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MEMORANDUM

Date: April 6, 2018

To: All Members, TALD

From: Senator Jude U. Hofschneider
Chairman, TALD

Subject: Call for Session – 1st Day, 1st Special Session 2018

Pursuant to the authority vested in me under our Interim Rules of Procedure for our Delegation, and in compliance with the Open Government Act (1 CMC §9901 et seq.), I hereby called the Delegation to meet in session for its ***First Day, First Special Session 2018 on Monday, April 9, 2018 at 2:30 p.m. to be held at the Tinian Casino Gaming Control Conference Room, Tinian.***

The presence of all members of the Delegation at this very important session is respectfully requested.

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Date: April 4, 2018

Pursuant to the Open Government Act (1 CMC §9901 et seq.), the Honorable Jude U. Hofschneider, Chairman of the Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation announces that the Delegation of the Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature will convene the following open and public meeting:

Meeting:	**1st Day, 1st Special Session 2018**
Date and Time:	**Monday, April 9, 2018 @ 2:30 p.m.**
Location:	**Tinian Casino Gaming Control Conference Room**
	San Jose, Tinian

Copies of this notice, the official session call, and the agenda have been filed in the Office of the Delegation Clerk, released to the media, and posted at the following locations:

Administration Building Entrance Hall
House of Representative Entrance Hall
Senate Entrance Hall
Commonwealth Legislature website (www.cnmileg.gov.mp)

Pursuant to 1 CMC §9904, written comments on agenda items may be submitted to the Delegation Clerk's Office, Honorable Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building, Capitol Hill, Saipan, prior to the convening of the session. Oral testimony may be presented during the Delegation's session. If you wish to present oral testimony, please inform the Delegation Clerk not later than 24 hours prior to the session.

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TINIAN & AGUIGUAN LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION

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Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION 2018

SESSION DAY	CALENDAR DAY	TIME
1st Day	Monday, April 9, 2018	2:30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

a. Call to Order ***(Moment of silence)***

b. Roll Call

c. Public Comments

d. Adoption of Journal - None

e. Introduction of Local Bills

HLB 20-59: *"To appropriate $81,000.00 from the local license fees collected for pachinko slot machines and poker machines in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes."* ***[Introduced by Representative Edwin P. Aldan; ref. Hse. Comm. 20-13]***

f. Introduction of Local Resolutions

g. Messages from the Governor

Gov. Comm. 20-12: (1/18/18) From Governor Ralph DLG. Torres informing the Delegation that he signed *House Local Bill No. 20-44, S1 ($1,270,779.89)* into law which became **TINIAN LOCAL LAW 20-09.** ***[Information]***

h. Messages from the Mayor of Tinian & Aguiguan

Mayor's Comm. 20-13: (2/14/18) Copy of letter from Mayor of Tinian to Secretary of Finance requesting for transfer of funds as appropriated under Tinian Local Law 20-9 for various programs. ***[Information]***

Mayor's Comm. 20-14: (2/22/18) From Mayor of Tinian submitting comments on *House Local Bill No. 20-59 (81K appropriation).* ***[Information]***

Mayor's Comm. 20-15: (2/28/18) Copy of letter from Mayor of Tinian to Secretary of Finance requesting transfer of funds for CHADIC as appropriated under TLL 20-9. ***[Information]***

Mayor's Comm. 20-16: (2/28/18) Copy of letter from Mayor of Tinian to Secretary of Public Works re markings for Route 201. ***[Information]***

i. Messages from the Tinian & Aguiguan Municipal Council

TAMC Comm. 20-10: (2/7/18) From TAMC's Executive Director providing copy of the re-organization of the 16th Municipal Council Members. ***[Information]***

j. Reports and Communications from Heads of Departments/Agencies

Dept/Agency Comm. 20-11: (1/11/18) From Tinian Municipal Treasurer submitting First Quarter Financial Report for FY 2018. ***[Information]***

k. House of Representatives' Communications

Hse. Comm. 20-13: (2/20/18) From House Clerk transmitting *House Local Bill No. 20-59,* entitled, *"[T]to appropriate $81,000.00 from the local license fees collected for pachinko slot machines and poker machines in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes."* ***[For Delegation's action]***

l. Senate Communications - None

m. Delegation Matters

Delegation Matter 20-37: (2/22/18) From Chairman Hofschneider to members of the Delegation calling for a leadership meeting of the Delegation, Mayor of Tinian, and the Tinian Municipal Council members. ***[Information]***

Delegation Matter 20-38: (2/22/18) From Chairman Hofschneider to Mayor San Nicolas soliciting comments on *House Local Bill No. 20-59 ($81K app.)* ***[Information]***

Delegation Matter 20-39: (2/22/18) From Chairman Hofschneider to Chairman of Tinian Municipal Council soliciting comments on *House Local Bill No. 20-59 ($81K app.)* ***[Information]***

Delegation Matter 20-40: (4/4/18) From Chairman Hofschneider addressed to Ms. Esther Barr requesting use of the Commission's Conference Room. ***[Information]***

n. Miscellaneous Communications

Misc. Comm. 20-4: (12/7/17) Copy of CPA's Executive Director's submission to FAA re Tinian International Airport's Layout Plans.

Misc. Comm. 20-5: (1/4/18) Copy of letter from Congressman Gregorio Kilili Camacho Sablan addressed to Mayor of Tinian re Tinian Harbor project. ***[Information]***

Misc. Comm. 20-6: (2/27/18) Copy of letter from Ms. Bernadita San Nicolas of CHADIC re funds appropriated to the organization. ***[Information]***

o. Reports of Standing Committees – None

p. Reports of Special/Conference Committees – None

q. Unfinished Business

r. Resolution Calendar

TLD Resolution No.	Short Title	Action

s. Bill Calendar

First Reading

Bill No.	Short Title	Action

Second Reading

Bill No.	Short Title	Action

t. Miscellaneous Business

u. Announcements

v. ADJOURNMENT

TRANSMITTED HOUSE LOCAL BILLS TO DELEGATION (9/20/17)

HLB 20-40: *"To appropriate up to One Hundred Forty-Four Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Nine Dollars ($144,629.00) from the Second Senatorial District Developers Infrastructure Tax Fund; and for other purposes."*

Introduced By: Representative Edwin P. Aldan *[Ref. Hse. Comm. 20-8]*

Comments Solicited: 9/22/17 - Mayor of Tinian & Aguiguan; and, Municipal Council Chair. *[Ref. Delegation Matter Nos. 20-30 and 20-31]*

Comments Received: 9/25/17 – Mayor of Tinian *[Ref. Mayor's Comm. 20-8 through 20-10]*

Referred to: None

TRANSMITTED TO DELEGATION (11/21/17)

HLB 20-59: *"To appropriate $81,000.00 from the local license fees collected for pachinko slot machines and poker machines in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes."*

Introduced By: Representative Edwin P. Aldan *[Ref. Hse. Comm. 20-13]*

Comments Solicited: 2/22/18 - Mayor of Tinian & Aguiguan; and, Municipal Council Chair. *[Ref. Delegation Matter Nos. 20-38 and 20-39]*

Comments Received: 2/22/18 – Mayor of Tinian *[Ref. Mayor's Comm. 20-14]*

Referred to: None

TRANSMITTED SENATE LOCAL BILL TO DELEGATION (7/11/17)

SLB 20-4: *"To conserve and protect plan and agricultural resources including hot pepper known as 'donni sali' and nigas plants in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes."*

Introduced By: Senator Jude U. Hofschneider *[Ref. Sen. Comm. 20-5]*

Comments Solicited: 7/18/17 - Mayor of Tinian & Aguiguan; Municipal Council Chair; DLNR Resident Director; DPL Resident Director and Attorney General. *[Ref. Delegation Matter 20-13 through 20-17]*

Comments Received: 8/3/17 – Mayor of Tinian *[Ref. Mayor's Comm. 20-5]*
8/7/17 – 16th T&A Municipal Council *[Ref. TAMC Comm. 20-7]*
7/31/17 – DLNR, Tinian *[Dept/Agency Comm. 20-5]*

Referred to: None

Tinian & Aguiguan Local Resolutions
[None]