



# Third Northern Mariana Islands Constitutional Convention -1538-

Delegate Proposal No. 595

Date: July 10, 1995

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

A child who is not a person of Northern Marianas descent, who is adopted before the age of 5 years by a person who is of Northern Marianas descent and who is a U.S. citizen shall not be entitled to own land or to apply for the homestead program within the CNMI, except that an adopted child may inherit land from the adopting parent or parents.

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

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CONSTITUTIONAL ARTICLES THAT WOULD BE AMENDED: Art. II, Sec. 4

CONSTITUTIONAL ARTICLES THAT WOULD BE AFFECTED: None