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**Bill Log Sheet**

<b>BILL NO.</b>	<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>DATE INTRODUCED</b>	<b>DATE REFERRED</b>	<b>CMTE REFERRED</b>	<b>PUBLIC HEARING DATE</b>	<b>DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED</b>	<b>FISCAL NOTES</b>
<b>255-32 (COR)</b>	Brant T. McCreadie	AN ACT TO AMEND §70117 OF CHAPTER 70, TITLE 11, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO BUSINESS LICENSES.	1/8/2014 10:05 a.m.	01/08/14	Committee on Aviation, Ground Transportation, Regulatory Concerns, and Future Generations			<b>Fiscal Note Requested 01/08/14</b>



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**RE: Request for Fiscal Notes– Bill Nos. 253-32 (COR) through 256-32(COR)**

*Hafa Adai* Mr. Rios:

Transmitted herewith is a listing of *I Mina'trentai Dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan's* most recently introduced bills. Pursuant to 2 GCA §9103, I respectfully request the preparation of fiscal notes for the referenced bills.

*Si Yu'os ma'åse'* for your attention to this matter.

Very Truly Yours,

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

Attachment (1)

Cc: Clerk of the Legislature

<b>Bill Nos.</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Title</b>
<b>253-32 (COR)</b>	Frank B. Aguon, Jr. T.C. Ada Vicente (ben) C. Pangelinan	AN ACT TO AMEND §30113 OF CHAPTER 30, TITLE 5, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO THE EXCLUSION OF ATTORNEYS EMPLOYED IN THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW WHO SERVES IN THE GUARD AND/OR RESERVE UNDER TITLE 10 OR TITLE 32 OF THE U.S. CODE.
<b>254-32 (COR)</b>	Brant T. McCreadie	AN ACT TO AMEND §3102 OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE 16, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO DRIVER'S LICENSE RENEWALS.
<b>255-32 (COR)</b>	Brant T. McCreadie	AN ACT TO AMEND §70117 OF CHAPTER 70, TITLE 11, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO BUSINESS LICENSES.
<b>256-32 (COR)</b>	Brant T. McCreadie	AN ACT TO ADD A NEW §7178 TO CHAPTER 7, TITLE 16, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION.



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### MEMORANDUM

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

**Attorney Therese M. Terlaje**  
*Legislative Legal Counsel*

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

**Subject: Referral of Bill Nos. 254-32(COR) through 256-32(COR)**

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of **Bill Nos. 254-32(COR) through 256-32(COR)**.

Please ensure that the subject bills are 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.

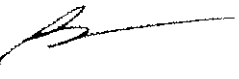
*Si Yu'os Ma'åse!*

Attachment

***MINA' TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2014 (SECOND) Regular Session**

Bill No. 25T-32 (COR)

Introduced by:

Brant T. McCreadie 

**AN ACT TO AMEND §70117 OF CHAPTER 70, TITLE 11, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO BUSINESS LICENSES.**

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

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that  
3 small business truly is the backbone of the island's economy, and that the revenues  
4 derived from the taxes and fees they pay are essential towards operating the  
5 government of Guam.

6 *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* also finds that the Department of Revenue and Taxation  
7 has challenges with identifying noncompliant businesses. Establishing an extended  
8 licensing period for businesses in good standing with the government of Guam would  
9 allow the department to focus more of its efforts to find and regulate businesses that  
10 are currently noncompliant.

11 Therefore, it is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to amend a §70117 of  
12 Chapter 70, Title 11 Guam Code Annotated relative to the renewal of business  
13 licenses.

14 **Section 2.** §70117 of Chapter 70, Title 11 Guam Code Annotated is hereby  
15 *amended* to read:

16 **“§ 70117. Renewal.**

1           (A) A licensee may renew his license at the expiration thereof by the  
2 payment of the annual license fee and by filing with the renewal application an  
3 affidavit oath and subject to the penalties of perjury that he has continued to  
4 comply with all of the prerequisites and qualifications provided by law, rules  
5 and regulations which were certified by the proper departments of the  
6 government of Guam in the application for his original license. The renewing  
7 licensee shall not be required to obtain the approval of the Government of  
8 Guam or any department or agency thereof regarding the application of the  
9 Zoning Law of the Territory of Guam to the licensee's business premises  
10 provided that the licensed business is located upon the identical premises upon  
11 which it was located on the date of the issuance of the previous license.

12           A licensee who fails to renew his license on or before the thirtieth (30th)  
13 day of June of each year shall be assessed a penalty of one dollar (\$1.00) per  
14 each calendar day he is delinquent, which penalty shall become part of the  
15 renewal fee. Any licensee who fails to renew his license on or before the thirty-  
16 first (31st) day of July shall be required to discontinue his business until he  
17 renews the license or be subject to an injunction issued by the Superior Court  
18 and to prosecution under § 70119. Such failure to renew while continuing the  
19 operation of the business shall constitute refusal and failure to obtain a license  
20 under the provisions of this Division.

21           (B) A licensee in good standing with the Department who, for a period of  
22 five (5) years, has remained current with all taxes, fees and other licensing  
23 requirements, may be able to renew their license for a period not to exceed three  
24 (3) years. The Department shall establish procedures to comply with this  
25 subsection, and the licensee shall pay the renewal fee in full before license is  
26 obtained."

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2           **Section 3. Effective Date.** This act shall be effective ninety (90) days upon  
3 enactment.

4           **Section 4. Severability.** *If* any provision of this Law or its application to any  
5 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall  
6 *not* affect other provisions or applications of this Law which can be given effect  
7 without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
8 Law are severable.