

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

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Honorable Glenn L. Maratita Chairman, Rota Legislative Delegation Nineteenth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature Saipan, MP 96950

Honorable Joseph P. Deleon Guerrero Speaker, House of Representatives Nineteenth 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. 19-36, D1, entitled, "To appropriate the Bond Interest Income Earned collected for the First Senatorial District in the amount of Twenty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$28,000,00 USD)", which was passed by the Rota Delegation, Nineteenth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature.

This bill becomes Rota Local Law No. 19-06. Copies bearing my signature are forwarded for your reference.

Sincerely.

RALPH DLG. TORRES

cc: Governor; Press Secretary; Mayor of Rota; Secretary of Finance; Special

Assistant for Administration; Special Assistant for Programs & Legislative

Review



ROTA LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION

First Senatorial District
Nineteenth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature
P. O. Box 500586
Saipan, MP 96950

Representative Glenn L. Maratita, Chairman Senator Steve K. Mesngon, Vice Chairman Senator Victor B. Hocog, Floor Leader Senator Teresita A. Santos, Legislative Secretary

October 21, 2015

Honorable Ralph DLG. Torres Acting Governor Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands Saipan, MP 96950

Dear Acting Governor Torres:

I am honored to transmit for your action House Local Bill No. 19-36, D1, entitled,

"To appropriate the Bond Interest Income Earned collected for the First Senatorial District in the amount of Twenty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$28,000.00 USD).

The bill was passed unanimously by the Rota Legislative Delegation of the Nineteenth Northern Mariana Islands Commonwealth Legislature on First and Final Reading, a quorum being present, during its First Day, Third Special Session, 2015 held on October 15, 2015.

Respectfully.

Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero

Delegation Clerk

Enclosures



ROTA LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION

FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT NINETEENTH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2015

HOUSE LOCAL BILL NO. 19-36, D1

A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT FOR THE FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT

To appropriate the Bond Interest Income Earned collected for the First Senatorial District in the amount of Twenty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$28,000.00 USD).

Offered by Representative Glenn L. Maratita

Introduced on September 18, 2015

HOUSE ACTION

Transmitted to the Rota Legislative Delegation on October 1, 2015

DELEGATION ACTION

Committee Referral

None

Standing Committee Report:

None

Comments Solicited :

10/1/15 [Mayor of Rota & Chairman,

Municipal Council]

Comments Received

10/8/15 [Mayor of Rota]

Passed First & Final Reading:

10/15/15 (as D1)

Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero Delegation Clerk



ROTA LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION

Nineteenth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature First Senatorial District

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2015

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

Section 1. Findings and Purpose. The purpose of this Act is to appropriate the Bond Interest Income Earned collected for the First Senatorial District in the amount of Twenty-Eight Thousand dollars (\$28,000.00 USD) for the Poña Point Railing Project that has been identified by the Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriation.

Section 2. Appropriation. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the Rota Legislative Delegation hereby appropriates the Bond Interest Income Earned collected for the First Senatorial District in the amount of Twenty-Eight Thousand Dollars (\$28,000.00 USD) for the Poña Point Railing Project.

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Section 3. Expenditure Authority. The expenditure authority of the funds appropriated and earmarked under this Act shall be the Mayor of the First Senatorial District.

Section 4. <u>Fund Balance</u>. Notwithstanding Section 4, any fund balance may be reprogrammed by the Mayor of the First Senatorial District for the purpose of funding any capital improvement project.

Section 5. Reprogramming. Notwithstanding any laws, provisions or regulations to the contrary, funds appropriated and earmarked under this Act shall not be reprogrammed for any other purpose unless through legislative appropriation.

Section 6. Severability. If any provisions 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 Act or the application of its provisions to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

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

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Section 7. Effective Date. This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor, or its becoming law without such approval.

CERTIFIED BY:

GLENN L. MARATITA

Chairman

Rota Legislative Delegation

JOSEPH R. DELEON GUERRERO

Speaker

House of Representatives

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RALPH DLG TORRE

Acting Governor

Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands