

1. conduct a Constitutional Convention Program and call for a
2. referendum on the constitution not more than 120 days after
3. receipt of such notification.
4. Section 11. Financial Support. Financial and staff support for the
5. Convention and the Pre-Convention Committee, including staff
6. support, professional and other consulting services will be
7. provided by the Office of Transition Studies and Planning. In
8. addition, the Convention and the Pre-Convention Committee shall
9. be assisted in their tasks by:
 10. (1) The Northern Mariana Islands Legislature which shall make
 11. available administrative and technical assistance, in
 12. coordination with the Office of Transition Studies and
 13. Planning; and
 14. (2) Such other financial support as the Convention or Pre-
 15. Convention Committee, in consultation with the Office of
 16. Transition Studies and Planning, may deem necessary to
 17. complete the performance of its tasks within the limits of
 18. the funds made available to it by this Act or other acts.
19. Section 12. Compensation of Delegates.
 20. (1) Delegates shall be entitled to all necessary travel
 21. expenses, and to per diem at standard government rates
 22. and its policies, while on the business of the Convention
 23. or a committee thereof, including but not limited to the
 24. Pre-Convention Committee or subcommittee thereof.