

I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
BILL STATUS

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	FISCAL NOTES	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
185-38 (COR) As Amended by the Committee on Economic Investment, Military Buildup, Regional Relations, Technology, Regulatory Affairs, Justice, Elections, and Retirement.	Telo T. Taitague	AN ACT TO <i>AMEND</i> § 3104 AND § 3110 OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE 3, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, AS ENACTED BY PUBLIC LAW 38-32, RELATIVE TO ADJUSTING VOTER TIMES OF REGISTRATION AND THE TERM OF APPOINTMENT FOR REGISTRATION CLERKS.	9/5/25 12:28 p.m.	9/15/25	Committee on Economic Investment, Military Buildup, Regional Relations, Technology, Regulatory Affairs, Justice, Elections, and Retirement.	Request: 9/15/25 Waiver: 9/15/25	9/26/25 1:00 p.m.	10/17/25 As Amended.	
	SESSION DATE	TITLE	DATE PASSED	TRANSMITTED	DUE DATE	NOTES			
	11/26/25	AN ACT TO <i>AMEND</i> §§ 3104 AND 3110(b) OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE 3, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, AS ENACTED BY PUBLIC LAW 38-32, RELATIVE TO ADJUSTING VOTER TIMES OF REGISTRATION AND THE TERM OF APPOINTMENT FOR REGISTRATION CLERKS.	12/5/25	12/9/25	12/20/25				



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I MINA'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
Thirty-Eighth Guam Legislature

December 9, 2025

The Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero
I Maga'hågan Guåhan
Ufisinan I Maga'håga
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear *Maga'håga* Leon Guerrero:

Transmitted herewith are Bill Nos. 49-38 (COR), 64-38 (COR), 128-38 (COR), 157-38 (COR), 163-38 (COR), 165-38 (COR), 167-38 (COR), 176-38 (COR), 183-38 (COR), 185-38 (COR), 189-38 (COR), 190-38 (COR), 192-38 (COR), and 199-38 (COR) which were passed by *I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan* on December 5, 2025.

Sincerely,

Senator Sabrina Salas Matanane
Legislative Secretary

Enclosure (14)

12.9.25

6:76 pm



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2025 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO *I MAGA'HÅGAN GUÅHAN*

This is to certify that **Bill No. 185-38 (COR), "AN ACT TO *AMEND* §§ 3104 AND 3110(b) OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE 3, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, AS ENACTED BY PUBLIC LAW 38-32, RELATIVE TO ADJUSTING VOTER TIMES OF REGISTRATION AND THE TERM OF APPOINTMENT FOR REGISTRATION CLERKS,"** was on the 5th day of December 2025, duly and regularly passed.



Frank F. Blas, Jr.
Speaker

Attested:



Sabrina Salas Matanane
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* this 5th day of Dec,
2025, at 6:26 o'clock P.M.



Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'håga's Office

APPROVED:

Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero
I Maga'hågan Guåhan

Date: _____

Public Law No. _____

I MINA'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2025 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 185-38 (COR)

As amended by the Committee on Economic Investment,
Military Buildup, Regional Relations, Technology,
Regulatory Affairs, Justice, Elections, and Retirement.

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT TO *AMEND* §§ 3104 AND 3110(b) OF CHAPTER
3, TITLE 3, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, AS ENACTED
BY PUBLIC LAW 38-32, RELATIVE TO ADJUSTING
VOTER TIMES OF REGISTRATION AND THE TERM
OF APPOINTMENT FOR REGISTRATION CLERKS.**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds
3 that the Guam Election Commission depends on registration clerks to support voter
4 registration efforts ahead of elections. Under § 3110 of Chapter 3, Title 3, Guam

1 Code Annotated, as enacted by Public Law 38-32, registration clerks currently serve
2 until forty-five (45) days before a general election.

3 The Commission has since identified that a shorter appointment period would
4 better reflect its operational needs and improve efficiency. Therefore, it is the intent
5 of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to amend § 3110 to reduce the term of appointment from
6 forty-five (45) days to twenty-one (21) days before a general election, allowing the
7 Commission greater flexibility while continuing to ensure timely access to voter
8 registration services.

9 *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* further finds that the Guam Election Commission
10 recommends that the time of registration codified in § 3104 of Title 3, Guam Code
11 Annotated, be amended to fifteen (15) days from ten (10) days, to ensure consistency
12 across all registration deadlines. This amendment will ensure that volunteer, online,
13 and motor voter registration will all close twenty-one (21) days before an election,
14 while district registration at the mayors' offices and the Guam Election Commission
15 will close fifteen (15) days before an election. It is therefore the intent of *I*
16 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* to ensure consistency by also amending § 3104 of Title 3,
17 Guam Code Annotated.

18 **Section 2.** § 3104 of Chapter 3, Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby
19 *amended* to read:

20 **“§ 3104. Times of Registration.**

21 Fifteen (15) days prior to any election, the registration rolls shall be
22 closed, and no further affidavits of registration shall be accepted by the
23 Commission.”

24 **Section 3.** § 3110(b) of Chapter 3, Title 3, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby
25 *amended* to read:

26 **“§ 3110. Qualifications of Registration Clerks; Term of**
27 **Appointment.**

1 (b) Any elector appointed as a registration clerk shall serve a limited
2 term, which shall begin from the date of appointment until midnight on the
3 day that is twenty-one (21) days before the next election. The Commission
4 shall promulgate policies and procedures to carry out the intent of this Section.
5 The Commission may also establish other terms of appointment, consistent
6 with the intent of this Section, for special elections, plebiscites, initiatives and
7 any other non-general elections as they deem necessary to allow for voter
8 registration to be conducted by duly appointed registration clerks.”

9 **Section 3. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to any
10 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or inorganic, such invalidity shall not
11 affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be given effect without
12 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are
13 severable.

14 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Act shall be effective upon enactment.