#### I Mina'Trentai Tres Na Liheslaturan Received Bill Log Sheet

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES
106-33 (LS)		AN ACT TO AMEND § 4104 OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 4, TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; RELATIVE TO PROVIDING PREFERENTIAL CREDIT FOR CAREER EMPLOYEES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM WHO HAVE COMPLETED THEIR POST SECONDARY OR POST GRADUATE EDUCATION WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE PEDRO "DOC" SANCHEZ PROFESSIONAL SCHOLARSHIP; AND WHO APPLY FOR SUPERVISORY OR MANAGERIAL POSITIONS WITHIN THE AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM.	3:44 p.m.	05/29/15	Committee on Finance and Taxation, General Government Operations and Youth Development			



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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, Committee on Rules

### Subject: Referral of Bill No. 106-33(LS)

As the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding my referral of **Bill No. 106-33(LS).** 

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*.

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

Si Yu'os Ma'åse!

Attachment

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

Bill No. 1/26-33 (LS)

Introduced by:

FRANK B. AGUON, JK

2015 MAY 28 MA 3: 44 45

AN ACT TO AMEND § 4104 OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 4, TITLE 4, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; RELATIVE **PROVIDING PREFERENTIAL** TO CREDIT FOR CAREER EMPLOYEES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM WHO HAVE COMPLETED THEIR POST SECONDARY OR POST GRADUATE EDUCATION WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE PEDRO "DOC" SANCHEZ PROFESSIONAL **SCHOLARSHIP:** AND WHO APPLY FOR SUPERVISORY OR MANAGERIAL POSITIONS WITHIN THE AGENCIES AND **DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM.** 

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

2 Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds 3 that the Pedro "Doc" Sanchez Professional Scholarship seeks to promote the 4 development and retention of the workforce of the government by establishing a government-wide scholarship program accessible to all classified government 5 employees belonging to the career service of the Government of Guam. The Pedro 6 7 "Doc" Sanchez Scholarship provides aid to employees who desire enrollment in 8 public administration, other undergraduate degree programs offered at the School 9 of Business and Public Administration, University of Guam, and the graduate 10 Masters of Public Administration and Masters of Business Administration 11 programs offered at the School of Business and Public Administration, University 12 of Guam.

*I Liheslaturan Guåhan* further finds that the intent for the establishment of the scholarship was to develop and retain a competent workforce specifically in the supervisory and managerial ranks of public service.

16 Therefore, it is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to provide preferential 17 credit to career employees of the government of Guam who have completed their 18 post secondary or post graduate education with the assistance of the Pedro "Doc" 19 Sanchez Professional Scholarship; and who seek employment in managerial or 20 supervisory positions in their respective agency or department within the 21 Government of Guam.

Section 2. §4104 of Article 1, Chapter 4, Title 4 of the Guam Code
Annotated is hereby *amended* to read:

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## "§ 4104. Preferences.

25 (a) No preference *shall* be given in the government service, except that residents of Guam who are physically or mentally impaired, but 26 27 are physically and mentally able to perform efficiently and safely the duties of the job being applied for as certified by the Director of 28 29 Public Health and Social Services, or who are veterans of the Armed 30 Forces of the United States, or who are former members of the Guam Police Combat Patrol, as certified by the Chief of Police, or graduates 31 of the Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission Academy 32 operated pursuant to 17 GCA § 32201, as enacted by Public Law 33 34 Number 24-331, with respect to employment in those positions identified in 17 GCA § 32301(b), as enacted by Public Law Number 35 24-331, or career employees of the government of Guam who have 36 37 completed their post secondary or post graduate education with the 38 assistance of the Pedro "Doc" Sanchez Professional Scholarship; and 39 who apply for supervisory or managerial positions within the

40 government, shall receive a preferential credit of five (5) points, 41 which *shall* be added to their competitive examination score, and such 42 veterans or former members who are disabled as a result of their 43 service in the Armed Forces or Combat Patrol, shall receive a preferential credit of ten (10) points which shall be added to their 44 45 passing score. In addition, if two (2) applicants for government 46 service are equally qualified for the position to be filled, and one (1) is 47 a beneficiary of a preference pursuant to this Subsection, while the 48 other is not, the former *shall* be given the first offer of position."