



**AMENDED**  
**October 25, 2017**

***THE SENATE***  
**TWENTIETH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE**  
**SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

SESSION DAY	CALENDAR DAY	TIME
7 <sup>th</sup> Day	Wednesday, October 25, 2017 SENATE CHAMBER, SAIPAN	9:40 a.m.

***ORDER OF BUSINESS***

**A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER**

- A. ROLL CALL** - All Nine (9) members are present.
- B. PUBLIC COMMENT:** Seven (7) presented comments.
- C. READING AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL:**
1. **SJ 20-16** - 2<sup>nd</sup> Special, Second Regular – 8/31/17 - Adopted
  2. **SJ 20-17** - 4<sup>th</sup> Day, Second Regular – 09/08/17 - Adopted
- D. MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR:**
1. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-139:** Sept. 21, 2017 – Executive Order No. 2017-09 Declaration of A State of Significant Emergency – CUC.
  2. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-140:** Sept. 21, 2017 – Certification of annual salary in excess of \$50,000.00 to Mr. John Oliver DLR. Gonzales, Chief of Staff, Office of the Lt. Governor to receive \$52,000.00 per annum.
  3. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-141:** Sept. 21, 2017 – Nomination of Mr. Gregorio Q. Castro to serve as a member of the Board of Professional Licensing representing the Second Senatorial District.
  4. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-142:** Sept. 22, 2017 – Vetoed H.B. No. 20-44, HD2 – To amend 8 CMC § 1202 (a) to establish separate marriage fees for residents and non-residents; and for other purposes.
  5. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-143:** Sept. 26, 2017 – Signed into law and vetoed portion of H.B. No. 20-105, HD2, SD3, CCS1 - To make appropriations for the operations and activities of the Government of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, its agencies, instrumentalities, and independent programs, and to provide budget authority for government corporations for Fiscal Year 2018; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-11**.

6. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-144:** Sept. 25, 2017 – Signed into law H.B. No. 20-99, SS1 - To repeal and reenact 4 CMC § 2307; repeal and reenact 4 CMC §2308; to earmark the casino Gross Revenue Tax to supplement the payment of the 25 percent of all the retirees’ pensions and to include NMC, NMTI as recipients of the funds generated from the Gross Revenue Tax; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-10.**
7. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-145:** Sept. 26, 2017 – Signed into law H.B. No. 20-16, SD1 – To amend 7 CMC § 3101 (a) to mandate when a jury is impanel to hear all felonies and misdemeanors charges; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-12.**
8. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-146:** Sept. 26, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-09, SD1 – To amend 1 CMC Section 8117 (i); and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-13.**
9. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-147:** Sept. 26, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-48 – To amend 3 CMC § 1506 to change the position of administrative librarian to public library director; and for other purposes; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-15.**
10. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-148:** Sept. 26, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-54 – To mandate all government corporations, autonomous agencies and regulatory agencies to submit their annual budget to the office of the Governor which shall be included in the Governor’s annual budget proposal; to establish a penalty provision for the failure of such government entities to timely submit their annual budget to the office of the Governor, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-14.**
11. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-149:** Sept. 27, 2017 – Resume, statement of financial interest, police clearance, and drug test results of Ms. Miranda Lynn V. Manglona nominated to serve as a member of CUC Board of Directors representing Rota.
12. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-150:** Sept. 29, 2017 – Signed into law H.B. No. 20-108, HD1, HS1 - To appropriate the amount of One Million, Four Hundred Seventeen Thousand, Five Hundred Forty-Five Dollars (\$1,417,545.00) to pay for the outstanding retroactive lump-sum payment to active and inactive employees whose wages were frozen in Step 12, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-16.**
13. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-151:** Sept. 29, 2017 – Signed into law H.B. No. 20-75, HD1 - To establish the Drug Court Revolving Fund and to authorize the Commonwealth Superior Court’s Drug Court to impose fees on Drug Court participants, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-19.**
14. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-152:** Sept. 29, 2017 – Signed into local law H.L.B. No. 20-32 – To appropriate \$150,000.00 from revenues collected pursuant to SLL 11-2, as amended, to the NMTI; and for other purposes, becomes **SAIPAN LOCAL LAW NO. 20-11.**
15. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-153:** Sept. 29, 2017 – Vetoed S.B. No. 20-10, SD1 – To amend Title 4, Division 5, Chapter 13, to add section 50225 to suspend the Qualifying Certificate program in Saipan; and for other purposes.
16. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-154:** Sept. 29, 2017 – Signed into law H.B. No. 20-4, HD2, SD2 - To remove the limitation on the amount of funds from the MVA Trust Fund that may be distributed to the Municipalities of Saipan, Tinian and Rota; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-17.**
17. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-155:** Sept. 29, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-07, SD1 –To amend 2 CMC § 4435 (f) and to repeal 2 CMC § 4435(h); and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-18.**

18. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-156:** October 03, 2017 – Signed into local law H.L.B. No. 20-30, D1 –To amend the Revised Tinian Casino Gaming Control Act of 1989 to provide for internet gaming; to amend casino license fee and tax rate; and for other purposes, becomes **TINIAN LOCAL LAW NO. 20-05.**
19. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-157:** October 05, 2017 – Resume, statement of financial interest, police clearance and drug test receipt of Mr. Gregorio Q. Castro to serve as a member of the Board of Professional Licensing.
20. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-158:** September 29, 2017 – Signed into local law HLB 20-31, S1, D1 – To amend the Saipan Official Zoning Map to rezone certain lots from “Village Commercial” zoning districts to “Mixed Commercial” zoning districts; and for other purposes, becomes **SAIPAN LOCAL LAW NO. 20-12.**
21. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-159:** October 06, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-02, SD3, HD1 –To establish the Office of Planning and Development; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-20.**
22. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-160:** October 06, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-45, HD2 –To provide a limited exemption to register a right-hand drive vehicle after it is converted to left-hand drive and passes safety inspection; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-21.**
23. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-161:** October 06, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-41, SD1 –To repeal and reenact Title 8, Division 1, Chapter 5, Articles 1 through 3, and Title 8, Section 1580 of the Commonwealth Code; to establish the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-22.**
24. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-162:** October 06, 2017 – Signed into law S.B. No. 20-03, SS1, HD1 –To amend 1 CMC §§ 2261(b) and 2262, to limit the public high school student representative to the Board of Education to one year and rotated appointment by public school; and for other purposes, becomes **PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-23.**
25. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-163:** October 17, 2017 – Appointment of Mr. Vincent H. Aguon to serve as a member of the MVA to represent Tinian.
26. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-164:** October 17, 2017 – Acting Governor Victor B. Hocog, Assumption of Authority to Senate President Arnold I. Palacios as Acting Governor from October 17 – 20, 2017.
27. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-165:** October 18, 2017 – Signed into local law HLB No. 20-23 – To amend the Saipan Zoning Law of 2013, 10 CMC §3511, by amending the Saipan Official Zoning Map Sheet 19 of 29, becomes **SAIPAN LOCAL LAW NO. 20-13.**
28. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-166:** October 18, 2017 – Signed into local law HLB No. 20-18 – To amend the Saipan Official Zoning Map Sheet 06 of 29 rezoning lots 141 E 02 and 141 E 05 from ‘Village Residential’ to ‘Tourist Resort’ Zoning District, becomes **SAIPAN LOCAL LAW NO. 20-14.**
29. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-167:** October 18, 2017 – Signed into local law HLB 20-29 – To amend the Saipan Official Zoning Map Sheets 05 of 29 to rezone certain lots from ‘Rural’ zoning districts to ‘Tourist Resort’ zoning districts, becomes **SAIPAN LOCAL LAW NO. 20-15.**
30. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-168:** October 16, 2017 – Signed into Tinian Ordinance TLB No. 20-1, D1 – To make limited appropriations for personnel and operations of the Tinian Casino Gaming Control Commission, the Office of the Mayor of Tinian, and the Tinian Municipal Treasury for Fiscal Year 2018 pursuant to 10 CMC § 2571 [Part VI, Section 50 of the Revised Tinian Casino Gaming Control Act of 1989] and 1 CMC § 1405(a) [Public 11-17]., becomes **TINIAN LOCAL ORDINANCE NO. 20-1.**

31. **Gov. Msg. No. 20-169:** October 06, 2017 – Certification of annual salary in excess of \$50,000.00 to Ms. Kastle A. Lund-Turner Office of the Attorney General to receive \$55,000.

**E. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE JUDICIARY: (NONE)**

**F. COMMUNICATIONS FROM HEADS OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT :**

1. **Dept. Msg. No. 20-42:** Oct. 02, 2017 – Dept. of Commerce on the 2016 Household Income & Expenditures Survey (HIES) Report. *(See Report in the Senate Fileserver for your review)*
2. **Dept. Msg. No. 20-43:** Oct. 10, 2017 – DLNR – Div. of Agriculture regarding City Water Connection to DOA Irrigation System.
3. **Dept. Msg. No. 20-44:** Sept. 12, 2017 – OPM to Rep. Janet Maratita regarding Within Grade Increases during the Austerity Period.
4. **Dept. Msg. No. 20-45:** Oct. 17, 2017 – IAO regarding SLL 19-19 \$75,000.00 appropriation.
5. **Dept. Msg. No. 20-46:** Oct. 17, 2017 – Dept. of Commerce comments on SB 20-24, SD1.
6. **Dept. Msg. No. 20-47:** Oct. 17, 2017 - Dept. of Commerce comments on SB 20-63, SD1.

**G. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE:**

1. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-108:** September 22, 2017 – Certified copy of H.R. No. 20-2 – DPL to preserve and designate 30,000 square meters of public land on Saipan for future site of Indigenous Cultural Center.
2. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-109:** September 22, 2017 – Certified copy of H.Comm.R. No. 20-10 – National recognition of Kagman Community Health Center.
3. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-110:** September 22, 2017 – Certified copy of H.Comm.R. No. 20-11 – Late Honorable Ricardo Songao Atalig.
4. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-111:** September 22, 2017 – Certified copy of H.Comm.R. No. 20-12 – Appreciation to Mr. Charles “Chip” Guard to numerous contributions to the CNMI.
5. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-112:** September 22, 2017 – Certified copy of H.Comm.R. No. 20-13 – Recognized Lt. Colonel Lawrence F. Camacho.
6. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-113:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-131 – To appropriate three million, three hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$3,375,000.00) from the Tobacco Control Fund, earmarked under 3 CMC §2177, to support and supplement awareness, detection and prevention programs relating to cancer and other tobacco related illnesses.

7. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-114:** October 16, 2017 – Returning without amendments S.B. No. 20-15, SD1 - To establish a Regent Nominating Committee Process in the Selection and Appointment of Regents to the Northern Marianas College Board of Regents; and for other purposes. **[READY TO GO TO GOVERNOR]**
8. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-115:** October 16, 2017 – Accepted the Senate amendments to H.B. No. 20-8, HS1, SD1 – To restrict the use of cellular/mobile telephones while driving vehicles; and for other purposes. **[INFO. ONLY]**
9. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-116:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-13 – To designate and establish Susupe Lake and its surrounding wetland as “Susupe Lake Wildlife Park” for the purpose of and in accordance with this Act.
10. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-117:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-58, HD1 – To establish a Loss Recovery Division within the Department of Finance; and for other purposes.
11. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-118:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-70 – To clarify sections 20129 and 20130 relating to the CNMI Veterans Cemetery.
12. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-119:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-95 – To establish the Office of Probation Supervision and to clarify the powers and responsibilities of the office and its divisions; and for other purposes.
13. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-120:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-104 – Requiring mandatory sentences for third strike offenders in cases of serious and violent felonies.
14. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-121:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-106 – To preserve and designate Lot 345 R 512, situated in Rota, as “Joaquin Mesngon Ogo, Tun Kindu, Sports Complex Arena”; and for other purposes.
15. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-122:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-107, HD1– To re-establish the Street Directory Commission; to update the Saipan master street naming map and complete the street numbering system; and for other purposes.
16. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-123:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-111 - To amend 6 CMC § 3304 to make it a crime to alter any document bearing the court seal of a copy or the court seal.
17. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-124:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-118, HD1 - To generate funding for the repair and maintenance of CNMI roads and highways by increasing fees for registration and licenses and establishing a Temporary Operator’s License category; and for other purposes.
18. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-125:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-119 - To establish the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands Landlord and Tenant Rental Act of 2017; and for other purposes.
19. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-126:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-122 – To amend Title 9 of the Commonwealth Code to allow the Bureau of Motor Vehicles to suspend the expiration of a driver’s license for military personnel and their spouses while on deployment.

20. **Hse. Comm. No. 20-127:** October 16, 2017 – Transmitting for Senate action H.B. No. 20-128 – To amend 8 CMC §1202(a) to establish separate marriage license fees for residents and non-residents; and for other purposes.

#### **H. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE SENATE:**

1. **Sen. Comm. No. 20-117:** Sept. 25, 2017 – Official referral to EAGI Committee the appointment of Mr. Gregorio Q. Castro to serve as a member of the Board of Professional Licensing representing the Second Senatorial District.
2. **Sen. Comm. No. 20-118:** Oct. 2, 2017 – Senator Quitugua request for copies of the Development Plan Advisory Committee Reports.
3. **Sen. Comm. No. 20-119:** Oct. 6, 2017 – Senate President Palacios off-island notice and Delegation of Authority.
4. **Sen. Comm. No. 20-120:** Oct. 17, 2017 – Appointment of Senator Steve K. Mesngon as Acting Senate President.
5. **Sen. Comm. No. 20-121:** Oct. 17, 2017 – Official referral to EAGI the appointment of Mr. Vincent H. Aguon to serve as a member of the MVA to represent Tinian.

#### **I. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE WASHINGTON DELEGATE: (NONE)**

#### **J. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: (NONE)**

#### **K. PRE-FILED BILLS, INITIATIVES, LOCAL BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS:**

1. **Senate Bill No. 20-76:** To ensure that the trustees of the Marianas Public Land Trust comply with their constitutional mandates; and for other purposes. (**SEN. JUSTO S. QUITUGUA – 10/17/17**)
2. **Senate Bill No. 20-77:** To establish mandatory presentation of valid personal identification for any debit card or credit card transaction and any check cash exchange or purchase for all business establishments in the Commonwealth. (**SEN. FRANCISCO Q. CRUZ – 10/17/17**)

#### **L. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, INITIATIVES, LOCAL BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS:**

1. **Senate Bill No. 20-78:** To mandate prompt payment for health care services performed in the CNMI and to authorize CNMI health care service providers to impose penalties on late payments received for clean claims; to set uniform standards for the processing of electronic claims; and for other purposes. [**SEN. SIXTO K. IGISOMAR – 10/25/17**]

**M. REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES:**

1. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-38:** From the Committee on Education and Youth Affairs reporting on S.B. No. 20-21 – To establish a Northern Marianas Technical Institute by adding a new Chapter 11 to Title 3, Division 1 of the Commonwealth Code; to repeal PL 14-54 and PL 15-5; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SS1] - ADOPTED**
2. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-44:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on S.B. No. 20-64 – To establish a State Directory of New Hires; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] - ADOPTED**
3. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-45:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on S.B. No. 20-65 – To establish guidelines for the Child Support Enforcement Division pertaining to non-custodial parents regarding non-compliance of child support orders and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] - ADOPTED**
4. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-46:** From the Committee on Health and Welfare reporting on S.B. No. 20-52 – To improve medical referral services by making all the medical referral and liaison offices' employments positions civil service positions and subject to the Civil Service Act; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] - ADOPTED**
5. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-47:** From the Committee on Health and Welfare reporting on S.B. No. 20-66 – To amend 6 CMC § 2138 to prohibit pharmacies in the Commonwealth from dispensing any prescription drugs to minors without the presence of a parent, legal guardian or an adult; and for other purposes. **- ADOPTED**
6. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-48:** From the Committee Fiscal Affairs reporting on S.B. 20-34 - To amend 4 CMC § 2308(a) to clarify that the Fuel Adjustment Clause (FAC) Rate Subsidy is intended for residential customers only; to amend Section 302(a) of PL 19-75 to mandate CUC to immediately apply the subsidy upon the transfer of funds to CUC; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SS1] ADOPTED**
7. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-49:** From the Committee on Resources, Economic Development and Programs reporting on S.B. No. 20-36 - To regulate real estate transactions and brokers and agents in the CNMI and to require real estate licenses by adding a new Division 8 to Title 2 of the Commonwealth Code; and for other purposes. **ADOPTED**
8. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-50:** From the Committee on Resources, Economic Development and Programs reporting on H.B. No. 20-18 - To amend 6 CMC §2256 (a) (10), the hours of operation for shooting galleries and shooting ranges; and for other purposes. **ADOPTED**
9. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-51:** From the Committee on Resources, Economic Development and Programs reporting on H.B. No. 20-33 - To amend 2 CMC § 4435(f) and to repeal 2 CMC § 4435(h) to expand the use of lease agreement payments to supplement housing assistance; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS TO BE FILED] ADOPTED**
10. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-52:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on S.B. No. 20-24 - To amend 4 CMC § 50143(a) to provide immunity for minors assisting in tobacco control undercover investigations; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] ADOPTED**
11. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-53:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on S.B. No. 20-38 - To present to the voters in the Commonwealth in the next general election the

question: "Shall there be a constitutional convention to propose amendments to the Constitution?"  
**ADOPTED**

12. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-54:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on S.B. No. 20-51 - To amend 1 CMC § 8602 by establishing a zero tolerance one strike rule for any law enforcement in the Commonwealth who test positive for drug use; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1]**
13. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-55:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on S.B. No. 20-63 - To amend 4 CMC § 50144(b) to increase the penalty of business establishments that gives, sells, or permits to be given or sold any tobacco product to an individual under the age of 18; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] ADOPTED**
14. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-56:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on H.B. No. 20-3 – To amend and repeal provisions of the Vehicle Code to allow for e-citation implementation; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] ADOPTED**
15. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-57:** From the Committee on Fiscal Affairs reporting on H.B. No. 20-10 – To establish the Settlement Fund Revolving Fund Account. **[RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF SD1] ADOPTED**
16. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-58:** From the Committee on Judiciary, Government and Law reporting on H.B. No. 20-67 – To amend 1 CMC § 1402 for the purpose of the conservation and protection of the precious resource of sweet potato "Kamuti"; and for other purposes. **ADOPTED**
17. **Standing Committee Report No. 20-59:** From the Committee on Fiscal Affairs reporting on S.B. No. 20-19 – To authorize a video surveillance tax credit for costs incurred by local businesses to purchase and install video surveillance cameras directed toward the public right-of-way in support of the CNMI's reporting system; and for other purposes. **[RECOMMENDS TO BE FILED] ADOPTED**

**N. REPORTS OF SPECIAL/CONFERENCE COMMITTEE: (NONE)**

**O. RESOLUTION CALENDAR:**

**P. BILL CALENDAR:**



**FIRST READING**

LEG. NO.	<u>TITLE</u>

**FINAL READING**

LEG. NO.	<u>TITLE</u>
<p><b>S.B. No. 20-19, SD1</b>                      (See SCreport 20-59)  <b>TO BE FILED</b></p>	<p>To authorize a video surveillance tax credit for costs incurred by local businesses to purchase and install video surveillance cameras directed toward the public right-of-way in support of the CNMI’s reporting system; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>S.B. No. 20-21, SS1 as amended</b>                      (See SCreport 20-38)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To establish a Northern Marianas Technical Institute by adding a new Chapter 11 to Title 3, Division 1 of the Commonwealth Code; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>S.B. No 20-24, SD1</b>                      (See SCreport 20-52)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 4 CMC § 50143(a) to provide immunity for minors assisting in tobacco control undercover investigations; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>S.B. No. 20-34, SS1</b>                      (See SCreport 20-48)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 4 CMC § 2308(a) to clarify that the Fuel Adjustment Clause (FAC) Rate Subsidy is intended for residential customers only; to amend Section 302(a) of PL 19-75 to mandate CUC to immediately apply the subsidy upon the transfer of funds to CUC; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>S.B. No. 20-36, SD1</b>                      (See SCreport 20-49)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To regulate real estate transactions and brokers and agents in the CNMI and to require real estate licenses by adding a new Division 8 to Title 2 of the Commonwealth Code; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>S.B. No. 20-38</b>                      (See SCreport 20-53)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To present to the voters in the Commonwealth in the next general election the question: “Shall there be a constitutional convention to propose amendments to the Constitution?”</p>

<p>S.B. No. 20-47</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 2 CMC § 4372; to amend 2 CMC § 4376 to establish the Kastiyu Agricultural Homestead Development in Tinian; and for other purposes</p>
<p>S.B. No. 20-51, SD1 (See SCreport 20-54)</p>	<p>To amend 1 CMC § 8602 by establishing a zero tolerance one strike rule for any law enforcement in the Commonwealth who test positive for drug use; and for other purposes</p>
<p>S.B. No. 20-52, SD1 (See SC report 20-46)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To improve medical referral services by making all the medical referral and liaison offices' employment positions civil service positions and subject to the Civil Service Act; and for other purposes</p>
<p>S.B. No. 20-63, SD2 (See SCreport 20-55)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 4 CMC § 50144(b) to increase the penalty of business establishments that gives, sells, or permits to be given or sold any tobacco product to an individual under the age of 18; and for other purposes</p>
<p>S.B. No. 20-64, SD1 (See SCreport 20-44)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To establish a State Directory of New Hires; and for other purposes</p>
<p>S.B. No. 20-65, SD1 (See SCreport 20-45)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To establish guidelines for the Child Support Enforcement Division pertaining to non-custodial parents regarding non-compliance of child support orders and for other purposes</p>
<p>S.B. No. 20-66 (See SCreport 20-47)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 6 CMC § 2138 to prohibit pharmacies in the Commonwealth from dispensing any prescription drugs to minors without the presence of a parent, legal guardian or an adult; and for other purposes</p>
<p>H.B. No. 20-3, SD1 (See SCreport 20-56)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend and repeal provisions of the Vehicle Code to allow for e-citation implementation; and for other purposes</p>
<p>H.B. No. 20-10, SD1 (See SCreport 20-57)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To establish the Settlement Fund Revolving Fund Account</p>
<p>H.B. NO. 20-12 (See HC 20-50)</p> <p><b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To reform drug sentencing laws to effectuate the rehabilitation and treatment principles of evidence-based sentencing</p>

<p><b>H.B. No. 20-14</b>                  (See HC 20-51)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To improve the justice system’s response to domestic violence, and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>H.B. No. 20-18</b>                  (See SCreport 20-50)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 6 CMC §2256 (a) (10), the hours of operation for shooting galleries and shooting ranges; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>H.B. No. 20-33</b>                  (See SCreport 20-51)  <b>TO BE FILED</b>  <b>PASSED TO FILE</b></p>	<p>To amend 2 CMC § 4435(f) and to repeal 2 CMC § 4435(h) to expand the use of lease agreement payments to supplement housing assistance; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>H.B. No. 20-67</b>                  (See SCreport 20-58) <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 1 CMC § 1402 for the purpose of the conservation and protection of the precious resource of sweet potato "Kamuti"; and for other purposes</p>
<p><b>H.B. No. 20-22</b>                  (See SCreport 20-15)  <b>PASSED</b></p>	<p>To amend 1 CMC Section 1502 clarifying the activities subject to the Occupancy Tax</p>

**Q. PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS:**

1. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-185:** Sept. 18, 2017 – Zoning Board regarding the Re-zone process.
2. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-186:** Sept. 27, 2017 – NMI Settlement Fund – Report of the Trustee for FY 2016 through 3<sup>rd</sup> Qtr. FY 2017.
3. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-187:** Sept. 18, 2017 – NCSL regarding NMI dues.
4. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-188:** Sept. 26, 2017 – Alter City Group, Inc. project update.
5. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-189:** Oct. 02, 2017 – CPA’s Consolidated Operations Budget for FY 2018.
6. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-190:** Oct. 04, 2017 – Mayor Apatang’s request to SNILD for an appropriation of \$311,000.00.
7. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-191:** Oct. 05, 2017 – LATTE Training Academy SNILD funding.
8. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-192:** Oct. 03, 2017 – Commonwealth Advocates for Recovery Efforts (CARE) report to the Legislature.
9. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-193:** Oct. 12, 2017 – CARE CNMI Report to Legislature.

- 10. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-194:** Oct. 10, 2017 – KARIDAT Income Statement and General Ledger listing of revenues and expenditures for quarter ending Sept.30, 2017.
- 11. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-195:** Oct. 17, 2017 – LB Director, LB and CNMI Youth Congress Expenditure Report for the Fourth Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 2017.
- 12. **Misc. Comm. No. 20-196:** Oct. 19, 2017 – CUC comments on SB 20-67.

**R. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:**

**S. ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**T. ADJOURNMENT at 2:10 p.m.**

**APPEARANCE OF SENATE LOCAL BILLS**

LEG. NO.	<u>TITLE</u>
	NONE

The Senate may consider, debate, and/or act upon any item contained in this Order of Business at the time and place described herein.