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The Honorable Joe T. San Agustin  
Speaker, Twentieth Guam Legislature  
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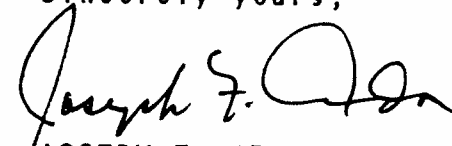
Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 809, which I have signed into law this date as Public Law No. 20-42.

In the General Appropriation Act for 1990 and 1991 the Legislature appropriated \$1,200,000 for assistance to patients qualifying under this program. However, I have been advised by the Department of Public Health and Social Services that at this time there are 25 pending applications for assistance. Thus, it appears that the need to provide assistance to our people will require at least the \$2,700,000 appropriated for this program.

In order to end fiscal year 1989 with a balanced budget, I request that the Legislature amend Section 1 to indicate that the appropriation made in that Section is from the fiscal year 1990 revenues but that any balance does not revert at the end of the fiscal year.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOSEPH F. ADA  
Governor

Enclosure

TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
1989 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

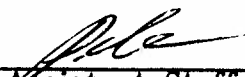
This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 809 (CCR), "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES TO FUND THE CATASTROPHIC ILLNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, AND TO CITE THE ACT AS THE CATASTROPHIC APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 1989", was on the 28th day of August, 1989, duly and regularly passed.

  
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JOE T. SAN AGUSTIN  
Speaker

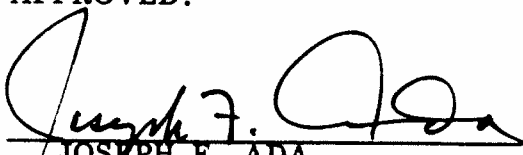
Attested:

  
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PILAR C. LUJAN  
Senator and Legislative Secretary

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This Act was received by the Governor this 2 day of September 1989,  
at 2:07 o'clock p.m.

  
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Assistant Staff Officer  
Governor's Office

APPROVED:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
JOSEPH F. ADA  
Governor of Guam

Date: September 14, 1989

Public Law No. 20-42

TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
1989 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 809 (COR)  
Substituted by the Committee  
on Ways and Means and further  
substituted by the Committee  
on Rules

Introduced by:

E. D. Reyes  
J. G. Bamba  
C. T. C. Gutierrez

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T. S. Nelson  
H. D. Dierking  
J. T. San Agustin  
E. P. Arriola  
J. P. Aguon  
D. Parkinson  
F. J. A. Quitugua  
G. Mailloux  
P. C. Lujan  
M. C. Ruth  
M. D. A. Manibusan  
M. Z. Bordallo  
D. F. Brooks  
E. R. Duenas  
E. M. Espaldon  
F. R. Santos  
T. V. C. Tanaka  
A. R. Unpingco

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1989.

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAM:  
2 Section 1. One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000)  
3 are appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Public Health  
4 and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program.  
5 Section 2. This Act may be cited or referred to as "The Catastrophic  
6 Appropriations Act of 1989".

TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
1989 (FIRST) Regular Session

ROLL CALL SHEET

Bill No. 809

Date: 8/28/89

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_

QUESTION: \_\_\_\_\_

	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>NOT VOTING</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
J. P. Aguon	✓			
E. P. Arriola	✓			
J. G. Bamba	✓			
M. Z. Bordallo	✓			
D. F. Brooks	✓			
H. D. Dierking	✓			
E. R. Duenas	✓			
E. M. Espaldon	✓			
C. T. C. Gutierrez	✓			
P. C. Lujan	✓			
G. Mailloux	✓			
M. D. A. Manibusan	✓			
T. S. Nelson	✓			
D. Parkinson	✓			
F. J. A. Quitugua	✓			
E. D. Reyes	✓			
M. C. Ruth	✓			
J. T. San Agustin	✓			
F. R. Santos	✓			
T. V. C. Tanaka	✓			
A. R. Unpingco	✓			

# Twentieth Guam Legislature



163 Chalan Santo Papa St.  
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Chairman, Committee  
on Ways & Means  
Vice-Chairman, Committee  
on Tourism & Transportation

**CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ**  
Senator

**August 23, 1989**

The Honorable Joe T. San Agustin  
Speaker  
Twentieth Guam Legislature  
163 Chalan Santo Papa  
Agana, Guam 96910

Via: Chairman, Committee on Rules

Dear Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **Bill No. 809**, "An act to appropriate the sum of One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) to the Department of Public Health and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program: and to cite the Act as the Catastrophic Appropriation Act of 1989", has had the same under consideration and now wishes to report back the same with the **recommendation to do pass as substituted.**

The Committee votes are as follows:

To do pass	<u>12</u>
Not to pass	<u>0</u>
To report out only	<u>0</u>
Off-island	<u>0</u>
To place in Inactive File	<u>0</u>
Other	<u>0</u>

A copy of the Committee Report and other pertinent documents are enclosed for your perusal.

Sincerely,

  
**CARL T.C. GUTIERREZ**

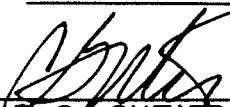

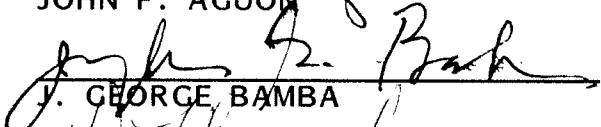
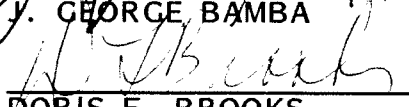

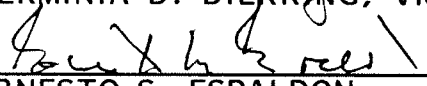

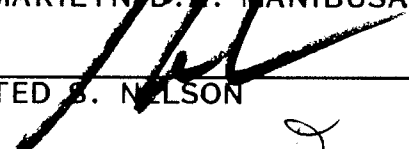

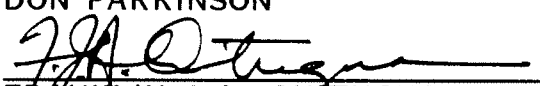
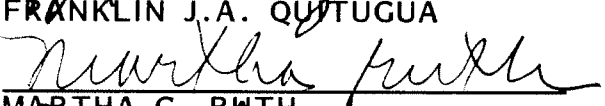
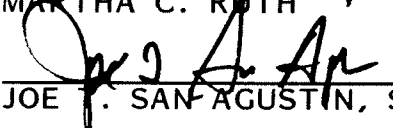
Enclosures

TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

VOTE SHEET ON  
SUBSTITUTE BILL NO. 809

"An Act to appropriate the sum of One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) to the Department of Public Health and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program: and to cite the Act as the Catastrophic Appropriation Act of 1989."

WITH THE RECOMMENDATION TO DO PASS

<u>Committee Members</u>	<u>To do Pass</u>	<u>Not to Pass</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Other</u>
 CARL T.C. GUTIERREZ, Chairman	✓			
 JOHN P. AGUON	✓			
 J. GEORGE BAMBA	✓			
 DORIS F. BROOKS	✓			
 HERMINIA D. DIERKING, Vice-Chairperson	✓			
 ERNESTO S. ESPALDON	✓			
 MARILYN D. MANIBUSAN	8/2 ✓ mdm			
 TED S. NELSON	✓			
 DON PARKINSON	✓			
 FRANKLIN J.A. QUITUGUA	✓			
 MARTHA C. RUTH	✓ 8/23/89			
 JOE SAN AGUSTIN, Speaker	✓			

REPORT OF THE  
COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
ON BILL NO. 809

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED  
THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$500,000) FOR THE CATASTROPHIC  
ILLNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM. [Attachment 1]

Introduced by Senators

Ted S. Nelson, Herminia D. Dierking, Joe T. San Agustin,  
Elizabeth P. Arriola, John P. Aguon, Don Parkinson, Franklin  
J.A. Quituqua, Eddie D. Reves, Pilar C. Lujan, and Gordon  
Mailloux.

PREFACE:

The Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Bill No. 809, "An act to appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) for the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program," conducted a public hearing on Wednesday, July 19, 1989 at 11:30 a.m. in the Legislative Session Hall. [Attachment 2]

Committee members present were Senator Ted S. Nelson, Acting Chairman, Committee on Ways and Means. Also present were Senators John P. Aguon, Elizabeth P. Arriola, Pilar C. Lujan, Doris F. Brooks, Martha C. Ruth, Tommy V.C. Tanaka and Ernesto Espaldon.

NOTIFICATION:

Letters [Attachment 3] of notification were sent to: the Governor; the Director, Bureau of Budget and Management Research; to the Director, Department of Public Health and Social Services; the Committee members and to the general public, and the newsmedia.

TESTIMONY:

Although no testimony was submitted, the Committee Chairman stated that the Guam Legislature has always recognized the need to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program. In closing, the Chairman instructed the staff to prepare a report on Bill No. 809 for consideration by the Legislature at its next regular session.

There being no witnesses, the Chairman adjourned the Committee hearing on Bill No. 809.

SECTION ANALYSIS:

Please refer to Page 3 entitled "Profile on Substitute Bill No. 809."

COMMITTEE FINDINGS:

The Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Bill No. 809, finds that:

1. Bill No. 809 as introduced appropriates the sum of \$500,000 from the General Fund to the Department of Public Health and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program.
2. The Guam Legislature recognizing the fact that annually, it appropriates funds to the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program, and therefore, recommends that the amount contained in Bill No. 809 be increased to \$1.5 million.
3. The Committee recommends that the Guam Legislature favorably act on Bill No. 809.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

The Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Bill No. 809, "An act to appropriate the sum of One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) from the General Fund to the Department of Public Health and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program," has had the same under consideration, and now wishes to report back the same with the recommendation to do pass as substituted by the Committee.



PROFILE ON SUBSTITUTE BILL NO. 809

Brief Title: "The Catastrophic Appropriations Act of 1989."

Main Sponsors: Senators Ted S. Nelson, Herminia D. Dierking, and Carl T.C. Gutierrez.

Date Introduced: Monday, July 3, 1989.

Assigned Committee: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means by the Committee on Rules on Wednesday, July 5, 1989.

Public Hearing: The Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Bill No. 809, conducted a public hearing on Wednesday, July 19, 1989 at 11:30 a.m. in the Legislative Session Hall.

Official Title: "An Act to appropriate the sum of One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) to the Department of Public Health and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program: and to Cite the Act as 'The Catastrophic Appropriations Act of 1989.'"

Co-Sponsors: Senators Joe T. San Agustin, Elizabeth P. Arriola, John P. Aquon, Don Parkinson, Franklin J.A. Quituqua, Eddie D. Reyes, Gordon Mailloux, and Pilar C. Lujan.

Recommendation: To do pass as substituted by the Committee on Ways and Means.

A CLOSER LOOK

Section 1. Appropriates One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) from the General Fund to the Department of Public Health and Social Services to fund the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program.

It should be noted that the Committee has increased the funding contained in Bill No. 809 from \$500,000 to \$1,500,000.

Section 2. Cites or makes reference to Bill No. 809 as "The Catastrophic Appropriations Act of 1989."

TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
1989 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 809  
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Introduced by:

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*M.C. RUTH*  
*M.D. Manibusan*

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF ONE MILLION  
FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,500,000)  
TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL  
SERVICES TO FUND THE CATASTROPHIC ILLNESS  
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- 5 Illness Assistance Program.
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- 7 Catastrophic Appropriations Act of 1989."

THE HOUSE OF GOVERNMENT OFFICERS

**TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE**  
**1989 (FIRST) Regular Session**

Bill No. 209

Introduced by:

T. S. Nelson

H. D. Dierking

J. T. San Agustin

E. P. Arriola

J. P. Aguon

D. Parkinson

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AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF  
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*Handwritten signatures and initials:*  
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Marilyn Manibusan

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAM:

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**COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
PUBLIC HEARING  
9:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 19, 1989, Legislative Session Hall**

**A G E N D A**

- Bill No. 758** An act to appropriate the sum of Nine Hundred Six Thousand, One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$906,150) to the Public Utility Agency of Guam for the design and construction of sewer line collectors for Ordot-Chalan Pago Elementary School.
- Bill No. 759** An act to appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Dollars to the Public Utility Agency of Guam for the purpose of constructing a sewer line in the Bello Road, Municipality of Barrigada.
- Bill No. 760** An act to appropriate the sum of One Million, Eight Hundred Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$1,870,000) to the Public Utility Agency of Guam for the design and construction of sewer lines in the Municipality of Ordot-Chalan Pago.
- Bill Nos. 800 and 824** An act to appropriate funds to compensate Lorenzo N. Naputi for property taken by the Government for roadway purposes.
- Bill No. 802** An act to appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars for improvements to the recreational facilities in Agat and at Nimitz Beach.
- Bill No. 803** An act to appropriate supplemental funds to the Agency for Human Resources Development.
- Bill No. 804** An act to appropriate funds for the operations of Guam Memorial Hospital in Fiscal Year 1990.
- Bill No. 805** An act to appropriate funds for payment of the Cost of Living Allowance for all retirees.

**Bill No. 806** An act to appropriate the sum of One Million, Six Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars for a new building and equipment for the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse.

**Bill No. 807** An act making an appropriation for the Tax Collection Task Force.

**Bill No. 808** An act to appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Dollars to the Community Development Fund.

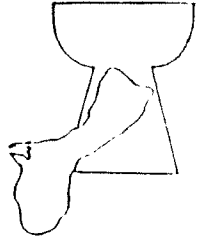
**Bill No. 809** An act to appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars for the Catastrophic Illness Assistance Program.

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SENATOR

**HERMINIA D. DIERKING**  
**TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE**



COMMITTEES:

July 5, 1989

CHAIRPERSON  
Rules

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairperson, Committee on Ways and Means

VICE CHAIRPERSON  
Ways & Means  
Energy, Utilities &  
Consumer Protection

FROM: Chairperson, Committee on Rules

SUBJECT: Referral - Bill Nos. 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807,  
808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816,  
817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825,  
826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834,  
835.

MEMBER:

The above bills are referred to your Committee. Please note that the referrals are subject to ratification by the Committee on Rules at its next meeting.

Economic Development

Federal, Foreign &  
Legal Affairs

Health, Welfare &  
Ecology

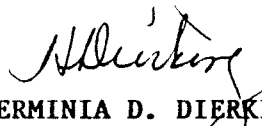
Judiciary & Criminal  
Justice

Education

Tourism & Transportation

Youth, Senior Citizens,  
Cultural Affairs &  
Human Resources

General Governmental  
Operations

  
HERMINIA D. DIERKING

Enclosures

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1989 (FIRST) Regular Session

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