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Delegate Lorenzo I. Guerrero  
Chairman, Committee on Finance and  
Other Matters  
Second Northern Marianas Constitutional  
Convention  
Saipan, CM 96950

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the various delegate proposals that are scheduled for public hearing. The following comments are submitted to aid you in your deliberation of these issues.

Proposals 38-85, 66-85 and 69-85 all effect the revenue generating capacity and/or distribution thereof. I strongly oppose all three proposals. These issues can best be addressed through the normal Legislative procedures.

Proposal 72-85:

I am not addressing the possible moral implications of gambling for there are others more qualified to do. The licensing of these machines provides considerable amount of revenues.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. Ripple".

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Acting Special Assistant for  
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Dear Chairman Guerrero:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on Proposal 41-85.  
The following comment is submitted to aid you in your  
deliberation of this issue.

Proposal 41-85:

This proposal, if enacted, will grossly impact the Executive  
Branch in its administration of appropriated funds. This  
concern can best be handled via the Legislative process.

Please accept my apology for not attending your scheduled  
hearing. Please be advised that the notice was received  
after 4:00 p.m. Friday, June 28, 1985.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. Kipple".

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