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Pursuant to the House Rules of Procedures and the authority under the NMI Constitution, the Speaker of the House of Representatives announces that the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Fourth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature will convene the following open and public meeting:

Meeting: House of Representatives First Day, Fifth Special Session

Date and Time: Thursday, July 31, 2025, at 10:00 AM

Location: House Chamber, Vice Speaker Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial

Building, Capitol Hill

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24th NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE HONORABLE JESUS P. MAFNAS MEMORIAL BUILDING P.O. BOX 500586 SAIPAN, MP 96950

EDMUND SABLAN VILLAGOMEZ SPEAKER

MEMORANDUM

DATE

: 23 July 2025

TO

: ALL HOUSE MEMBERS

FROM

: Speaker Edmund S. Villagomez_

SUBJECT

: Call for Session, 1st Day, 5th Special Session

Pursuant to the House Rules of Procedure and the authority vested in me under the NMI Constitution, I hereby call for the 1st Day, 5th Special Session for Thursday, 31 July 2025 at 10:00 a.m. in the House Chamber.

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SESSION DAY CALENDAR DAY 1st Day, Fifth Special Session Thursday, July 31, 2025 10:00 a.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

TIME

A Moment of Silence

- 1. **ROLL CALL**
- 2. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

3. ADOPTION OF JOURNALS – (2)

First Day, Third Special Session Journal – June 11, 2025 Second Day, Third Special Session Journal – June 20, 2025

4. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

A. House Bills:

H. B. No. 24-40

To amend Title 4 of the Commonwealth Code to clarify the application of business registration, licensing, and tax laws to foreign corporations engaged in land development, infrastructure development, or construction activities in the Commonwealth, including those related to development projects performed under or in connection with contracts, subcontracts, or agreements with the United States.

Prefiled by: REP. MARISSA R. FLORES of Saipan, Precinct 3 (for herself)

H. B. No. 24-41

To establish regulations on vehicle window tinting for safety and security in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands; and for other purposes.

Prefiled by: REP. JOSEPH A. FLORES of Saipan, Precinct 1 (for himself, and Representative Roy C.A. Ada)

H. B. No. 24-42

To mandate comprehensive, standards-based financial literacy education in all public high schools and middle schools of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI); to establish curriculum standards, teacher training support, integration with workforce development programs, and implementation timelines; and for other purposes.

Prefiled by: REP. VINCENT R. ALDAN of Saipan, Precinct 1 (for himself, Representatives Daniel I. Aquino Jr., Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao, Joel C. Camacho, Marissa R. Flores, John Paul P. Sablan, Edmund S. Villagomez, and Ralph N. Yumul)

B. House Local Bills:

H. L. B. No. 24-20

To appropriate Forty Two Thousand Dollars (\$42,000.00) from revenues collected from poker fees in the Second Senatorial District; and for other purposes.

Prefiled by: REP. PATRICK H. SAN NICOLAS of Tinian, Precinct 6 (for himself)

C. House Legislative Initiatives:

5. INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

A. House Resolutions:

B. House Joint Resolutions:

H. J. R. No. 24-3

To urge the United States Congress to require all contractors and subcontractors performing federally funded work in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands to register with the CNMI Department of Finance and certify compliance with CNMI tax laws as a condition of receiving federal payments, to request the U.S. Department of Defense to adopt a CNMI-specific clause in the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) to institutionalize this requirement, and to affirm the CNMI's right under Section 703(b) of the Covenant to receive federal income tax revenues generated from contract work performed in the Commonwealth.

Prefiled by: REP. BLAS JONATHAN "BJ" T. ATTAO of Saipan, Precinct 3 (for himself, Representatives Roy C.A. Ada, Vincent R. Aldan, Roman C. Benavente, Angelo A. Camacho, Diego V. F. Camacho, Joel C. Camacho, Joseph A. Flores, Marissa R. Flores, Thomas J. DlC. Manglona, Julie M. A. Ogo, Raymond U. Palacios, Elias J.M. Rangamar, John Paul P. Sablan, Patrick H. San Nicolas, Edmund S. Villagomez, Denita Kaipat Yangetmai, and Ralph N. Yumul)

H. J. R. No. 24-4

To authorize the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, through its Governor, to submit to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development the Action Plan for the Community Development Block Grant Application No. B-25-ST69-0001, the Home Investment Partnership Grant Application No. M-25-ST69-0203, the National Housing Trust Fund Grant Application No. F-25-ST69-0203, and the Emergency Solutions Grant Application No. E-25-DC69-0001; to receive the funds requested therein; and to assume all responsibilities that may be imposed pursuant to those grants.

Prefiled by: REP. JOEL C. CAMACHO of Saipan, Precinct 4 (*for himself*, Representatives Roy C.A. Ada, Vincent R. Aldan, Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao, Angelo A. Camacho, Diego V. F. Camacho, Joseph A. Flores, Marissa R. Flores, Malcolm J. Omar,

Raymond U. Palacios, Elias J.M. Rangamar, John Paul P. Sablan, Edmund S. Villagomez, Denita Kaipat Yangetmai, and Ralph N. Yumul)

H. J. R. No. 24-5

To recognize and acknowledge the National Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (ESGR) and the Guam-CNMI ESGR State Committee and their volunteer members for their exceptional service and commitment to our service men and women and to thank and appreciate our civilian employers for their utmost support to our service members by recognizing the week of August 4th through August 8th, 2025 as "Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Week".

Prefiled by: REP. EDMUND S. VILLAGOMEZ of Saipan, Precinct 3, (for himself)

H. J. R. No. 24-6

Commending the distinguished life and extraordinary contributions of the late Honorable Governor Arnold Indalecio Palacios to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands and its people and to acknowledge his enduring legacy as a genuine statesman.

Prefiled by: REP(S). BLAS JONATHAN "BJ" T. ATTAO, EDMUND S. VILLAGOMEZ of Saipan, Precinct 3; REP. JOHN PAUL P. SABLAN of Saipan, Precinct 2 (for themselves)

- **C.** House Commemorative Resolutions:
- **D.** House Concurrent Resolutions:

6. MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

GOV. COMM. 24-36: (7/17/2025) Informing the House that he signed into law, H. B. No. 24-17, SD1, CCS1, (*To amend 2 CMC § 2174 to provide the Commonwealth Ports Authority greater autonomy in managing its finances.*). Became **Public Law No. 24-04.** [For info]

GOV. COMM. 24-37: (7/21/2025) Informing the House that he signed into law, H. L. B. No. 24-10, D1, (*To appropriate revenues collected for the Second Senatorial District pursuant to Public Law 20-59.*). Became **Tinian Local Law No. 24-05.** [For info]

GOV. COMM. 24-38: (7/23/2025) From Acting Governor David M. Apatang, transmitting a public statement regarding the passing of the Honorable Arnold I. Palacios, Governor of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands. The statement reflects on Governor Palacios's decades of public service and leadership, and announces that the CNMI flag shall be flown at half-staff until further notice in solemn tribute. [For info]

GOV. COMM. 24-39: (7/22/2025) Informing the House that he signed into law, S. B. No. 24-17, SD1, (To globally amend Divisions 1 and 5 of Title 4 to rename "Commonwealth Free Trade Zone Authority" to "Commonwealth Economic Incentive District Authority"; and for other purposes.). Became **Public Law No. 24-05.** [For info]

GOV. COMM. 24-40: (7/24/2025) Informing the House that he signed into law, S. B. No. 24-16, SD1, (To promote trade and investment economic development and diversification in the CNMI; to

encourage foreign and domestic investments through incentives and streamlined processes, as well as to promote the CNMI as a trade and investment hub; and for other purposes.). Became **Public Law No. 24-06.** [For info]

GOV. COMM. 24-41: (7/24/2025) Informing the House that he signed into law, S. B. No. 24-15, SD1, (To amend 4 CMC § 4266 to add a filing number to incorporation filings; to amend 4 CMC § 4269 to create an internet portal for public search of corporate existence by filing number; and for other purposes.). Became **Public Law No. 24-07.** [For info]

7. SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

SEN. COMM. 24-31: (6/27/2025) Transmitting a certified copy of Senate Commemorative Resolution No. 24-02, entitled, "To honor the legacy of fishermen and fisherwomen who have shared their indigenous and traditional knowledge of fishing practices in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands during the First Annual Fishers Recognition Week.". [For info]

SEN. COMM. 24-32: (6/27/2025) Transmitting a certified copy of Senate Resolution No. 24-05, entitled, "To recognize and congratulate Stephanie Espartero Diaz for her remarkable educational achievements and for proudly representing the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in academic science-related programs.". [For info]

SEN. COMM. 24-33: (6/30/2025) Transmitting a certified copy of Senate Joint Resolution No. 24-01, HD1, entitled, "Supporting the Commonwealth Ports Authority's request for exemption from Federal Limitations on Scheduled Chinese Air Service to the CNMI, urging the Reinstatement of Annex VI under the U.S.-China Air Transport Agreement of 2007, and urging the full and immediate implementation of the CNMI Economic Vitality and Security Travel Authorization Program (EVS-TAP).". [For info]

SEN. COMM. 24-34: (7/14/2025) Returning H. B. No. 24-1, HS1, entitled, "To amend provisions in Title 6, Division 1, Part 1, Chapter 3, Sexual Offenses, Article 1. General Provisions, relating to sexual abuse/assault of minors.", which was passed by the Senate without amendments on July 14, 2025. [For info-Will go to Governor]

SEN. COMM. 24-35: (7/14/2025) Returning H. B. No. 24-2, entitled, "To establish a process for the delivery of a State of the Commonwealth Address to the Legislature by the Governor.", which was passed by the Senate without amendments on July 14, 2025. [For info-Will go to Governor]

SEN. COMM. 24-36: (7/14/2025) Returning H. B. No. 24-19, entitled, "To rename the "CNMI Scholarship Office" to the "CNMI Scholarship and Financial Assistance Office." ", which was passed by the Senate without amendments on July 14, 2025. [For info-Will go to Governor]

SEN. COMM. 24-37: (7/14/2025) Returning H. B. No. 24-29, entitled, "To reconcile public utility accounts between CHCC and CUC by waiving intra-governmental penalties and preserving enforceable debt obligations; and for other purposes.", which was passed by the Senate with amendments on July 14, 2025, in the form of **H. B. No. 24-29, SD1**. [For action on Senate amendments]

SEN. COMM. 24-38: (7/14/2025) Transmitting for House action **S. B. No. 24-08**, entitled, "To amend certain provisions of the CNMI Recycling Act of 1999 to establish the Department of Public Works as its proper authority; and for other purposes.", which was passed by the Senate on July 14, 2025. [For action]

SEN. COMM. 24-39: (7/14/2025) Transmitting for House action S. B. No. 24-19, entitled, "To amend 9 CMC § 2208(d) to authorize motor vehicle licensure to all residents of the

Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.", which was passed by the Senate on July 14, 2025. [For action]

SEN. COMM. 24-40: (7/14/2025) Transmitting for House action S. B. No. 24-21, entitled, "To amend 9 CMC § 2103 to require execution of a Notice of Transfer and Release of Liability by the appropriate parties upon the ownership transfer of a vehicle.", which was passed by the Senate on July 14, 2025. [For action]

SEN. COMM. 24-41: (7/15/2025) Transmitting a certified copy of Senate Resolution No. 24-06, entitled, "To disapprove Executive Order 2025-002 to transfer authority for supervision of casino gaming from the Commonwealth Casino Commission to the Commonwealth Lottery Commission pursuant to NMI const. art. III, sec. 15.". [For info]

SEN. COMM. 24-42: (7/15/2025) Informing the House that the Senate, by majority vote of the members present, disapproved Executive Order No. 2025-002, entitled: "To transfer the authority for supervision of casino gaming from the Commonwealth Casino Commission (CCC) to the Commonwealth Lottery Commission (CLC)," during its 1st Day, Fourth Special Session, held on July 14, 2025. Attached is adopted Standing Committee Report No. 24-22. [For info]

8. HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

HSE. COMM. 24-40: (7/11/2025) From Representative Daniel I. Aquino Jr., informing the Speaker that he will be out of the Commonwealth on personal matters from July 13, 2025—July 19, 2025 and request to be excused from all legislative sessions, SNILD sessions, and committee meetings. [For info]

HSE. COMM. 24-41: (7/15/2025) From Representative Joel C. Camacho informing the Speaker that he will be out of the Commonwealth on personal business from July 18, 2025 to July 22, 2025 and request to be excused from all official functions meetings or sessions. [For info]

HSE. COMM. 24-42: (7/17/2025) From Speaker Villagomez to the Judiciary and Governmental Operations Committee re: Referral communication — JUD. BR. COMM. 24-3: (7/11/2025) From Chief Justice Alexandro C. Castro to the Senate President and Speaker of the House submitting: Proposed NMI Code of Judicial Conduct. [Submitted 7/11/2025; Deadline: 9/9/2025]. [For info]

HSE. COMM. 24-43: (7/14/2025) From Representative Thomas John DLC. Manglona informing the Speaker that he will be out of the Commonwealth on personal matters beginning July 21, 2025—July 30, 2025 and request to be excused from all legislative sessions, SNILD sessions, committee meetings, and any official functions. [For info]

HSE. COMM. 24-44: (7/18/2025) From Representative Ralph N. Yumul, Gaming Chair informing the House of the appointment of two additional members to the Gaming Committee: Representative Roman C. Benavente and Representative Marissa R. Flores. [For info]

HSE. COMM. 24-45: (7/18/2025) From Representative Julie M. A. Ogo informing the Speaker that she will be out of the Commonwealth on medical leave beginning August 4, 2025—August 8, 2025 and request to be excused from all legislative sessions, committee meetings, and any official functions. [For info]

9. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE JUDICIAL BRANCH

JUD. BR. COMM. 24-3: (7/11/2025) From Chief Justice Alexandro C. Castro to the Senate President and Speaker of the House submitting: *Proposed NMI Code of Judicial Conduct*. [Submitted 7/11/2025; **Deadline:** 9/9/2025]

10. COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS & AGENCIES

DEPT./AGCY. COMM. 24-13: (7/23/2025) From Sixto K. Igisomar, Secretary of Public Lands, submitting a supplemental notice of seven additional land compensation claims totaling \$1,023,529.64 for longstanding right-of-way takings. Requests appropriation in the FY 2026 land compensation budget. [For info]

11. MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS – (None)

12. REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES – (6)

- **S. C. R. No. 24-13:** Reporting on H. B. No. 24-12, entitled: "To promote economic recovery and provide relief to CNMI taxpayers by waiving penalties and interest on unpaid taxes due to financial and socioeconomic hardships; and for other purposes." *Your House Committee on Ways and Means recommends that the House pass H. B. No. 24-12 in its current form.*
- **S. C. R. No. 24-14:** Reporting on H. B. No. 24-18, entitled: "To earmark Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) of Electronic Gaming (E-Gaming) license fees towards the Department of Finance for enforcement purposes." *Your House Committee on Ways and Means recommends that the House pass H. B. No. 24-18 in its current form.*
- S. C. R. No. 24-15: Reporting on H. B. No. 24-24, entitled: "To enact 4 CMC § 1208 and 4 CMC § 1312 to establish a Legal Services and Access to Justice Tax Credit." *Your House Committee on Ways and Means recommends that the House pass the bill in the form of H. B. No. 24-24, HD1.*
- **S. C. R. No. 24-16:** Reporting on H. B. No. 24-27, entitled: "To establish an excise tax for betelnut/areca nut and lime mix/afok/or bweesch." Your House Committee on Ways and Means recommends that the House pass the bill in the form of **H. B. No. 24-27, HD1.**
- **S. C. R. No. 24-17:** Reporting on H. B. No. 24-30, entitled: "To appropriate funds from Accounts 1501B and 1501S to support the operational and personnel needs of the CNMI Cannabis Commission and to direct the Secretary of Finance to establish and maintain a separate sub-account within the Cannabis Tax Account for the purpose of segregating and reserving PSS's designated share." *Your House Committee on Ways and Means recommends that the House pass H. B. No. 24-30 in its current form.*
- **S. C. R. No. 24-18:** Reporting on H. B. No. 24-31, entitled: "To repeal restrictions on the use of funds in accounts established under 4 CMC §§ 1215 and 53036(g)." *Your House Committee on Ways and Means recommends that the House pass H. B. No. 24-31 in its current form.*

13. REPORTS OF SPECIAL AND CONFERENCE COMMITTEES – (None)

14. UNFINISHED BUSINESS – (None)

15. RESOLUTION CALENDAR

Resolution	Subject	Action

16. BILL CALENDAR

Bill/Initiative	Subject	Action

17. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

18. ANNOUNCEMENTS

(ADJOURNMENT)

APPEARANCE OF LOCAL BILLS

FIRST LEGISLATIVE DAY: 1st Legislative appearance of a local bill is on the day it is introduced.

SECOND LEGISLATIVE DAY:

THIRD LEGISLATIVE DAY:

H. L. B. No. 24-17: To amend 10 CMC § 12114 to provide for the compensation of the members of the Rota Casino Commission. Introduced by REP. JULIE M. A. OGO of Rota, Precinct 7 (for herself) on June 20, 2025.

Appearance of Measures introduced on the House Floor during the House Session on July 14, 2025:

H. B. No. 24-34: To streamline business licensing in the Commonwealth by establishing a business start-up task force, a digital one-stop platform, a support center, and a conditional business licensing process. Introduced by REP. THOMAS J. DLC. MANGLONA of Saipan, Precinct 5 (*for himself*, Representative Roy C. A. Ada) on July 14, 2025; subsequently referred to the House Committee on Commerce.

H. B. No. 24-35: To amend certain provisions of the CNMI Good Samaritan Act [7 CMC § 2801 et seq.]; and for other purposes. Introduced by Rep. Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao on behalf of Rep. MALCOLM J. OMAR of Saipan, Precinct 4 (for himself) on July 14, 2025; subsequently referred to the House Committee on Health and Welfare and to the House Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Operations.

H. B. No. 24-36: To establish a Prescription Drug Monitoring Program in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands; and for other purposes. Introduced by Rep. Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao on behalf of REP. MALCOLM J. OMAR of Saipan, Precinct

- 4 (for himself) on July 14, 2025; subsequently referred to the House Committee on Health and Welfare and to the House Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Operations.
- H. B. No. 24-37: To suspend the operations of the Commonwealth Casino Commission; to transfer casino regulatory functions to the Commonwealth Lottery Commission on an interim basis; to establish a Division of Gaming within the Department of Finance; and for other purposes. Introduced by REP. MARISSA R. FLORES of Saipan, Precinct 3 (*for herself*) on July 14, 2025; subsequently referred to the House Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Operations and to the House Committee on Gaming.
- H. B. No. 24-38: To establish a dedicated CNMI Emergency Reserve Fund ("Rainy Day Fund") with annual mandatory deposits and procedures for fund disbursement in times of declared emergency, while ensuring fiscal accountability. Introduced by REP. DIEGO V. F. CAMACHO of Saipan, Precinct 1 (*for himself*, Representatives Roman C. Benavente, and Marissa R. Flores) on July 14, 2025; subsequently referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
- H. B. No. 24-39: To establish Treatment Program Enforcement Officers within the Judiciary to carry out enforcement, supervision, and monitoring functions essential to the success of court-supervised treatment programs, and to ensure that these officers are fully recognized as law enforcement personnel under Commonwealth law. Introduced by REP. JOHN PAUL P. SABLAN of Saipan, Precinct 2 (*for himself*, Representatives Vincent R. Aldan, Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao, Roman C. Benavente, Joel C. Camacho, Marissa R. Flores, Thomas J. DIC. Manglona, Julie M. A. Ogo, Patrick H. San Nicolas, Edmund S. Villagomez, Denita Kaipat Yangetmai, and Ralph N. Yumul) on July 14, 2025; subsequently referred to the House Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Operations.
- H. L. B. No. 24-18: To appropriate \$75,000.00 from revenues collected for the Third Senatorial District pursuant to Saipan Local Law 22-06; and for other purposes. Introduced by REP. BLAS JONATHAN "BJ" T. ATTAO of Saipan, Precinct 3 (*for himself*, Representatives Roman C. Benavente, Marissa R. Flores, John Paul P. Sablan, and Ralph N. Yumul) on July 14, 2025.
- H. L. B. No. 24-19: To appropriate the remaining fund balance of \$260,670.00 from the Third Senatorial District Developers Infrastructure Tax Fund allotted to Precinct I under Saipan Local Law 22-16; and for other purposes. Introduced by REP. ROMAN C. BENAVENTE of Saipan, Precinct 1 (*for himself*, Representatives Roy C.A. Ada, Vincent R. Aldan, Diego V. F. Camacho, Joseph A. Flores, and Raymond U. Palacios) on July 14, 2025.
- H. RES. No. 24-11: To respectfully urge the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) to ensure meaningful and equitable involvement of Northern Marianas Descent (NMD) persons, and recognition of the Northern Mariana Islands' traditional knowledge, stewardship, and proprietary rights in all current and future activities related to ocean exploration, marine research, data ownership, and commercialization of marine resources in the Mariana Trench and surrounding waters. Introduced by REP. DENITA KAIPAT YANGETMAI of Saipan, Precinct 3 (for herself, Representatives Roy C.A. Ada, Vincent R. Aldan, Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao, Roman C. Benavente, Angelo A. Camacho, Diego V. F. Camacho, Joel C. Camacho, Joseph A. Flores, Marissa R. Flores, Thomas J. DIC. Manglona, Julie M. A. Ogo, Raymond U. Palacios, Elias J.M. Rangamar, John Paul P. Sablan, Patrick H. San Nicolas, Edmund S. Villagomez, and Ralph N. Yumul) on July 14, 2025; subsequently placed on the Resolution Calendar.
- H. C. R. No. 24-2: To Define and Identify General Revenue and Approve revenues and resources of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, as identified pursuant to Article III, Section 9(a) of the Constitution, as amended, and 1 CMC, Division 7, for Fiscal Year 2026, beginning October 1, 2025, and ending on September 30, 2026. Introduced by REP. JOHN PAUL P. SABLAN of Saipan, Precinct 2 (for himself, Representatives Roy C.A. Ada, Vincent R. Aldan, Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao, Roman C. Benavente, Angelo A. Camacho, Diego V. F. Camacho, Joel C. Camacho, Joseph A. Flores, Marissa R. Flores, Thomas J. DlC. Manglona, Julie M. A. Ogo, Raymond U. Palacios, Elias J.M. Rangamar, Patrick H. San Nicolas, Edmund S. Villagomez, Denita Kaipat Yangetmai, and Ralph N. Yumul) on July 14, 2025; subsequently placed on the Resolution Calendar.