

SECOND CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

Saipan, Northern Marianas

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Delegate Proposal No. 179-85

A PROPOSAL

To limit the emergency power of the governer

BE IT PROPOSED that Section 10 of Article III of the Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 10. Emergency Powers. The Governor may declare a state of emergency in the case of invasion, civil disturbance, natural disaster and other calamity and may mobilize available resources to respond to that emergency. The Governor may expend public funds, without legislative approval, of amount of not more than \$100,000 in such emergencies. Covenant funds earmarked for economic development shall not be expended in any emergency."

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