trials. "Right to Try" was designed to help the other 97%, while millions of Americans will be diagnosed with or die of terminal illness each year, compassionate use of exceptions are only granted to about 1,000 patients a year. Many patients, run out of time before they can qualify for the exemption or complete the process. "Right to Try" laws help patients get immediate access to the medical treatments they need before it's too late. Thank you Mr. Chair.

Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.: Thank you very much Senator Ada. The committee will keep the record open until such time and when we report the public to submit written testimony.

Fiscal Note: Waiver dated June 3, 2016, attached

III. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee on Health, Economic Development, Homeland Security and Senior Citizens, hereby reports out Bill No. 316-33(COR), with the recommendation to
REPORT OUT ONLY.

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2016 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 316-33 (COR)

Introduced by:

V. Anthony Ada

AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 24 TO PART 2 OF
CHAPTER 12, 10 GCA RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING
ACCESS TO AND USE OF EXPERIMENTAL
TREATMENTS FOR PATIENTS WITH AN ADVANCED
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FOR RECOMMENDING OR PROVIDING
EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT; TO CLARIFY DUTIES
OF A HEALTH INSURER WITH REGARD TO
EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZED UNDER
THIS ACT; TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN ACTIONS BY
PUBLIC OFFICIALS, EMPLOYEES, AND AGENTS; AND
TO RESTRICT CERTAIN CAUSES OF ACTION
ARISING FROM EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT.

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

2 **Section 1.** A new Article 24 is added to Chapter 12 of 10GCA to read as follows:

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"Article 24

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Right to Try Act

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7 **§122401. As Used in this Article.**

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(1) This act shall be known and may be cited as the "right to try act".

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(2) As used in this act, and unless the context otherwise requires:

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(a) "Advanced illness", for purposes of this section only, means a

1 progressive disease or medical or surgical condition that entails
2 significant functional impairment, that is not considered by a treating
3 physician to be reversible even with administration of current federal
4 drug administration approved and available treatments, and that, without
5 life-sustaining procedures, will soon result in death.

6 (b) "Eligible patient" means an individual who meets all of the
7 following conditions:

8 (i) Has an advanced illness, attested to by the patient's treating
9 physician.

10 (ii) Has considered all other treatment options currently
11 approved by the United States food and drug administration.

12 (iii) Has received a recommendation from his or her
13 physician for an investigational drug, biological product,
14 or device.

15 (iv) Has given written, informed consent for the use of the
16 investigational drug, biological product, or device.

17 (v) Has documentation from his or her physician that he or
18 she meets the requirements of this subdivision.

19 (c) "Investigational drug, biological product, or device" means a drug,
20 biological product, or device that has successfully completed phase I of a
21 clinical trial but has not yet been approved for general use by the United
22 States food and drug administration and remains under investigation in a
23 United States food and drug administration-approved clinical trial.

24 (d) "Written, informed consent" means a written document that is
25 signed by the patient; parent, if the patient is a minor; legal guardian; or
26 patient advocate designated by the patient under 19 GCA, and attested to
27 by the patient's physician and a witness and that, at a minimum, includes
all of the following:

1 (i) An explanation of the currently approved products and
2 treatments for the disease or condition from which the patient
3 suffers.

4 (ii) An attestation that the patient concurs with his or her
5 Physician in believing that all currently approved and
6 conventionally recognized treatments are unlikely to prolong the
7 patient's life.

8 (iii) Clear identification of the specific proposed investigational
9 drug, biological product, or device that the patient is seeking to
10 use.

11 (iv) A description of the potentially best and worst outcomes of
12 using the investigational drug, biological product, or device and a
13 realistic description of the most likely outcome. The description
14 shall include the possibility that new, unanticipated, different, or
15 worse symptoms might result and that death could be hastened by
16 the proposed treatment. The description shall be based on the
17 physician's knowledge of the proposed treatment in conjunction
18 with an awareness of the patient's condition.

19 (v) A statement that the patient's health plan or third party
20 administrator and provider are not obligated to pay for any care or
21 treatments consequent to the use of the investigational drug,
22 biological product, or device, unless they are specifically required
23 to do so by law or contract.

24 (vi) A statement that the patient's eligibility for hospice care may
25 be withdrawn if the patient begins curative treatment with the
26 investigational drug, biological product, or device and that care
27 may be reinstated if this treatment ends and the patient meets
28 hospice eligibility requirements.

(vii) A statement that the patient understands that he or she is liable for all expenses consequent to the use of the investigational drug, biological product, or device and that this liability extends to the patient's estate, unless a contract between the patient and the manufacturer of the drug, biological product, or device states otherwise.

§122402. Conditional Authorization to Use Investigational Drugs.

(1) A manufacturer of an investigational drug, biological product, or device may make available and an eligible patient may request the manufacturer's investigational drug, biological product, or device under this act. This act does not require that a manufacturer make available an investigational drug, biological product, or device to an eligible patient.

A manufacturer may do all of the following:

- (a) Provide an investigational drug, biological product, or device to an eligible patient without receiving compensation.
- (b) Require an eligible patient to pay the costs of, or the costs associated with, the manufacture of the investigational drug, biological product, or device.

§122403. No Requirement to Provide Services.

- (1) This act does not expand the coverage required of an insurer under Division 2 of 22GCA
- (2) A health plan, third party administrator, or governmental agency may, but is not required to, provide coverage for the cost of an investigational drug, biological product, or device, or the cost of services related to the use of an investigational drug, biological product, or device under this act.
- (3) This act does not require any governmental agency to pay costs

1 associated with the use, care, or treatment of a patient with an
2 investigational drug, biological product, or device.

3 (4) This act does not require a hospital or facility licensed 10GCA to
4 provide new or additional services, unless approved by the hospital or facility.
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6 **§122404. Death of a Patient.**

7 If a patient dies while being treated by an investigational drug, biological product, or
8 device, the patient's heirs are not liable for any outstanding debt related to the
9 treatment or lack of insurance due to the treatment.
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11 **§122405. No Disciplinary Action under Certain Conditions.**

12 A licensing board or disciplinary subcommittee shall not revoke, fail to renew,
13 suspend, or take any action against a health care provider's license issued under
14 Chapter 12 of 10GCA, based solely on the health care provider's recommendations to
15 an eligible patient regarding access to or treatment with an investigational drug,
16 biological product, or device. An entity responsible for Medicare certification shall not
17 take action against a health care provider's Medicare certification based solely on the
18 health care provider's recommendation that a patient have access to an investigational
19 drug, biological product, or device.
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21 **§122406. Public Officials.**

22 An official, employee, or agent of the Government of Guam shall not block or attempt
23 to block an eligible patient's access to an investigational drug, biological product, or
24 device. Counseling, advice, or a recommendation consistent with medical standards of
25 care from a licensed health care provider is not a violation of this section.
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27 **§122407. No Cause of Action**

3 (1) This act does not create a private cause of action against a manufacturer

1 of an investigational drug, biological product, or device or against any other
2 person or entity involved in the care of an eligible patient using the
3 investigational drug, biological product, or device for any harm done to the
4 eligible patient resulting from the investigational drug, biological product, or
5 device, if the manufacturer or other person or entity is complying in good faith
6 with the terms of this act and has exercised reasonable care.

7 (2) This act does not affect any mandatory health care coverage for
8 participation in clinical trials under Public Law or Federal Law. "



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Bill No. 328-33 (COR) Page 1 of 1.



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June 9, 2016

Memorandum

To: Rennae Meno
Clerk of the Legislature

From: Senator Thomas C. Ada 
Acting Chairperson of the Committee on Rules

Subject: Fiscal Notes and Fiscal Note Waiver

Hafa Adai!

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

FISCAL NOTES:

Bill No. 298-33(COR)
Bill No. 317-33(COR)
Bill No. 322-33(COR)
Bill No. 324-33(COR)
Bill No. 329-33(COR)

FISCAL NOTE WAIVER:

Bill No. 316-33(COR)

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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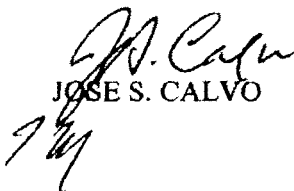
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The Bureau requests that **Bill No(s). 316-33 (COR)** be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

Legislative Bill No. 316-33 seeks to provide the opportunity to those patients with advance illness access to experimental treatment of investigational drug, biological product or device that have not been approved for general use by the United States Food and Drug Administration. This proposed legislation also provides the administrative framework for determining an eligible patient, defining the criteria for an investigational drug, biological product or device, and identifying party liability with respect to service liabilities and costs. With such use, provisions within this proposed legislation provide professional protection to healthcare providers who recommend or provide treatment to terminally-ill patients. Such experimental treatments and applications shall not be prevented by public officials.

There are no new revenue streams noted in this Bill; nor are appropriations made to fund such legislative act. Therefore Legislative Bill No. 316-33 is administratively procedural.


JOSE S. CALVO



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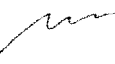
MEMORANDUM

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To: **Rennae Meno**
Clerk of the Legislature

Attorney Therese M. Terlaje
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Member

From: **Senator Rory J. Respicio** 
Chairperson of the Committee on Rules

Legislative Secretary
Tina Rose Muna Barnes
Member

Subject: **Referral of Bill No. 316-33(COR)**

Senator
Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.
Member

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of **Bill No. 316-33(COR)**.

Senator
Frank Blas Aguon, Jr.
Member

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 Tres Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Senator
Michael F.Q. San Nicolas
Member

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

Senator
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V. Anthony Ada
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Attachment

Mary C. Torres
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Bill Log Sheet

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES
316-33 (COR)	V. Anthony Ada	AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 24 TO PART 2 OF CHAPTER 12, 10 GCA RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING ACCESS TO AND USE OF EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENTS FOR PATIENTS WITH AN ADVANCED ILLNESS; TO ESTABLISH CONDITIONS FOR USE OF EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT; TO PROHIBIT SANCTIONS OF HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS SOLELY FOR RECOMMENDING OR PROVIDING EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT; TO CLARIFY DUTIES OF A HEALTH INSURER WITH REGARD TO EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS ACT; TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN ACTIONS BY PUBLIC OFFICIALS, EMPLOYEES, AND AGENTS; AND TO RESTRICT CERTAIN CAUSES OF ACTION ARISING FROM EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT.	05/12/16 4:14 p.m.	05/13/16	Committee on Health, Economic Development, Homeland Security, and Senior Citizens			



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FIRST NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2016 at 11am.

John Lucas <johnlucas@toduguan.com>

Thu, Nov 10, 2016 at 10:04 PM

To: phnotice@guamlegislature.org

November 10, 2016**MEMORANDUM**

To: All Senators, Stakeholders and Media

From: Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

Subject: FIRST NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2016 at 11am.

Hafa Adai!

The Committee on Health, Economic Development, Homeland Security and Senior Citizens will be conducting a Public Hearing on Friday, November 18, 2016 at 11am in the Legislature's Public Hearing Room.

The Committee will hear and accept testimony on the following:

Bill No. 395-33 (COR) - Introduced by Sen. B.J.F. Cruz

An act to amend §§ 4301(a) and 4302(c)(2), both of article 3, chapter 4, title 4, Guam Code Annotated, relative to ensuring that only the most economical and beneficial healthcare insurance proposal plan for Government of Guam employees and retirees and foster children is forwarded by the Government of Guam health insurance negotiating team to I Maga'låhen Guåhan for consideration; and to divesting the legislature of final approval authority over any contract entered into by I Maga'låhen Guåhan for the same.

Bill No. 377-33 (COR) - Introduced by Sen. F. B. Aguon, Jr.

An act to add a new article 9 to chapter 82 of division 4, title 10, Guam Code Annotated, and add a new § 67111 and § 67112 to chapter 67 of division 3, title 10, Guam Code Annotated, relative to improving Government resources for Veterans struggling with mental health issues.

Bill No. 328-33 (COR) - Introduced by Sen. D.G. Rodriguez, Jr.

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Bill No. 173-33 (COR) - Introduced by Sens. B.T. McCreddie & V.A. Ada

An act to *repeal* and *reenact* chapter 17, title 10, Guam Code Annotated; relative to shelter infrastructure and employment services for the homeless.

Bill No. 172-33 (COR) - Introduced by Sen. M.F.Q. San Nicolas

An act to amend § 65102 of and to add a new subsection § 65103(e) and a new § 65103.1 to chapter 65, title 10, Guam Code Annotated; relative to the establishment of operational continuity plans for each agency of the Government of Guam.

Written testimonies on these bills may be addressed to Sen. Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr., Chairman and sent via email to senatordrodriguez@gmail.com or delivered to 176 Serenu Avenue Suite 107 Tamuning, Guam or to the Legislature's Mailroom at 155 Hesler Place Hagatna, Guam.

Individuals who may require special assistance are asked to contact the office of Sen. Rodriguez no later than 48 hours prior to the hearing.

For more information, please call the office of Sen. Rodriguez at 649-8638/0511.

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John Derek A. Lucus

-Policy Analyst

Office of Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.

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SECOND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2016 at 11am.

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To: phnotice <phnotice@guamlegislature.org>

Tue, Nov 15, 2016 at 4:54 PM

November 15, 2016

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To: All Senators, Stakeholders and Media

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PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA

Friday, November 18, 2016 11am Public Hearing Room, *I Liheslatura*

I. Call to order

II. Items for public consideration:

11:00 A.M

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III. Adjournment

Thank you for your participation in today's hearing.