



# Third Northern Mariana Islands Constitutional Convention<sup>-2403-</sup>

**Delegate Amendment No. 004**

Date: July 20, 1995

ARTICLE AND SECTION TO BE AMENDED: Art. XIV, new section

COMMITTEE ASSIGNED: Committee on Land and Personal Rights

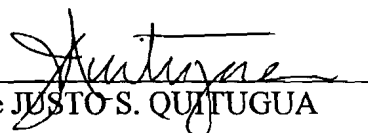
It is proposed that the article passed on first reading be amended as follows:

Article XIV

Section 5: Royalties and Fees

Royalties and other fees paid to the Commonwealth with respect to resources protected by this article shall be shared with the municipalities at the rate of five percent.

Submitted by:

  
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Notes: This would cover land and sea resources. Five percent of royalties and fees would be allocated to the municipality where the resource is located or, with respect to marine resources not located within a specific municipality, would be divided among the municipalities as provided by law.