

I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
BILL STATUS

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	FISCAL NOTES	NOTES
13-37 (COR) As amended on the Floor	Therese M. Terlaje Telo T. Taitague Chris Barnett Joanne Brown Frank Blas, Jr. Jesse A. Lujan Sabina Flores Perez Christopher M. Dueñas Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas	AN ACT TO AMEND § 83102(d) AND ADD A NEW § 83116, TO CHAPTER 83, ALL OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO INCREASING PUBLIC NOTICE AND TRANSPARENCY OF THE ACTIONS BY THE GUAM TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY HEALTHCARE CENTER COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROPOSED MEDICAL HEALTHCARE CAMPUS.	1/24/23 4:53 p.m.	1/25/23	Committee on Health, Land, Justice, and Culture	2/6/23 5:00 p.m.	2/21/23 11:47 a.m.	Request: 1/25/23 Waiver: 2/2/23	
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Thirty-Seventh Guam Legislature

March 8, 2023

The Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero
I Maga'hågan Guåhan
Ufisinan I Maga'håga
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear *Maga'håga* Leon Guerrero:

Transmitted herewith are **Bill Nos. 10-37 (COR), 12-37 (COR) and 13-37 (COR)** which were passed by *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* on March 7, 2023.

Sincerely,

AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary

Enclosure (3)

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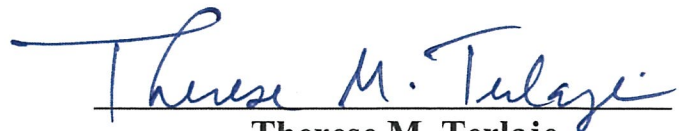
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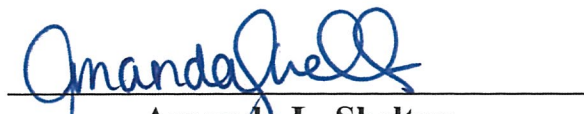
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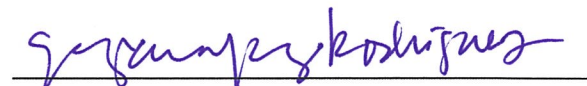
This is to certify that **Bill No. 13-37 (COR)**, "AN ACT TO *AMEND* § 83102(d) AND *ADD* A NEW § 83116, TO CHAPTER 83, ALL OF TITLE 12, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO INCREASING PUBLIC NOTICE AND TRANSPARENCY OF THE ACTIONS BY THE GUAM TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY HEALTHCARE CENTER COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROPOSED MEDICAL HEALTHCARE CAMPUS," was on the 7th day of March 2023, duly and regularly passed.


Therese M. Terlaje
Speaker

Attested:


Amanda L. Shelton
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* this 8th day of March,
2023, at 2:03 o'clock P.M.


Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'håga's Office

APPROVED:

Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero
I Maga'hågan Guåhan

Date: _____

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Bill No. 13-37 (COR)

As amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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THE GUAM TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY HEALTHCARE
CENTER COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE
PROPOSED MEDICAL HEALTHCARE CAMPUS.**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds
3 that the policy statement in the Open Government Law in 5 GCA Chapter 8 states,
4 “The Legislature declares it is the policy of this Territory that the formation of

1 public policy and decisions is public and shall not be conducted in secret. The
2 people of Guam do not yield their individual rights to the public agencies which
3 serve them. The people, in delegating authority, do not give their public servants
4 the right to decide what is good for the people to know and what is not good for
5 them to know. The people insist on remaining informed so that they may retain
6 control over the instruments they have created.”

7 *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* further finds that Public Law 36-56 authorized the
8 Government of Guam to enter into a contract for the design, build, finance, lease,
9 transfer and long-term capital maintenance of the Guam Twenty-First Century
10 Healthcare Center with private sector contractors who can provide long-term
11 financing. The construction of the proposed medical healthcare campus is currently
12 estimated to cost \$1 billion dollars.

13 It is the intent of the *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to ensure the people of Guam,
14 medical providers, and the Legislature are informed of the meetings, actions, and
15 decisions surrounding the design, lease, and financing of the proposed medical
16 healthcare campus by making Guam Twenty-First Century Healthcare Committee
17 meetings subject to the Open Government Law.

18 **Section 2.** § 83102(d) of Chapter 83, Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, is
19 hereby *amended* to read:

20 “(d) ‘*Guam Twenty-First Century Healthcare Center Committee*’
21 *shall* be chaired by Administrator or Deputy Administrator of the Guam
22 Economic Development Authority and include the Administrator and
23 Directors of all Healthcare Agencies, the Director or Deputy Director of
24 Department of Public Works, the Director or Deputy Director of Department
25 of Land Management, the Director or Deputy Director of the Bureau of
26 Statistics and Planning, the Director or Deputy Director of the Bureau of

1 Budget Management and Research, Director or Deputy Director of the
2 Department of Administration, the Legislative committee chairperson with
3 jurisdiction on health matters or his/her designee, Chairpersons of the
4 Municipal Planning Councils of impacted villages as determined by the
5 Mayors Council of Guam or their designee, President of the Guam Medical
6 Society or their designee, and President of the Guam Medical Association
7 or their designee. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, Members of
8 the Guam Twenty-First Century Healthcare Center Committee are
9 “officials” for the purposes of Title 4 Chapter 13 Guam Code Annotated, the
10 Public Official Disclosure Act and shall file a financial disclosure pursuant
11 to that Chapter.”

12 **Section 3.** A new § 83116 is hereby *added* to Chapter 83, Title 12, Guam
13 Code Annotated, to read:

14 **“§ 83116. Public Notices of Guam Twenty-First Century**
15 **Healthcare Center Committee Meetings.**

16 (a) All meetings, including working meetings and subcommittee
17 meetings of the Guam Twenty-First Century Healthcare Center Committee
18 shall be subject to the Open Government Law pursuant to 5 GCA Chapter 8
19 and the public shall be allowed to attend. It is intended that the Guam
20 Medical Association and the Guam Medical Society shall notify their
21 members of meetings via email.

22 (b) All meeting minutes shall be posted on the Guam Economic
23 Development Authority website, the audio recording of each meeting shall
24 be provided to the Office of Public Accountability within seven (7) calendar
25 days after the meeting, and electronic copies of the meeting agendas,
26 minutes, and other attachments and addendums as discussed in each meeting

1 shall be provided to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* no later than
2 fifteen (15) days after the meeting.”

3 **Section 4. Severability.** The provisions outlined in this Act are declared
4 to be separate and severable. The invalidity of any clause, sentence, paragraph,
5 subdivision, section or portion of this statute, or the invalidity of the application
6 thereof to any person or circumstance shall not affect the validity of the remainder
7 of this statute or the validity of its application to other persons or circumstances.

8 **Section 5. Effective Date.** This Act shall be effective upon enactment.