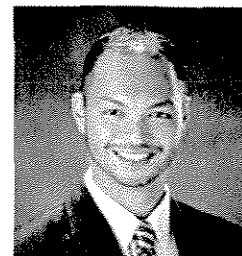




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Chairman - Committee on Finance & Taxation,
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The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker
I Mina'trentai Tres na Liheslaturan Guåhan
155 Hesler Place
Hagatna, Guam 96910

VIA: The Honorable Rory J. Respicio
Chairman
Committee on Rules, Federal, Foreign & Micronesian Affairs,
Human & Natural Resources, Election Reform, and Capitol District

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RE: Sponsor's Report on Resolution No. 177-33 (COR)

Dear Speaker Won Pat,

Håfa adai! Transmitted herewith is the Sponsor's Report on Resolution No. 177-33 (COR) – "Relative to expressing *I Liheslatura's* support for the passage of H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, which offers a host of critical fixes to the problem of abusive patent litigation by adding transparency around patent ownership, making defending against a patent suit less prohibitively expensive, and ensuring local businesses engaged in e-commerce shall not be victimized by such abusive litigation."

Committee votes are as follows:

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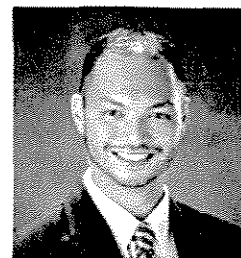
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MICHAEL F.Q. SAN NICOLAS



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SPONSOR'S REPORT

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MEMORANDUM

TO: All Senators

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This report includes the following:

- Vote Sheet
- Report Digest
- Copy of Resolution No. 177-33 (COR)
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- Copy of COR Referral of Resolution No. 177-33 (COR)
- Notices of Public Hearing
- Copy of the Public Hearing Agenda

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

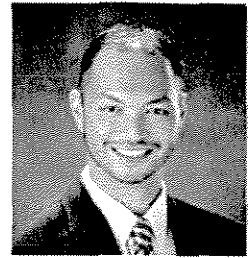
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VOTE SHEET

Resolution No. 177-33 (COR) – “Relative to expressing *I Liheslatura*’s support for the passage of H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, which offers a host of critical fixes to the problem of abusive patent litigation by adding transparency around patent ownership, making defending against a patent suit less prohibitively expensive, and ensuring local businesses engaged in e-commerce shall not be victimized by such abusive litigation.”

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Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas		✓				
Senator Thomas C. Ada						
Speaker V. Anthony Ada		✓				
Senator Frank B. Aguon, Jr. 10/19/16		✓				
Senator Frank F. Blas, Jr.						
Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz		✓				
Senator James V. Espaldon						
Senator Brant T. McCreddie						
Senator Thomas A. Morrison						
Senator Tina Rose Muña-Barnes		✓				
Senator Rory J. Respicio		10/19/16 ✓				
Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.		10/19 ✓				
Senator Mary C. Torres		✓				
Senator Nerissa B. Underwood, Ph.D.		✓				
Speaker Judith T. Won Pat		✓				



Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas

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COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

I. OVERVIEW

Resolution No. 177-33 (COR) was introduced on September 8, 2015, by Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas. The bill was subsequently referred by the Committee on Rules to the primary sponsor on September 9, 2015.

The Committee on Finance & Taxation, General Government Operations, and Youth Development held a public hearing on September 15, 2015, in *I Liheslatura's* Public Hearing Room. Among the items on the hearing agenda was Resolution No. 177-33 (COR). The hearing convened at 2:05 p.m. and was adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Public Notice Requirements

Public Hearing notices were disseminated via electronic mail to all senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on September 8, 2015, and again on September 11, 2015. Notice was also posted on *I Liheslatura's* website beginning on September 8, 2015.

Senators Present

Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas, Committee Chairman
Senator Mary C. Torres, Committee Vice Chairwoman
Senator Nerissa B. Underwood, Ph.D., Committee Member

Oral Testimony

None

Written Testimony

None

II. TESTIMONY & DISCUSSION

Chairman Michael San Nicolas explained the intent of Resolution No. 177-33 (COR). He stated that it would express the support of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* for H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, introduced in the United States House of Representatives. He explained that H.R. 9 would help to make the litigation environment for patents associated with the internet become friendlier for those possessing patents. He stated that he was approached by members of the real estate industry whose websites are being affected by minute patented technologies including drop down menus and link buttons. Chairman San Nicolas spoke about supporting H.R. 9 so that frivolous lawsuits do not arise with regard to patent infringement. The resolution would help to protect Guam's e-commerce environment from being victimized by any type of abusive litigation that is currently a problem stateside. Without any public testimony being offered, the hearing on Resolution No. 177-33 (COR) was adjourned.

III. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas, the primary sponsor of Resolution No. 177-33 (COR), hereby reports out Resolution No. 177-33 (COR), with the recommendation To Do Pass.


I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
2015 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 177-33 (COR)

Introduced by:

Michael F.Q. San Nicolas 

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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY *I LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN*:**

2 **WHEREAS**, H.R. 9, also known as the Innovation Act, was introduced in
3 the 114th United States Congress, sponsored by Representative Bob Goodlatte, a
4 Republican from Virginia's 6th Congressional District and Chairman of the United
5 States House of Representatives Committee on the Judiciary; and

6 **WHEREAS**, H.R. 9 has been co-sponsored by a bipartisan coalition of
7 twenty-seven representatives including Rep. Darrell Issa (R-CA), Rep. Lamar
8 Smith (R-TX), Rep. Steve Chabot (R-OH), Rep. Randy Forbes (R-VA) and Rep.
9 Zoe Lofgren (D-CA), Rep. Jerrold Nadler (D-NY), Del. Pedro Pierluisi (D-PR),
10 Rep. Hakeem Jeffries (D-NY) who are all senior members of the United States
11 House of Representatives Committee on the Judiciary; and

12 **WHEREAS**, H.R. 9 has been endorsed by the leading technology groups
13 such as the Electronic Frontier Foundation, United for Patent Reform and the
14 Biotechnology Industry Association, leading companies like Yahoo!, Eli Lilly, and
15 Salesforce.com as well as groups representing small businesses throughout the

1 country including the National Association of Realtors, the Texas Hotel and
2 Lodging Association, ; and

3 **WHEREAS**, under the current patent system many broad and basic
4 technological protocols have been issued vague patents including the use of drop
5 down menus, shopping carts and hyper-linking on websites. Companies have
6 bought up these patents with the intent of using them offensively against
7 unsuspecting businesses, making broad claims of infringement based upon patents
8 of questionable validity; and

9 **WHEREAS**, the most frequent target of patent lawsuits have been small
10 businesses because of their inability to spend the money necessary for a defense
11 and therefore their increased likelihood to settle; and

12 **WHEREAS**, any business on Guam could be targeted with these costly
13 patent lawsuits which create an environment which stifles Guam's economic
14 development and prosperity by creating a chilling effect on businesses which seek
15 to create an internet presence for the benefit of the business and the people of
16 Guam; and

17 **WHEREAS**, local business owners in the real estate community on Guam
18 have sought *I Liheslatura*'s support for H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, because many
19 use websites with search functions, drop down menus and other internet protocols
20 which may be the subject of abusive litigation and affect critical business and
21 community functions; now therefore be it

22 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina Trentai Tres Na Lihesturan Guåhan* does hereby,
23 on behalf of the people of Guam, implore the 114th U.S. Congress to duly pass
24 H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, for the benefit of all businesses which wish to
25 contribute to the positive economic growth of their community; and be it

26 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* certify, and the
27 Legislative Secretary attests to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be

1 thereafter transmitted to Congresswoman Madeleine Z. Bordallo; and to the
2 Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan*.



I Mina'Trentai Tres na Liheslaturan Guåhan
SENATOR MICHAEL F.Q. SAN NICOLAS

Committee on Finance & Taxation,
General Government Operations, and Youth Development

September 15, 2015

Resolution No. 177-33 (COR), introduced by Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas: Relative to expressing *I Liheslatura's* support for the passage of H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, which offers a host of critical fixes to the problem of abusive patent litigation by adding transparency around patent ownership, making defending against a patent suit less prohibitively expensive, and ensuring local businesses engaged in e-commerce shall not be victimized by such abusive litigation.

NAME (Please print)	AGENCY/ ORGANIZATION	CONTACT NUMBER	ORAL TESTIMONY	WRITTEN TESTIMONY	IN FAVOR	NOT IN FAVOR



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September 9, 2015

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MEMORANDUM

Speaker
Judith T.P. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Member

To: Rennae Meno
Clerk of the Legislature

Vice-Speaker
Benjamin J.F. Cruz
Member

Attorney Therese M. Terlaje
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Member

From: Senator Rory J. Respicio
Majority Leader & Rules Chair

Senator
Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.
Member

Subject: Referral of Resolution No. 177-33 (COR)

Senator
Frank Blas Aguon, Jr.
Member

As Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of Resolution No. 177-33 (COR). Please ensure that the subject resolution is referred, in my name, to the respective sponsor, as shown on the attachment.

Senator
Michael F.Q. San Nicolas
Member

I also request that the same be forwarded to all Senators of *I Mina'trentai Tres Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Senator
Nerissa Bretania Underwood
Member

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

V. Anthony Ada
MINORITY LEADER

Si Yu'os ma'åse!

Mary C. Torres
MINORITY MEMBER

Attachment

Resolutions Log Sheet

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Referred	Committee / Ofc Referred	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	Date Adopted
177-33 (COR)	Michael F.Q. San Nicolas	Relative to expressing I Liheslatura's support for the passage of H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, which offers a host of critical fixes to the problem of abusive patent litigation by adding transparency around patent ownership, making defending against a patent suit less prohibitively expensive, and ensuring local businesses engaged in e-commerce shall not be victimized by such abusive litigation.	09/08/15 1:43 p.m.		9/9/2015	Sponsor			



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Roundtable Discussion and Legislative Hearing - September 15, 2015

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FIRST PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

September 8, 2015

In accordance with the Open Government Law, relative to notices for public meetings, please be advised that Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas, Chairman of the Committee on Finance & Taxation, General Government Operations, and Youth Development, will be convening a roundtable discussion on **Tuesday, September 15, 2015, 10:00 a.m.**, in / *Liheslaturan Guåhan's* Public Hearing Room. Representatives from the Guam Homeless Coalition, the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority, the Department of Youth Affairs, the National Association of Social Workers – Guam Chapter, Child Protective Services under the Department of Public Health and Social Services, and the Mayors' Council of Guam have been invited to discuss child homelessness. The general public is also invited to participate at the roundtable, and public input is encouraged and will be accepted.

Additionally, the Committee will conduct a public hearing later that day beginning at **2:00 p.m.**, in / *Liheslaturan Guåhan's* Public Hearing Room, on the following items:

Bill No. 169-33 (COR), introduced by Speaker Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D., and Senator Nerissa B. Underwood, Ph.D.: AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 18(i) OF PUBLIC LAW 31-277 AND ITEM (q)(1) OF SECTION 22425 OF TITLE 5 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO APPROVING LEASE-LEASEBACK AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY OF GUAM AND THE UNIVERSITY OF GUAM ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE STUDENT SERVICES CENTER AND ENGINEERING ANNEX AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GUAM.

Resolution No. 177-33 (COR), introduced by Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas: Relative to expressing / *Liheslatura's* support for the passage of H.R. 9, the Innovation Act, which offers a host of critical fixes to the problem of abusive patent litigation by adding transparency around patent ownership, making defending against a patent suit less prohibitively expensive, and ensuring local businesses engaged in e-commerce shall not be victimized by such abusive litigation.

Nomination of **EDELFRIDA A. ADA**

Position: **Member, Banking and Insurance Board**





Length of Term: **Six (6) years**

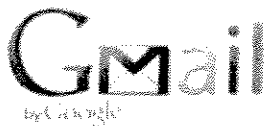
Nomination of LAURA-LYNN V. DACANAY**Position: Member, Banking and Insurance Board****Length of Term: Six (6) years**

If written testimonies are to be presented for the items listed above, copies should be delivered prior to the hearing date. Testimonies should be addressed to Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas and will be accepted via hand delivery to our office at the DNA Building, Suite 407, 238 Archbishop Flores Street, Hagatna, Guam; at the mail room at the Main Legislature Building at 155 Hesler Place, Hagatna, Guam 96910; or via email to senatorsannicolas@gmail.com. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals requiring special accommodations or services should contact the Office of Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas at (671) 472-6453 or by sending an email to senatorsannicolas@gmail.com.

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Notice of Roundtable Discussion and Legislative Hearing - September 15, 2015

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September 11, 2015

In accordance with the Open Government Law, relative to notices for public meetings, please be advised that Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas, Chairman of the Committee on Finance & Taxation, General Government Operations, and Youth Development, will be convening a roundtable discussion on **Tuesday, September 15, 2015, 10:00 a.m.**, in / *Liheslaturan Guåhan's* Public Hearing Room. Representatives from the Guam Homeless Coalition, the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority, the Department of Youth Affairs, the National Association of Social Workers – Guam Chapter, Child Protective Services under the Department of Public Health and Social Services, and the Mayors' Council of Guam have been invited to discuss child homelessness. The general public is also invited to participate at the roundtable, and public input is encouraged and will be accepted.

Additionally, the Committee will conduct a public hearing later that day beginning at **2:00 p.m.**, in / *Liheslaturan Guåhan's* Public Hearing Room, on the following items:

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If written testimonies are to be presented for the items listed above, copies should be delivered prior to the hearing date. Testimonies should be addressed to Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas and will be accepted via hand delivery to our office at the DNA Building, Suite 407, 238 Archbishop Flores Street, Hagatna, Guam; at the mail room at the Main Legislature Building at 155 Hesler Place, Hagatna, Guam 96910; or via email to senatorsannicolas@gmail.com. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals requiring special accommodations or services should contact the Office of Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas at (671) 472-6453 or by sending an email to tosenatorsannicolas@gmail.com.

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