Third Northern Mariana Islands Constitutional Convention



Delegate Proposal No. 420

Date: June 16, 1995

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

Provides that any elected official who is charged with a felony shall be suspended temporarily from office.

Provides that the suspension shall continue until either a clearance is obtained from the Attorney General or there is a conviction.

Provides that upon conviction, the office shall automatically be deemed to be vacated.

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CONSTITUTIONAL ARTICLES THAT WOULD BE AMENDED: Art. II, Sec. 8; Art. III, Sec. 19; Art. IV (new section); Art. V, Sec. 7; Art. VI, VI (new section); Art. XV, Sec. 1(c).

CONSTITUTIONAL ARTICLES THAT WOULD BE AFFECTED: Any elected office.