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BILL STATUS

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES	NOTES
333-36 (COR)	Clynton E. Ridgell Therese M. Terlaje Tina Rose Muña Barnes Joe S. San Agustin Jose "Pedo" Terlaje	AN ACT TO ADD NEW ITEM (D) TO § 40109(2) AND TO ADD A NEW ITEM (6) TO § 40118, BOTH OF THE GUAM FOOD, DRUG AND COSMETIC ACT, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO CANNABIS CONTENT IN EDIBLE AND COSMETIC CANNABIS PRODUCTS.	9/8/22 4:03 p.m.	9/12/22	Committee on Health, Land, Justice, and Culture			Request: 9/13/22 9/20/22	

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MEMO

To: **Rennae Meno**
Clerk of the Legislature

From: **Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes**
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Re: **Fiscal Note on Bill No. 333-36 (COR)**

Håfa adai,

Attached, please find the fiscal note for the following bill:

Bill No. 333-36 (COR)

Please forward the same to Management Information Services (MIS) for posting on our website.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Mary Maravilla, Committee on Rules Director at 472-2461.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Bureau of Budget & Management Research
Fiscal Note of Bill No. 333-36(COR)

BILL NO. 333-36 (COR) IS "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ITEM (D) TO § 40109(2) AND TO ADD A NEW ITEM (6) TO § 40118, BOTH OF THE GUAM FOOD, DRUG AND COSMETIC ACT, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO CANNABIS CONTENT IN EDIBLE AND COSMETIC CANNABIS PRODUCTS.

Department/Agency Appropriation Information		
Dept./Agency Affected: Department of Public Health and Social Services	Dept./Agency Head: Arthur San Agustin, Director	
Department's General Fund (GF) appropriation(s) to date:		24,785,436
Department's Other Fund (Specify) appropriation(s) to date: Environmental Health Fund - $1,390,435, Healthy Futures Fund - $13,532,128, Health Professional Licensing Office Revolving Fund - $296,921, Office of Vital Statistics Revolving Fund - $239,948, Sanitary Inspection Revolving Fund - $167,383, Medically Indigent Program Payment Revolving Fund - $11,708,921		28,874,636
Total Department/Agency Appropriation(s) to date:		$53,660,072

Fund Source Information of Proposed Appropriation			
	General Fund:	Special Fund:	Total:
FY 2021 Unreserved Fund Balance	$0	$0	$0
FY 2022 Adopted Revenues	$0	0	0
FY 2022 Appro. (P.L. 36-54)	$0	0	0
Sub-total:	$0	0	0
Less appropriation in Bill	$0	0	0
Total:	$0	0	0

Estimated Fiscal Impact of Bill						
	One Full Fiscal Year	For Remainder of FY 2022 (if applicable)	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
General Fund	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Special Fund	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Total	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/

1. Does the bill contain "revenue generating" provisions? / / N/A / 1/ / Yes / / No
   If Yes, see attachment
2. Is amount appropriated adequate to fund the intent of the appropriation? /X/ N/A / / Yes / / No
   If no, what is the additional amount required? $ /X/ N/A
3. Does the Bill establish a new program/agency? // N/A / / Yes / X / No
   If yes, will the program duplicate existing programs/agencies? // N/A / / Yes / X / No
   Is there a federal mandate to establish the program/agency? / / Yes / X / No
4. Will the enactment of this Bill require new physical facilities? / / Yes / X / No
5. Was Fiscal Note coordinated with the affected dept/agency? If no, indicate reason: /X/ Yes / / No
   // Requested agency comments not received by due date: / / Other

Analyst: M P Quinata Date: 9/15/22 Director: Lester L. Carlson, Jr., Director Date: SEP 19 2022

Notes:
1/ See Attached

Bureau of Budget & Management Research
Comments on Bill No. 333-36 (COR)

1/: The intent of Bill No.333-36 (COR) is to add new item (D) §40109(2) and to add a new item (6) to §40118, both of the Guam Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, Title 10, Guam Code Annotated relative to cannabis content in edible and cosmetic cannabis products.

As per correspondence from DPHSS, the direct fiscal impact of Bill 333-36 to the Division of Environmental Health (DEH) is difficult to assess as DEH is uncertain how many existing businesses are actively engaged in the importation, distribution, and sale of cannabis-infused foods and cosmetics. DEH is further uncertain how many new businesses will begin to carry such merchandise as a result of this bill, if enacted. Thus, the number of existing and new businesses that will be needing to obtain a Sanitary Permit to distribute and/or sell cannabis-infused foods cannot be determined.

DPHSS, however, does not anticipate any direct, adverse financial impact to the Division of Environmental Health from the passage of Bill 333-36; instead, the Department may see some increase in revenue into the Environmental Health Fund from the issuance of Sanitary Permits and Health Certificates to new businesses and its employees. However, once again, it would not be possible to calculate such fiscal impact (revenue increase) at this time.