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SEP 1 4 1989



The Honorable Joe T. San Agustin Speaker, Twentleth Guam Legislature Post Office Box CB-1 Agana, Guam 96910

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill 807 which I have signed into law this date as Public Law 20-74.

In order to end fiscal year 1989 with a balanced budget, I request that the Legislature amend Section I to indicate that the appropriation made in that section is from the fiscal year 1990 revenues.

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH F. ADA

**G**overnor

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Enclosure

### CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 807 (COR), "AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TAX COLLECTION TASK FORCE", was on the 28th day of August, 1989, duly and regularly passed.

Attested:

JOE T. SAN AGUSTIN
Speaker

Senator and Legislative Secretary

Assistant Staff Officer Governor's Office

APPROVED:

OSEPH F. ADA Covernor of Guam

Date: September 14, 1989

Public Law No. 20-74

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Bill No. 807 (COR)

Introduced by:

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- T. S. Nelson

- J. P. Aguon
  E. P. Arriola
  J. T. San Agustin
- F. J. A. Quitugua
- E. D. Reyes
- G. Mailloux
- P. C. Lujan D. F. Brooks
- M. D. A. Manibusan

- J. G. Bamba
  M. Z. Bordallo
  E. R. Duenas
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- M. C. Ruth
- F. R. Santos
- T. V. C. Tanaka A. R. Unpingco

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# Twentieth Guam Legislature

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Chairman, Committee on Ways & Means Vice-Chairman, Committee on Tourism & Transportation

CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ
Senator

August 23, 1989

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

Dear Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Ways & Means wishes to report out its finding on Bill No. 807: "AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TAX

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A copy of the Committee Report and all pertinent documents are attached for your information.

Sincerely,

CARL T.C. GUTIERREZ

Chairman

Attachments

# Twentieth Guam Legislere Committee on Ways & Means Voting Sheet

BILL NO: 807

"AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TAX COLLECTION TASK FORCE"

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### TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

COMMITTEE REPORT ON BILL NO. 807

"AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TAX COLLECTION TASK FORCE"

#### INTRODUCTION

Bill 807 proposes to appropriate Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) from the General Fund to the Department of Revenue and Taxation to fund a Tax Collection Task Force for the purpose of collecting outstanding delinquent taxes.

This proposed appropriation is actually to provide continuing funding for the Collection Task Force of the Department of Revenue and Taxation. The Task Force was established and initially funded two fiscal years ago.

#### HEARING

The Committee on Ways and Means conducted a public hearing on Bill 807 on Wednesday, July 19, 1989, starting at 9:00 a.m. in the Legislative Session Hall. Committee Members present at the hearing were: Senators Carl T.C. Gutierrez, Chairman; Ted S. Nelson; Doris Brooks; and Elizabeth P. Arriola.

The Directors of the Departments of Revenue and Taxation and the Bureau of Budget and Management Research were invited to testify.

#### BACKGROUND

Mr. Joaquin Blaz, Director of Revenue and Taxation, presented written testimony, requesting passage of the bill, so that funding can be made available for the next two fiscal years.

Mr. Michael Reidy, Director of Bureau of Budget and Management Research, also endorsed favorable action on the bill.

#### TESTIMONY

The Committee on Ways and Means recommends favorable action on Bill 807 by the full legislative body.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

The Committee on Ways and Means, after reviewing the testimonies presented during the hearing, reports Bill 807 for consideration by the full legislative body with the RECOMMENDATION TO DO PASS.

Bill No. <u>507</u>

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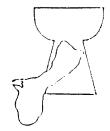
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# **SENATOR**

## MERMINIA D. DIERKING TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE



#### COMMITTEES:

July 5, 1989

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General Governmental Operations

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Chairperson, Committee on Ways and Means

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.

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.

Enclosures

REPRODUCED AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE

# COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS PUBLIC HEARING 9:00=aim., Wednesday, July 19, 1989, Legislative Session Hall

#### AGENDA

- 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.
- 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.

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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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Honorable Carl T.C. Gutierrez Chairman, Committee on Ways & Means Twentieth Guam Legislature Agana, Guam 96910

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee:

I am Joaquin G. Blaz, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Taxation. I am here to support passage of Bill 807 relative to the funding of the Collection Task Force.

Based on the most recent statistics, the Government of Guam is experiencing the most dramatic tax collection increase in its history. The Collection Task Force, initiated by the Nineteenth Guam Legislature, played a large part in this increase due to the improved collection posture on our receivables.

Let me share with this Committee some of the statistics on the collection of receivables.

In Fiscal Year 1987, before the Collection Task Force was formed, total cash collection on receivables amounted to \$5,095,268. For Fiscal Year 1988, the first year the Collection Task Force came into existence, collection of receivables increased to \$10,041,979. This is an increase of \$4,946,711 or 97 percent.

Cash collections also increased for Fiscal Year 1989. In the first eight months of Fiscal Year 1989, collections totaled \$7,254,443 as compared to \$5,960,134 in 1988, or an increase of \$1,294,309 (22%).

Analysis of the reduction of the receivables inventory also shows the dramatic impact of the Collection Task Force on the receivables.

For Fiscal Year 1988 we had a total referral for collection of \$47,144,343. Collections and collection arrangements reduced this amount to \$16,577,462. A similar collection pattern has occurred for Fiscal Year 1989.

In Fiscal Year 1989 we have had a total of \$49,107,904 referred for collection. We have managed so far to reduce the collectible amounts to \$14,085,427.

There is no question in my mind that a good percentage of the increased collections came as a result of the Collection Task Force.

I am requesting, therefore, for continuance of the Collection Task Force for the next two fiscal years.

I will be preparing a letter in the near future requesting that the Collection Task Force be made a part of the permanent budget of the Department. The individuals hired as a result of this appropriation are now trained collectors and it would be a shame and a total waste to lose these individuals now.

Thank you, Mr. Chairman, and Members of the Committee for allowing me to present the Department's position on the Collection Task Force.

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### BUDGETARY FISCAL IMPACT ON THE FOLLWING BILLS

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806	MENTAL HEALTH BLDG AND EQUIPMENT	172017970
807	R&T TAX COLLECTION FORCE	1,625,000
808	COMMISSIONER'S COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND	$300_{7}000/$
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810	WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION FUND	5007000
811	BARRIGADA MULTI=PURPOSE COURT	400,000
	2 SCHOOL BUSES	115-000
813	SPORTS & RECREATIONAL COMPLEX HARMON	5507000
-	4 SANCTUARY INC. FY90	175707000
815	SPORTS FACILITIES IN YONA & BAZA GARDENS	197-000
816	TOTO MULIT-PURPOSE COURT	315,7000
817	MEDICALLY INDIGENT PROGRAM	97000
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820	CHALAN PAGO BASEBALL FIELD	1 <sub>7</sub> 785 <sub>7</sub> 000
72	PRINTING REVOLVING FUND	200 <del>,</del> 000 70,000
77	GUAM FIRE CAPITAL OUTLAY AMBULANCE	29 <del>7</del> 000
821	GCC FACILITY RENOVATION	5127000
822	GUMA MANHOBEN PROGRAM FY90	2327000
823	MULTI=PURPOSE COURT UMATAC	150,000
825	RECREATIONAL FACILITIES INARAJAN	3307000
826	RECREATIONAL FACILITIES MERIZO	1807000
827	RETIREMENT FUND ANNUITIES	974007800
828	RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AGANA	200,000
829	RECREATIONAL FACILITES DEDEDO	7807000
830	GUAM CLAIMS FUND	500,000
831	IMPROVEMENTS TO YPAO BEACH PARK	125,7000
832	RECONSTRUCTION CAMP WATKINS & FARENHOLT AV	270007000
833	SCHOOL RENOVATIONS & IMPROVEMENTS	370007000
834	MAINTENANCE & UPKEEP OF THE FIELD HOUSE	100-000
835	TEXTBOOKS ADVANCE APPROPRIATION \$576117791	
x 84°	GUAM POLICE RADIO COMMUNICATION	2157:000
	TOTAL	44,482,792

ASTERISK DENOTES PART OF GOVERNORS EXECUTIVE BUDGET REQUEST FOR FISCAL YEAR 1990.

OTAL PROPOSED APPROPRIATIONS AMOUNT TO \$44.5 MILLION WHICH FURTHER EXACERBATE HE DEFICIT OF APPROPRIATION VS REVENUES THIS FISCAL YEAR. APPRPRIATIONS FOR OR THE ITEMS SHOULD BE MADE AGAINST THE FISCAL YEAR 1990 REVENUES.

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