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Lieutenant Governor

COMMONWEALTH of the NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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The Honorable John Paul P. Sablan
Chairman
Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation
Twentieth Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950

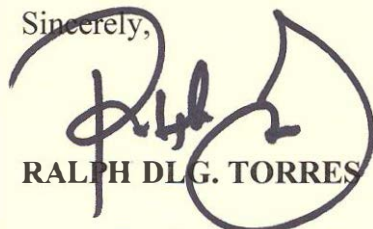
The Honorable Rafael S. Demapan
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twentieth Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950

Dear Mr. Chairman and Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that I have signed into law House Local Bill No. 20-46, D1, entitled, "To appropriate the sum of Two Million Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$2,214,000.00) from the Exclusive Gaming Annual License Fees allotted to the Third Senatorial District under 4 CMC §2307(c)(2); and for other purposes.", which was passed by the Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation of the Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature.

This bill becomes **Saipan Local Law No. 20-18**. Copies bearing my signature are forwarded for your reference.

Sincerely,



RALPH DLG. TORRES

cc: Lt. Governor; Press Secretary; Mayor of Saipan; SNI Municipal Council; Department of Public Works; Public Auditor; Special Assistant for Administration; Special Assistant for Programs and Legislative Review



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Third Senatorial District

Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature

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Saipan, MP 96950

Representative John Paul P. Sablan, Chairman

Senator Sixto K. Igisomar, Vice Chairman
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Representative Joseph P. Deleon

Floor Leader

December 21, 2017

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

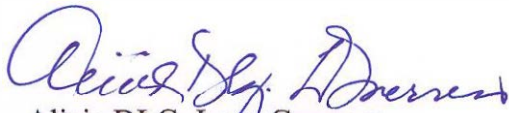
Dear Governor Torres:

I am honored to transmit for your action *House Local Bill No. 20-46, D1*, entitled,

“To appropriate the sum of Two Million Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$2,214,000.00) from the Exclusive Gaming Annual License Fees allotted to the Third Senatorial District under 4 CMC §2307(c)(2); and for other purposes.”

The bill was passed by the Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation of the Twentieth Northern Mariana Islands Commonwealth Legislature on First and Final Reading, a quorum duly present, during its Third Day, Second Regular Session, 2017 held on December 20, 2017.

Respectfully,


Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero
Delegation Clerk

Enclosures



**SAIPAN AND NORTHERN ISLANDS LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION
TWENTIETH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2017**

HOUSE LOCAL BILL NO. 20-46, D1

**A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT
FOR THE THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

To appropriate the sum of Two Million Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$2,214,000.00) from the Exclusive Gaming Annual License Fees allotted to the Third Senatorial District under 4 CMC §2307(c)(2); and for other purposes.

Offered by

Representatives Francisco C. Aguon, Donald C. Barcinas, Ivan A. Blanco,
Francisco S. Dela Cruz, Lorenzo I. Deleon Guerrero, Alice S. Igitol, Jose I. Itibus

on
November 14, 2017

HOUSE ACTION

Transmitted to Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation for action on
November 21, 2017

DELEGATION ACTION

Referred To	:	SNILD Ways & Means
Comments Solicited	:	11/22/17 – Mayor of Saipan; Mayor of Northern Islands; Chairman, SNI Municipal Council
Comments Received	:	11/28/17 – Mayor of Saipan 12/15/17 – Mayor of Northern Islands
Standing Committee Report	:	SCR 20-9
Passed First & Final Reading	:	December 20, 2017

Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero, Delegation Clerk



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**BE IT ENACTED BY THE THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT DELEGATION
PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 4, DIVISION 1, TITLE 1 OF THE COMMONWEALTH**

CODE:

1 **SECTION 1. PURPOSE.**

2 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate the sum of Two Million Two Hundred Fourteen
3 Thousand Dollars (\$2,214,000.00) from the Exclusive Gaming Annual License Fees allotted to
4 the Third Senatorial District under 4 CMC §2307(c)(2).

5 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS.**

6 Notwithstanding any provisions, statutes, laws or regulations to the contrary, the Saipan
7 and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation hereby appropriates the sum of Two Million Two
8 Hundred Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$2,214,000.00) from the Exclusive Gaming Annual
9 License Fees allotted to the Third Senatorial District under 4 CMC §2307(c)(2) as follows:

- 1 (1) Three Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$315,000.00)
2 for the completion of the Kanat Tabla Project;
- 3 (2) Five Hundred Six Thousand Dollars (\$506,000.00) for the
4 paving and/or repairing of Lalangita Road;
- 5 (3) Five Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$540,000.00)
6 for the paving and/or repairing of Lalangha Avenue;
- 7 (4) One Hundred Ninety-Seven Thousand, Six Hundred
8 Fifty-Six Dollars (\$197,656.00) for the paving and/or
9 repairing of Palu Lane;
- 10 (5) Seventy-One Thousand, Two Hundred Two Dollars
11 (\$71,202.00) for the paving and/or repairing of As Teo Road;
- 12 (6) Three Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$340,000.00)
13 for the paving and/or repairing of Puteng Drive;
- 14 (7) One Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand, One Hundred
15 Forty-Two Dollars (\$122,142.00) for the paving and/or
16 repairing of Matbas Drive.
- 17 (8) One Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Dollars (\$122,000.00)
18 for Inetnut Amut yan Kutturán Natibu/Mwiischil Safey
19 me Kkoor Aramasal Faluw for the revision and pdating of the
20 Chamorro-English Dictionary.

21 **SECTION 3. EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.**

22 The expenditure authority for the funds under Section 2 of this Act shall be the Secretary
23 of the Department of Public Works. The expenditure authority for the funds under Section 2,
24 subsection (8) for the Inetnut Amut yan Kutturán Natibu/Mwiischil Safey me Kkoor Aramasal
25 Faluw shall be their President.

1 **SECTION 4. REPROGRAMING.**

2 Notwithstanding any laws, provisions or regulations to the contrary, funds appropriated
3 under this Act shall not be reprogrammed for any other purpose.

4 **SECTION 5. REPORTING.**

5 The expenditure authority shall submit to the Chairperson of the Saipan and Northern
6 Islands Legislative Delegation a detail report showing the expenditure of the funds at the
7 completion of appropriations in Section 2 of this Act.

8 **SECTION 6. FUND DISTRIBUTION.**

9 Funds appropriated under Section 2 of this Act shall be distributed accordingly to the
10 intended purpose and or entity upon this Act becoming law.

11 **SECTION 7. FISCAL YEAR.**

12 The funds allocated under this Act shall be without fiscal year limitation(s).

13 **SECTION 8. SEVERABILITY.**

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

18 **SECTION 9. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

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

1 **SECTION 10. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or its becoming law without
3 such approval.

CERTIFIED BY:



JOHN PAUL P. SABLAN
Chairman
Saipan & Northern Islands
Legislative Delegation



RAFAEL S. DEMAPAN
Speaker
House of Representatives

Approved

on this

14

day of

January

, 2018.



RALPH D.D.G. TORRES
Governor
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands