

TITLE 6: CRIMES AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURES
DIVISION 3: MISCELLANEOUS OFFENSES

§ 3151. Legislative Intent.

It is the intent of the legislature that the Commonwealth be completely self-regulating in all areas having to do with gambling and gambling devices, and that most forms of gambling should be prohibited by local law.

Source: PL 3-70, § 1.

Commission Comment: PL 3-70 took effect August 29, 1983. N.M.I. Const. art. XXI, § 1, adopted as 1985 Constitutional Amendment 42, provides: “Gambling is prohibited in the Northern Mariana Islands except as provided by Commonwealth law or established through initiative in the Commonwealth or in any senatorial district.”