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## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 17(b)

It is proposed that article III, section 17(b) of the draft Constitution be amended to read as follows:

## Section 17: Public Services.

b) Public services on Rota<sub>7</sub> and Tinian and—the islands—north—of—Saipan shall be supervised by a resident department head in the departments providing such services appointed by the head of the executive branch department with the advice and consent of the majority of the representatives and senators in the legislature from the island where the resident department head shall perform his duties. These arrangements shall apply to the islands north of Saipan when the populations of these islands exceeds one thousand persons.

Offered by,	
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