



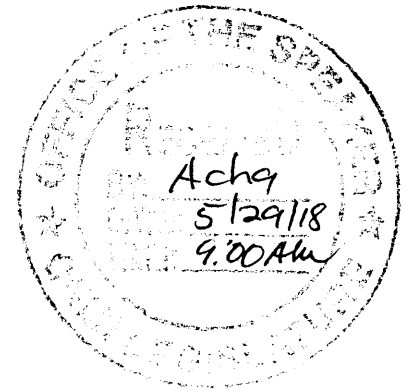
RALPH DLG. TORRES
Governor

VICTOR B. HOCOG
Lieutenant Governor

COMMONWEALTH of the NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

25 MAY 2018

Honorable Jude U. Hofschneider
Chairman, Tinian and Aguiguan
Legislation Delegation
Twentieth Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950




Honorable Rafael S. Demapan
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twentieth Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP. 96950


Dear Mr. Chairman and Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that I have signed into law H.L.B. 20-64, D1, entitled, "To appropriate \$100,000.00 from the local license fees collected for pachinko slot machines and poker machines in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes." The bill was passed by the Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation of the Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature.

This bill becomes **Tinian Local Law No. 20-12**. Copies bearing my signature are forwarded for your reference.

Sincerely,


RALPH DLG. TORRES

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cc: Lt. Governor; Press Secretary; Tinian Mayor; Secretary of Finance; Chairman, Tinian & Aguiguan Municipal Council; Tinian Casino Gaming Control Commission; Commonwealth Law Revision; Special Assistant for Administration; Special Assistant for Programs & Legislative Review

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**TINIAN & AGUIGUAN LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION
SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT
TWENTIETH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2018**

HOUSE LOCAL BILL NO. 20-64, D1

**A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT
FOR THE SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

To appropriate \$100,000.00 from the local license fees collected for pachinko slot machines and poker machines in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes.

Offered by Representative Edwin P. Aldan

on April 18, 2018

HOUSE ACTION

Transmitted to Tinian & Aguiguan Legislative Delegation for action on April 26, 2018

DELEGATION ACTION

Referred to : **None**

Comments Solicited : **4/26/18 - Mayor of Tinian & Aguiguan; Chairman,
Tinian & Aguiguan Municipal Council
[Ref. Delegation Matter 20-41 & 20-42]**

Comments Received : **5/3/18 - Mayor of Tinian & Aguiguan
[Oral testimony before Delegation]**

Standing Committee Report : **None**

Passed First & Final Reading : **May 3, 2018**


Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero, Delegation Clerk

1	Tournament in Korea; and	
2	(b) Tinian Casino Gaming Control Commission	
3	for professional services	\$ 26,000.00
4	Total:	<u>\$100,000.00</u>

SECTION 3. EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.

(a) For the funds appropriated under section 2(a) of this Act, the Mayor of Tinian shall be the expenditure authority.

(b) For the funds appropriated under section 2(b) of this Act, the Chairperson of the Tinian Casino Gaming Control Commission shall be the expenditure authority.

SECTION 4. MANAGEMENT OF FUNDS.

Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the Secretary of the Department of Finance shall transfer the funds appropriated under Section 2 of this Act to an account set up by the Tinian Municipal Treasurer within ten days of the effective date of this Act. The Tinian Municipal Treasurer shall regulate and control the funds appropriated under this Act so that no activity may spend contrary to this Act or fiscal management policies of the Municipality or the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

SECTION 5. FISCAL YEAR.

The funds appropriated under this Act shall be appropriated without fiscal year limitation(s).

SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY.

If any provision of this Act or the application of any such provision to any person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this

1 Act or the application of its provisions to persons or circumstances other than those to which it
2 is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

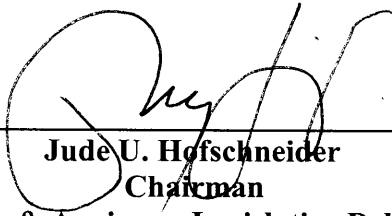
3 **SECTION 7. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

4 This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as affecting any
5 existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes repealed or under any rule,
6 regulation or order adopted under the statutes. Repealers contained in this Act shall not affect
7 any proceeding instituted under or pursuant to prior law. The enactment of the Act shall not
8 have the effect of terminating, or in any way modifying, any liability, civil or criminal, which
9 shall already be in existence on the date this Act becomes effective.

10 **SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

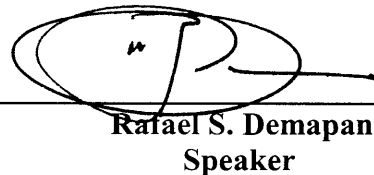
11 This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or its becoming law without
12 such approval.

CERTIFIED BY:



Jude U. Hofschneider
Chairman

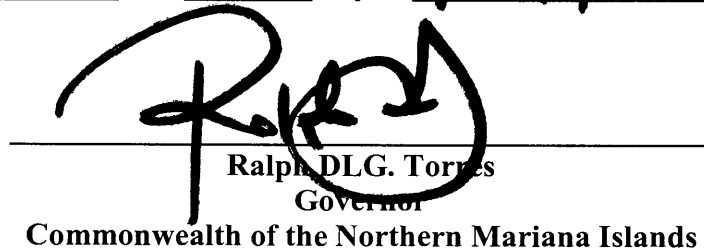
Tinian & Aguiguan Legislative Delegation



Rafael S. Demapan
Speaker

House of Representatives

Approval this *2nd* day of *May*, 2018.



Ralph DLG. Torres
Governor
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands