

**ROTA LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION
THIRTEENTH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE**

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2003

**ROTA LOCAL LAW NO. 13-5
HOUSE LOCAL BILL NO. 13-40, D.1**

**A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT
FOR THE FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT OF ROTA**

To appropriate \$90,000 from the local license fees for pachinko slot machines and poker machines in the First Senatorial District; and for other purposes.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT PURSUANT TO
CHAPTER 4, DIVISION 1 OF TITLE 1 OF THE COMMONWEALTH CODE:**

1 **Section 1. Purpose.** The purpose of this Act is to appropriate \$90,000 from the local
2 license fees for pachinko slot machines and poker machines for projects and programs for the
3 First Senatorial District of Rota as provided herein.

4 **Section 2. Findings.** The Rota Legislative Delegation was requested by the Mayor of
5 Rota to appropriate funds for various projects and programs urgently needed for the First
6 Senatorial District. Upon consultation with the Mayor of Rota and the Resident Director of
7 Finance, the Rota Legislative Delegation was advised that there is \$90,000.00 available for
8 immediate appropriation by the Delegation based on local licensing fees collected from
9 pachinko slot machines and poker machines to fund the projects and program as requested.

10 **Section 3. Appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated \$90,000.00
11 from the local license fees for pachinko slot machines and poker machines as follows:

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| 12 | a) For summer jobs program | \$33,000.00 |
| 13 | b) For students from Rota participating in the Junior | |
| 14 | Statesman of America | 7,000.00 |
| 15 | c) For building renovation and improvement at Guam | |
| 16 | Tiyan Housing units assigned to the Galaide Association | |
| 17 | of the Commonwealth | 5,000.00 |

1	d) For dialysis patients reimbursement program	\$24,000.00
2	e) For Municipal Council Special Community Projects	\$ 5,000.00
3	f) For partial back pay compensation for Rota Municipal	
4	Council (to be distributed proportionately to the	
5	Employees)	<u>16,000.00</u>
6	TOTAL APPROPRIATION:	\$90,000.00

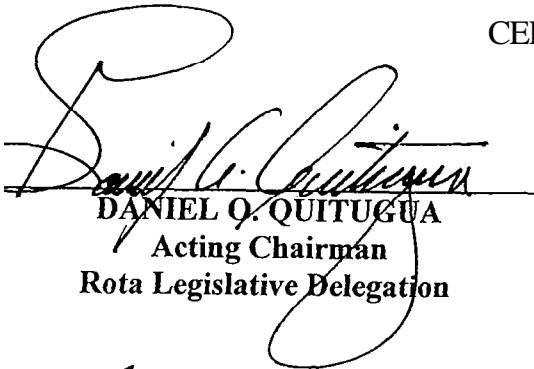
7 **Section 4. Expenditure Authority.** The expenditure authority for the funds
8 appropriated under Section 3(a), (b) and (d) of this Act shall be vested with the Mayor of Rota.
9 For funds appropriated under Section 3(c) of this Act, the expenditure authority shall be vested
10 with the President of the Galaide Association of the Commonwealth. For funds appropriated
11 under Section 3(e) and (f), the expenditure authority is vested with the Chairman of the Ninth
12 Rota Municipal Council. The Mayor of Rota, the Chairman of the Rota Municipal Council,
13 and the President of the Galaide Association of the Commonwealth shall submit progress
14 reports for the projects and programs funded by this Act to the Chairman and members of the
15 Rota Legislative Delegation.

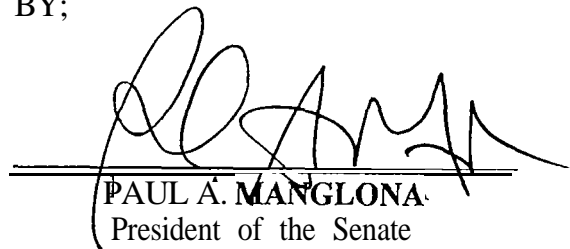
16 **Section 5. Severability.** If any provision of this Act, or the application of any such
17 provision to any person or circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent
18 jurisdiction, the remainder of this Act or the application of its provisions to persons or
19 circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

20 **Section 6. Savings Clause.** This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be
21 construed as affecting any existing right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes
22 repealed or under any rule, regulation or order adopted under the statutes. Repealers contained
23 in this Act shall not affect any proceeding instituted under or pursuant to prior law. The
24 enactment of this Act shall not have the effect of terminating, or in any way modifying, any
25 liability civil or criminal, which shall already be in existence at the date this Act, becomes
26 effective.

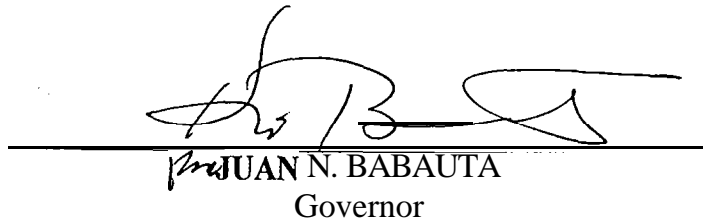
1 Section 6. Effective Date. This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the
2 Governor, or upon its becoming law without such approval.

CERTIFIED BY;


DANIEL O. QUITUGUA
Acting Chairman
Rota Legislative Delegation


PAUL A. MANGLONA
President of the Senate

Approved this 6th day of June, 2003.


JUAN N. BABAUTA
Governor