

SENATOR THERESE M. TERLAJE

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, TOURISM, HISTORIC PRESERVATION, LAND AND JUSTICE I MINA' TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

35th GUAM LEGISLATURE

April 30, 2020

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators, Stakeholders and Media

From: Senator Therese M. Terlaje, Chairperson Committee on Health, Tourism, Historic Preservation, Land and Justice

> Senator Joe S. San Agustin, Chairperson Committee on General Government Operations, Appropriations, and Housing

Subject: FIRST NOTICE of Joint Public Hearing - Friday, May 8, 2020 beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Håfa Adai!

Please be advised that the Committee on Health, Tourism, Historic Preservation, Land and Justice will convene a virtual public hearing on Friday, May 08, 2020 beginning at 9:00 a.m., via a Zoom Video Conference platform, on the following agenda items:

- **9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.- Oversight Hearing** on duties of DPHSS Divisions relative to the phased-in re-opening of non-essential businesses and government services and COVID-19 risk prevention going forward. In particular, the status of current agency budget and CARES Act funding resources as it relates to supporting:
 - Surveillance contact tracing of COVID-19 positive cases
 - Continued/expanded COVID-19 testing
 - Elderly care, food assistance, housing assistance, and health insurance coverage for vulnerable populations
- 1:00 p.m.- 2:00 p.m.- Bill No. 321-35 (COR) Therese M. Terlaje- An Act to add a new §21121 to Title 21, Guam Code Annotated, relative to protecting tenants from eviction during emergencies and public health emergencies.

If you are interested in participating in the virtual public hearing to provide testimony, please contact the Office of Senator Therese M. Terlaje via email at <u>senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com</u> or 472-3586 **no later than May 6, 2020**, for further guidance.



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The public hearing will broadcast on local television, GTA Channel 21, Docomo Channel 117/60.4 and stream online via Liheslaturan Guåhan's live feed. A recording of the hearing will be available online via Guam Legislature Media on YouTube after the hearing.

Written testimonies may also be submitted to the Office of Senator Therese M. Terlaje before the hearing via email at <u>senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com</u> or the Office of Senator Joe S. San Agustin via email at <u>senatorjoessanagustin@gmail.com</u>. The Committees will continue to receive testimony for ten (10) working days following the hearing.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals requiring special accommodations or services should contact the Office of Senator Therese M. Terlaje at (671) 472-3586 or by sending an email to <u>senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com</u> or Senator Joe S. San Agustin at <u>senatorjoessanagustin@gmail.com</u>.

We look forward to your participation! Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!