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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III: EXECUTIVE BRANCH

It is proposed that Article III be amended to add a new section 19 as follows:

Section 19: Executive Assistant for Carolinian Affairs.

- (a) The governor shall appoint an executive assistant for Carolinian affairs who is acceptable to the Carolinian community within the Commonwealth.
- (b) The executive assistant shall be a member of the governor's council created pursuant to article VI, section 5, and shall advise the governor on matters affecting persons of Carolinian descent within the Commonwealth.
- (c) The executive assistant shall review the application of government policies to and the availability and quality of government services for persons of Carolinian descent and may submit findings or recommendations on these matters to the governor.
- (d) The executive assistant may investigate complaints and conduct public hearings regarding matters affecting persons of Carolinian descent. The executive assistant may report findings or recommendations on these matters to the governor.
- (e) The executive assistant may recommend items for inclusion in the proposed annual budget, review the budget before its submission by the governor to the legislature, and recommend amendments to the budget relating to matters affecting persons of Carolinian descent.

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(f) The executive assistant may at any time require information in writing or otherwise with respect to matters affecting persons of Carolinian descent from the officers of any administrative department, office or agency of the Commonwealth.

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