



# Third Northern Mariana Islands Constitutional Convention

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DELEGATE PROPOSAL NO. 386

DATE: June 9, 1995

It is proposed that a constitutional amendment be prepared that does the following:

Provides that the Public School System, the Northern Marianas College, the Retirement Fund, and the Civil Service Commission shall be politically independent and subject only to the direction, supervision, and control of their boards.

Provides that regardless of whether Board members may be either appointed or elected, once properly seated, they can be removed only for cause.

Provides that programs and benefits affecting the autonomous agencies shall be decided only by their respective boards and not by the governor or the legislature.

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Delegate HERMAN T. GUERRERO

(Proposed by the the MAYOR OF THE NORTHERN ISLANDS, and submitted as a courtesy to put this proposal before the delegates.)

CONSTITUTIONAL ARTICLE THAT WOULD BE AMENDED: Art. III, Sec. 21

CONSTITUTIONAL ARTICLES AFFECTED: None