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| BILL NO.    | SPONSOR                                                                                                                                                 | TITLE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | DATE INTRODUCED      | DATE REFERRED | CMTE REFERRED                                                              | FISCAL NOTES    | PUBLIC HEARING DATE  | DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED | NOTES |
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| 91-38 (COR) | Joe S. San Agustin<br>V. Anthony Ada<br>Tina Rose Muña Barnes<br>Vincent A. V. Borja<br>Jesse A. Lujan<br>Christopher M. Dueñas<br>William A. Parkinson | AN ACT TO <i>ADD</i> A NEW § 63201(n), AND TO <i>AMEND</i> § 63202(a) AND § 63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD LEADERSHIP. | 3/14/25<br>1:10 p.m. | 3/21/25       | Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard. | Waiver: 3/21/25 | 5/20/25<br>8:30 a.m. | 8/8/25<br>As Amended.       |       |



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Eulogio Shawn Gumataotao

38th Guam Legislature | *I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*

July 14, 2025

**The Honorable Frank F. Blas, Jr.**

Speaker

*I Mina'trentai Ocho na Liheslaturan Guåhan*

163 Chalan Santo Papa

Hagåtña, Guam 96910

**VIA: The Honorable V. Anthony Ada**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

**RE: Committee Report on Bill No. 91-38 (COR), As Amended by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard**

*Håfa Adai* Speaker Blas:

Transmitted herewith is the Committee Report on Bill No. 91-38 (COR) - As Amended by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard – “AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ITEM (n) TO § 63201 AND TO AMEND § 63202(a) AND § 63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD LEADERSHIP.”

Committee votes are as follows:

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Sincerely,

**SHAWN GUMATAOTAO**

Chairman

Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard



COMMITTEE ON RULES

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## COMMITTEE REPORT

Bill No. 91-38 (COR), AS AMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, AND GUAM NATIONAL GUARD, JOE S. SAN AGUSTIN: "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ITEM (n) TO § 63201 AND TO AMEND § 63202(a) AND § 63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD LEADERSHIP."



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**38th Guam Legislature | I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan**

July 14, 2025

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Members of the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard

From: Chairman Shawn Gumataotao

Subject: Committee Report on Bill No. 91-38 (COR), As Amended by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard

*Håfa Adai:*

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This report includes the following:

- Copy of COR Referral of Bill No. 91-38 (COR);
- Notices of Public Hearing;
- Copy of the Public Hearing Agenda;
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheets;
- Copies of Submitted Written Testimony;
- Committee Vote Sheet;
- Committee Report Digest;
- Copy of Bill No. 91-38 (COR), As Introduced;
- Copy of Bill No. 91-38 (COR), As Amended by the Committee;
- Copy of Bill No. 91-38 (COR), As Amended by the Committee (Markup); and,
- Fiscal Note/Fiscal Note Waiver.

Please take the appropriate action on the attached vote sheet.

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

  
**SHAWN GUMATAOTAO**  
Chairman

Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard





# COMMITTEE ON RULES

Vice Speaker V. Anthony Ada, Chairperson  
*I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*  
38<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

March 21, 2025

**To:** **Rennae V. C. Meno**  
Clerk of the Legislature

**Attorney Darleen Hiton**  
Legislative Legal Counsel

**From:** **Vice Speaker V. Anthony Ada**   
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

**Subject:** **Referral of Bill No. 91-38 (COR)**

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*Håfa Adai,*

As per my authority as Chairperson of the Committee on Rules and subject to 6.01(d)(1), Rule VI of our Standing Rules, I am forwarding the referral of **Bill No. 91-38 (COR)** Joe S. San Agustin, V. Anthony Ada, Tina Rose Muña Barnes, Vincent A. V. Borja, Jesse A. Lujan, Christopher M. Dueñas, William A. Parkinson. – “AN ACT TO ADD A NEW (n) TO §63201 AND AMEND §63202(a) AND §63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING A MINIMUM RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD LEADERSHIP.”

Please ensure that the subject bill is referred to Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard chaired by Senator Eulogio Shawn Gumataotao. I also request that the same be copied to the Prime Sponsor of the subject bill and to Management Information Services (MIS) for posting on our website.

A copy of the bill is available on our legislative website.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Kamarin Nelson, Committee on Rules Director at 671-472-2461.





Senator Shawn Gumataotao <office.senatorshawn@guamlegislature.gov>

## First Notice of Public Hearing – Tuesday, May 20, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

2 Messages

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Tue, May 13, 2025 at 8:00 AM

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May 13, 2025

### **MEMORANDUM**

To: **All Senators, Stakeholders, Media**

From: **Senator Shawn Gumataotao**  
Chairman, Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard

Subject: **First Notice of Public Hearing – Tuesday, May 20, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.**

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## CERTIFICATION COURSES REQUIRED BY THE PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION.

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### How to Participate

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38th Guam Legislature  
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## Second Notice of Public Hearing – Tuesday, May 20, 2025, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

1 message

Senator Shawn Gumataotao <office.senatorshawn@guamlegislature.gov>

Sun, May 18, 2025 at 8:00 AM

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May 18, 2025

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From: Senator Shawn Gumataotao

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May 13, 2025

Brigadier General Michael Cruz

Adjutant General

Guam National Guard

Sent via: *michael.w.cruz4.mil@army.mil*

**Subject: Public Hearing on Bill No. 91-38 (COR)**

*Håfa adun* Brigadier General Cruz:

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**SHAWN GUMATAOTAO**

Chairman, Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard

Attachment: *First Notice of May 20, 2025, Public Hearing  
Bill No. 91-38 (COR)*





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**Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard**

Public Hearing  
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- V. Closing Remarks
- VI. Adjournment

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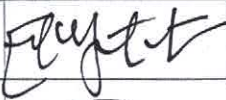
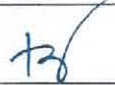
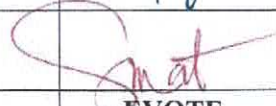


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| Senator Sabrina Salas Matanane<br><i>Committee Member</i> |  |               |                   | ✓                           |               |                                 |
| Senator Tina R. Muña<br><i>Committee Member</i>           | EVOTE<br>07/14/2025                                                                 | ✓             |                   |                             |               |                                 |





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## Committee Report - Public Hearing for Bill No. 91-38, As Amended

2 messages

Senator Shawn Gumataotao <office.senatorshawn@guamlegislature.gov>

Mon, Jul 14, 2025 at 11:38 AM

To: Senator Tina Muna Barnes <senator.munabarnes@guamlegislature.gov>

*Hafa Adai Senator:*

Please see attached the Committee Report relative to **Bill No. 91-38 (COR)** - As Amended by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard - As Amended by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard – “**AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ITEM (n) TO § 63201 AND TO AMEND § 63202(a) AND § 63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD LEADERSHIP.**”

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**COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST**

**I. OVERVIEW**

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**Bill No. 91-38** was introduced on **March 14, 2025**, by Senator Eulogio Shawn Gumataotao and was subsequently referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard on **March 21, 2025**.

**Public Notice Requirements**

Public Hearing Notices sent out via email to all Senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on May 13, 2025 (5-Day Notice) and again on May 18, 2025 (48-Hour Notice). The notice was also published via radio advertisement and on the Guam Public Notice Website on the aforementioned dates.

**Senators' Present**

Senator Eulogio S. Gumataotao, Committee Chairperson  
Vice Speaker Tony Ada, Committee Vice Chairperson  
Senator Sabrina Salas Matanane, Committee Member  
Senator Joe S. San Agustin, Primary Sponsor of Bill No. 91-38 (COR)  
Senator Telo T. Taitague

**Attendees**

No attendees present for this public hearing.

**Written Testimony Provided by**

No written testimony received for this public hearing.



## **II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY & DISCUSSION**

### **Public Hearing Bill No. 91-38(COR) - May 20, 2025, 8:30am**

**Chairman Gumataotao:** Good afternoon, everyone. This public hearing by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and your Guam National Guard is hereby called to order. Today is Tuesday, May 20, 2025, and the current time is now 8:31 a.m. For the record and in accordance with the open government law, notices for this hearing were sent on May 13, 2025, and again on May 18, 2025.

This hearing was also published on the Guam Legislature website and the Guam Public Notice website. Joining me here this morning are my colleagues, Joe San Agustin and Telo Taitague, again si Yu'os ma'ase Senators, for joining me this morning. And before we proceed with the discussions today, I'd first like to provide some general rules of conduct for those that are in attendance.

The conduct of this hearing shall be as follows. Written comments or presentations shall be submitted to the Committee. Please provide my legislative staff with your written comments for photocopying.

Comments may be read, and lengthy presentations should be summarized to about five minutes. Those offering comments will be allowed to present written or oral testimony. And once you are done, please remain in the room for questions or additional comments, as may be desired by members of the Committee.

Questions and comments shall be confined to the nature of the agenda today. And the first of two items on today's public hearing agenda covers Bill No. 91-38, COR by Senators Joe San Agustin, V. Anthony Ada, Tina Muña-Barnes, Vincent Borja, Jesse Lujan, Christopher Duenas, and William Parkinson, which is an act to add a new end to Section 63201 and amend Section 63202A and Section 63203A, all of Article 2, Chapter 63, Title 10, Guam Code annotated relative to establishing a minimum residency requirement for the Guam National Guard leadership.

For the record, the Committee invited the following individuals and agencies to participate in today's public hearing. Brigadier General Michael Cruz, the Adjutant General of the Guam National Guard. Additionally, the Bureau of Budget and Management Research requested for a fiscal note waiver on Bill 91-38, dated March 20, 2025.

BBMR wrote that according to comments received from the Adjutant General, Department of Military Affairs, establishing a minimum residency requirement for the Guam National Guard does not pose any fiscal impact to the Department. As such, BBMR has determined that the bill is administrative in nature and poses no additional fiscal impact upon any funds of the Government of Guam. At this time, the Chair will invite individuals who wish to testify on Bill 91-38 COR to take a seat before the Committee.

Before speaking, individuals who wish to make a presentation shall first be recognized by the Chair and shall state their name for record purposes. The order of questioning will begin with a panel of Senators who shall each have five minutes to ask their questions. The time allotted to each Senator does not include responses that are provided by those testifying. Personal inferences about



the character or motive of any Senator or any individual commenting is not permitted. Any violations of this general rule of conduct will result in removal from the public hearing room for this particular proceeding. Individuals who fail to maintain proper form or decorum will be restricted from providing oral testimony and or may be asked to leave or be escorted and removed from the room. Proper form and decorum shall be practiced by all present in the public hearing room. I would now like to invite Senator San Agustin, the author of Bill 91-38, COR, to provide his opening remarks on the measure. Senator San Agustin, you are recognized.

**Senator San Agustin:** Thank you, Mr. Chairman, for scheduling the hearing on this bill. I'm here today in strong support of a law that supports the concepts of accountability, trust, and local leadership within one of our island's most important organizations, the Guam National Guard. Under Bill 91-38, proposed to amend Chapter 63, Title 10 of the Guam Code Annotated to mandate a minimum of five years residency requirement for people nominated to the Office of the Adjutant General and Assistant Adjutant General for both the Army and Air Components of the Guard.

Leadership in the Guam National Guard is not solely determined by military rank or federal certification. It requires immeasurable commitment and awareness of our island's distinct cultural and strategic circumstances and the ability to lead from a place of connection and accountability to the Guamanian people. The Adjutant General and their assistants are responsible for the Guam Guard's readiness, integrity, and day-to-day operations.

Their actions have an impact not only on our service personnel, but also on our island's overall safety, security, and resilience. By requiring these leaders to have reside in Guam for at least five years before their appointment, we further ensure they provide context as well as credentials. They provide living experience, local knowledge, and a genuine interest in the well-being of our community.

This isn't about exclusion. It is about ensuring that people at the highest levels of our Guard leadership have a solid understanding of Guam's history, issues, and beliefs, because leadership without connection lacks direction. The resident requirement also helps boost public confidence in our Guard's leadership.

It assures the people of Guam that those in charge are not only capable, but also dedicated to our island and completely aware of our specific needs. Mr. Chairman, I may ask for an amendment on the bill, which includes that, other than the residency, that any of our soldiers, our officers that are deployed or on TDY to the National Guard Bureau or anywhere else, but are still part of the Guam Guard, it doesn't apply. It's for folks that are not part of the Guam Guard.

We have a lot of officers that have gone up the ranks, have gotten all the certifications, got all the training, but they never get a shot at being the Adjutant General. And if the administration or any future administrations are concerned about that, we've seen during the past that generals have been replaced in less than their administrative tenure. So that's nothing new. So they can pick and choose, but pick from our own Guam people. Let's stop exporting our own people from Guam. Let's keep them home. Let's keep our Guam Guard growing. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.



**Chairman Gumataotao:** Thank you, Senator. And I'd like to also welcome to the public hearing today Committee Member Sabrina Salas Matanane, thank you Senator, for being with us this morning. Now, in light of the fact, Senator, we have no one has signed in to provide testimony today, but I will allow the committee, if we can, to just get questions. Again, we have that today, if I could. And so I'm going to go ahead and begin with Senator Taitague. Thanks again and good morning to you, Senator Taitague, for being with us today.

**Senator Telo Taitague:** Thank you, Mr. Chair and good morning to my colleagues and I guess those who are in the audience who, for some, I know you're here testifying on another bill, but this is a very interesting bill and especially those who are listening. Because I'm glad the author of the legislation introduced a bill such like this. I think his intent is noble and I think it's justly so. And I'm glad to hear about the, Mr. Chair, the amendment that's going to be proffered. Because my biggest concern to you, Mr. Chair, was regarding those individuals who were born and raised on Guam and left for military careers, which they have no say where they're being stationed at and for so many years, making it a, what is it, a career out of it. And then they come back to Guam, they have the rank, and there's an opening. I want to make sure that our brothers and sisters from Guam have the ability to partake in such a prestigious position as the Adjutant General. So that was my biggest concern of the legislation, and I look forward to the mark up meeting, Mr. Chair, to ensure that section comes in there to protect it, the safeguards. Also, any deficiencies the legislation may have in addressing the National Guard leadership. And also, more importantly, that we don't run into any issues legally, on the legality side of it you know, the constitutional right, etc., down the line you know, that the military oversees and ensures that nobody is breaking their laws, so we want to make sure there's fairness. So thank you, Mr. Chair, for the opportunity.

**Chairman Gumataotao:** Thank you, Senator Taitague, for your input on Bill 91-38. Senator Salas Matanane, do you have any questions or comments for the author here? Again, we do not have anyone that's here to testify. And I know we are going to be expecting some written testimony from the National Guard at some point.

**Senator Sabrina Salas Matanane:** I don't have any questions or comments. I think it's pretty cut and dry, so thank you.

**Chairman Gumataotao:** Thank you again, Senator. Again, for me, let me just go ahead and just for the record, if I could, just have a couple of things. For reference, Senator San Agustin, the Virgin Islands requires that to be qualified for appointment to the Office of Adjutant General. An individual must be a citizen of the United States, have resided in the Virgin Islands at least one year immediately prior to his appointment or her appointment, and be a commissioned officer or a former commissioned officer of the Armed Forces of the United States. Also for reference, Puerto Rico requires that to be qualified for appointment to the Office of Adjutant General there an individual must be a citizen of the United States of America, must have lived in Puerto Rico for at least one year prior to his or her appointment. Now, the individual appointed shall be an officer who has or may have had the corresponding federal acknowledgement as officer of the Armed Forces of the United States, shall be in the service of or shall have served in the National Guard of Puerto Rico for a term of not less than five years and shall have reached the grade of lieutenant colonel or its equivalent rank. Now, recognizing that another US territory, in this case Puerto Rico, requires an individual appointed to serve as adjutant general, shall have served in the National



Guard of Puerto Rico for at least for a term of not less than five years, Senator San Agustin. I'm hoping that we can get an answer to my question and we'll ask the National Guard is, will Bill 91 prohibit a TAG appointee from confirmation if he or she was not a Guam resident for at least five years prior to their appointment? And I think you made that pretty clear. But also may have served in the Guam National Guard for at least five years during their entire military career. And I do stand with you in that, and I believe in the markup meeting we'll be able to at least get that answered and make those requisite changes to Bill 91-38. With that said Senator San Agustin, I kind of defer back to you to maybe close out for us today.

**Senator Joe San Agustin:** Thank you, Mr. Chairman and another amendment that was brought up to me was that maybe the home of record needs to be recorded. Because we have soldiers, officers that have left, but their home of record, when we say home of record, just a reminder and for the public and for my colleagues, I am a retired Army National Guard member. And I've served from the very first general up to General Paulino, who came from active duty, his home of record was Guam. He was appointed to the Guam Guard twice. So that says a lot. We have Guam people. But maybe we need to include other than just the temporary duty, but home of record. So that if any of the officers did leave Guam, but they maintained Guam as their home, then the five years residency wouldn't apply, because their home of record is still Guam. They still feel and they believe Guam is still their home. So it'll maintain their eligibility for the opportunity to be the Adjutant General or the Assistant Adjutant General. And thank you, Senator Shawn, for allowing me to, for us hearing the bill today and I know we will get recommendations and comments from folks from the Army National Guard, because I have spoken to them. Some of them happen to be TDY, and they said they will be submitting it to your office sir. Thank you, sir.

**Chairman Gumataotao:** Thank you, Senator, and thank you again for your service to our country. The Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard appreciates the attendance and participation of all Senators and community stakeholders in this public hearing on Bill 91-38 COR. The committee will review the information received during this hearing and communicate further with relevant government and non-government entities if necessary. The committee has tentatively scheduled a markup for Bill 91-38 COR on Thursday, May 29th, 2025, at 12 noon at my office located at 120 Father Duenas Avenue, Capitol Plaza, suite 103, Hagåtña, Guam. Committee members and the primary author of Bill 91-38 are invited to participate in the markup. Senator San Agustin, a light lunch will be provided for you, just in case we didn't want to throw that in this morning, a little bit of light humor this morning. The committee will continue to accept written testimonies on Bill 91-38 COR for the next five business days, or until Wednesday, May 28th, 2025. Testimony may be submitted via email to [office.senatorshawn@guamlegislature.gov](mailto:office.senatorshawn@guamlegislature.gov) through the legislature mail room here at the Guam Congress Building, or they may be delivered directly to my senatorial office in Hagåtña.

With that, this public hearing by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and your Guam National Guard on Bill 91-38 COR is hereby adjourned. The time is now 8:45 a.m. Thank you again for being with us.



### III. FINDINGS & RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard finds that the U.S. Public Law 96-600 enacted on December 24, 1980, officially authorized the establishment of the Guam National Guard (GUNG). Title 37 of the United States Code provides that in time of peace, Guam may maintain no troops other than those of its National Guard and defense forces. Guam may, as provided by local law, organize and maintain defense forces.

Eligibility requirements for the position of The Adjutant General are provided in 10 GCA § 63201. Guam law provides that the Adjutant General shall be appointed by *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*, subject to the advice and consent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, and shall have such rank and qualifications as *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan* may prescribe, and he shall:

- (a) be, or have been, a Federally recognized commissioned officer in the Army or Air Force or their Reserve components in the grade of at least Lieutenant Colonel (O-5, Promotable) pursuant to Army or Air Force promotion regulations and policies at the time of appointment;
- (b) be promoted in the Guam Army or Air National Guard, as appropriate, at the discretion of the Commander-in-Chief, to a grade not to exceed Lieutenant General (O-9);
- (c) serve until such time as his replacement is appointed by *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan* or until he resigns;
- (d) issue and promulgate regulations in furtherance of the provisions of this Title (The regulations shall take effect by Executive Order of *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*. The provisions of the Administrative Adjudication Law shall not apply to the issuance and promulgation of regulations of the Department of Military Affairs.);
- (e) be the senior commander, under the Commander-in-Chief of the Guam National Guard, and be responsible for the training of all members and units of the Guam National Guard for both Federal and Guam missions;
- (f) be the paymaster general and be charged with all disbursements of pay and allowances for the service of the troops when in the service of Guam;
- (g) give his entire time to the management of the Department of Military Affairs;
- (h) have such military and civilian assistants and clerks as may be required to properly conduct the operation of his department;
- (i) issue and transmit and keep a record of all orders and regulations of the Commander-in-Chief and the Department of Military Affairs pertaining to the Guam National Guard;
- (j) keep a record of all appointments, commissions and warrants of officers and appointments of non-commissioned officers and shall have general charge of recruiting and records of enlistments and discharges;
- (k) keep the military history of the Guam National Guard and personnel records of each individual member thereof;
- (l) have charge of all correspondence and records pertaining to the Department of Military Affairs, and file for record all reports and records of all active service performed by members of the Guam National Guard in the service of Guam or of the United States; and
- (m) direct and have charge of all purchases of military supplies and stores, subject to the purchasing procedure of the government of Guam.



For comparison purposes, the Committee finds that the U.S. Virgin Islands requires that to be qualified for appointment to the office of Adjutant General, an individual must 1) be a citizen of the United States, 2) have resided in the U.S. Virgin Islands at least one (1) year immediately prior to his appointment, and 3) be a commissioned officer or a former commissioned officer of the Armed Forces of the United States.

Puerto Rico requires that to be qualified for appointment to the office of Adjutant General, an individual must 1) be a citizen of the United States of America and 2) must have lived in Puerto Rico for at least one (1) year prior to his appointment. The individual appointed shall be an officer who has or may have had the corresponding federal acknowledgement as an officer of the Armed Forces of the United States, shall be in the service of, or shall have served in the National Guard of Puerto Rico at least for a term of not less than five (5) years and shall have reached the grade of Lieutenant Colonel or its equivalent rank.

Hawaii requires that no person shall be eligible for appointment as adjutant general unless the person holds or has held a commission of at least a field grade officer, federally recognized as such, or its equivalent in the national guard, state defense force, or other branch of the armed forces of Hawaii or any other state or territory of the United States, or in the armed forces of the United States or a reserve component thereof and has served as a commissioned officer in one or more of the armed services for at least ten (10) years.

Wyoming requires its Adjutant General appointee to 1) have served as a field, staff or line officer in the United States army or air force, or national guard, or both, for at least ten (10) years, 2) have been a member of the Wyoming national guard for at least four (4) years immediately preceding his appointment, 3) have attained at least the rank of lieutenant colonel and be federally recognized in that rank at the time of his appointment, and 4) be a resident of the state of Wyoming.

Subsequent to the May 20, 2025 public hearing on Bill No. 91-38 (COR), the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard held a markup on the Bill on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, 10:24 a.m. at Chairman Shawn Gumataotao's office in *Hagåtña*.

In attendance were Chairman Gumataotao, Vice-Speaker and Committee Vice-Chairman V. Anthony Ada, Speaker and Committee Member Frank Blas, Jr., and Senator Joe San Agustin, primary sponsor of Bill No. 91-38 (COR). A staff representative from Senator San Agustin's Office was also present.

The Committee Markup agenda included a summary and status of bills referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard as of July 8, 2025, a summary of the public hearing discussion on Bill No. 91-38 (COR), and a discussion on the Committee's draft amendments to the Bill.

The Committee discussed recommended changes to the measure. The amended version of Bill No. 91-38 (COR) requires that an individual appointed to serve as Adjutant General of the Guam National Guard shall have Guam as their Home of Record or have served in the Guam National Guard at least for a term of not less than five (5) years prior to appointment.

The term "Home of Record" was suggested particularly by Vice-Speaker and Committee Vice-Chairman V. Anthony Ada, a U.S. Army Veteran, and supported by the primary sponsor of Bill

No. 91-38 (COR), Senator Joe San Agustin, also a U.S. Army Veteran. The Committee discussed information sourced from the U.S. Army relative to the term "Home of Record." Home of Record is described as a military administrative term used to determine specific military entitlements. It is typically the state where a person joined the military, and can only be changed if it was done incorrectly at the time of enlistment. Enlisted members may also change Home of Record at the time they sign a new enlistment contract. Home of Record does not mean anything regarding current legal residence.

By requiring an individual appointed to serve as Adjutant General of the Guam National Guard to have Guam as their Home of Record or have served in the Guam National Guard at least for a term of not less than five (5) years prior to appointment, the Committee finds that Bill No. 91-38 (COR), as amended, prioritizes the selection of Guam National Guard leadership from among those under GUNG command or where Guam is recorded as the home of the military service member when commissioned, appointed, enlisted, inducted or ordered on active duty. The same qualification applies to individuals appointed to the positions of Assistant Adjutant General for the Guam Army National Guard and Assistant Adjutant General for the Guam Air National Guard.

Accordingly, the Committee hereby reports out Bill No. 91-38 (COR), as amended by the Committee on Public Safety, Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard with the recommendation TO REPORT OUT ONLY.



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

**Bill No.91-38 (COR)**

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT TO ADD A NEW (n) TO §63201 AND AMEND §63202(a) AND §63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING A MINIMUM RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD LEADERSHIP.**

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14 to the Guam National Guard;

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18 (k) keep the military history of the Guam National Guard and personnel  
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25 stores, subject to the purchasing procedure of the government of Guam.

26 (n) shall have maintained residency in Guam for no less than (5) years  
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2 hereby *amended* to read:

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4 The Assistant Adjutant General for Army shall be recommended by the  
5 Adjutant General to *I Maga’lahen Guåhan*, and he shall:

6 (a) be a citizen of the United States and a resident of Guam for no less than  
7 five (5) years prior to appointment;

8 (b) hold the rank of Colonel, which is Federally recognized;

9 (c) be promoted to a rank not to exceed Brigadier General at the  
10 discretion of *I Maga’lahen Guåhan* as Commander-in-Chief of the Guam  
11 National Guard; and

12 (d) perform such military duties as the Commander of the Guam Army  
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17 *Guåhan*, the Assistant Adjutant General shall be the acting Adjutant General  
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19 of the Adjutant General due to illness or incapacitation.”

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23 The Assistant Adjutant General for Air shall be appointed by the Adjutant  
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26 five (5) years prior to appointment;

27 (b) Be qualified for immediate federal recognition as a colonel; and



1 (c) Be promoted to a rank not to exceed Brigadier General at the discretion of  
2 *I Maga'lāhen Guåhan* as Commander-in-Chief of the Guam National Guard, and  
3 perform such military duties as the Commander of the Guam Air National Guard,  
4 under the direction of the Adjutant General, and shall perform all such military duties  
5 as may be required of him by the Adjutant General.”

6 **Section 5. Effective Date.** This Act *shall* be effective upon enactment.

7 **Section 6. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to any  
8 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall  
9 not affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given effect  
10 without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
11 Act are severable.

# Committee Markup

## *IMINA'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* 2025 (FIRST) Regular Session

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19 to the Guam National Guard;

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21 officers and appointments of non-commissioned officers and shall have  
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23 (k) keep the military history of the Guam National Guard and personnel  
24 records of each individual member thereof;

25 (l) have charge of all correspondence and records pertaining to the  
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1 all active service performed by members of the Guam National Guard in the  
2 service of Guam or of the United States; and

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4 stores, subject to the purchasing procedure of the government of Guam.

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7 at least for a term of not for no less than five (5) years prior to appointment.”

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9 Annotated, is ~~hereby~~ amended to read:

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11 The Assistant Adjutant General for Army shall be recommended by the  
12 Adjutant General to *I Maga’lahen Guåhan*, and he shall:

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22 such other military duties as may be required of him by the Adjutant General.  
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12 perform such military duties as the Commander of the Guam Air National Guard,  
13 under the direction of the Adjutant General, and shall perform all such military duties  
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16          **Section 6. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to any  
17 person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity shall  
18 not affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given effect  
19 without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
20 Act are severable.

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

**Bill No. 91-38 (COR)**

As Amended by the Committee on Public Safety,  
Emergency Management, and Guam National Guard

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT TO ADD A NEW § 63201(n), AND TO AMEND §  
63202(a) AND § 63203(a), ALL OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER  
63, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE  
TO ESTABLISHING QUALIFICATION  
REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD  
LEADERSHIP.**

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

2        **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*  
3 recognizes that the Adjutant General and Assistant Adjutant General are critical  
4 leadership roles within the Guam National Guard (GUNG). They are responsible for  
5 overseeing the day-to-day operations of the Guard, ensuring its readiness, and  
6 fostering the professional development of its service members. These positions  
7 require a unique combination of military experience, strong leadership skills, and a  
8 deep understanding of Guam's distinct geopolitical and cultural context.

9        *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that in order to embrace such characteristics,  
10 Guam law shall be updated requiring GUNG leadership to have Guam as their Home  
11 of Record or have served in the Guam National Guard at least for a term of not less

1 than five (5) years. This requirement ensures that appointees have a comprehensive  
2 understanding of the island's needs, challenges, and opportunities, and are well-  
3 positioned to lead the Guam National Guard with insight and effectiveness.

4 Therefore, the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* is to establish a transparent  
5 and accountable process for the appointment of the Guam National Guard top  
6 leadership that reflects the values and priorities of the people of Guam. It is designed  
7 to ensure that the individuals selected for these critical roles are not only qualified  
8 but also deeply connected to the community they serve, fostering public trust and  
9 reinforcing commitment to responsible governance and leadership.

10 **Section 2.** A new § 63201(n) is *added* to Article 2 of Chapter 63, Title 10,  
11 Guam Code Annotated, to read:

12 **“§ 63201. The Adjutant General.**

13 The Adjutant General shall be appointed by *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*, subject to  
14 the advice and consent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, and shall have such rank and  
15 qualifications as *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan* may prescribe, and he shall:

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17 the Army or Air Force or their Reserve components in the grade of at least  
18 Lieutenant Colonel (O-5, Promotable) pursuant to Army or Air Force  
19 promotion regulations and policies at the time of appointment;

20 (b) be promoted in the Guam Army or Air National Guard, as  
21 appropriate, at the discretion of the Commander-in-Chief, to a grade not to  
22 exceed Lieutenant General (O-9);

23 (c) serve until such time as his replacement is appointed by *I*  
24 *Maga'lahaen Guåhan* or until he resigns;

25 (d) issue and promulgate regulations in furtherance of the provisions of  
26 this Title (The regulations shall take effect by Executive Order of *I*  
27 *Maga'lahaen Guahan*. The provisions of the Administrative Adjudication Law



1 shall not apply to the issuance and promulgation of regulations of the  
2 Department of Military Affairs.);

3 (e) be the senior commander, under the Commander-in-Chief of the  
4 Guam National Guard, and be responsible for the training of all members and  
5 units of the Guam National Guard for both Federal and Guam missions;

6 (f) be the paymaster general and be charged with all disbursements of  
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38<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

March 21, 2025

**To:** **Rennae V. C. Meno**  
Clerk of the Legislature

**From:** **Vice Speaker V. Anthony Ada**   
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

**Subject:** **Fiscal Note Waiver for Bill No. 91-38 (COR)**

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*Håfa Adai!*

Find the attached, Fiscal Note Waiver for the following bill:

**Bill No. 91-38 (COR).**

I also request that the same be sent to the respective Chairperson of the Standing Committee, to which this bill has been referred. Kindly copy the same to Management Information Services (MIS) for posting on our website.



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*Hafa Adai*, Vice Speaker Ada:

The Bureau requests that Bill No. 91-38 (COR) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

Bill No. 91-38 (COR) is an act to add a new (n) to §63201 and amend §63202(a) and §63203(a), all of Article 2, Chapter 63, Title 10 Guam Code Annotated relative to establishing a minimum residency requirement for the Guam National Guard leadership. The proposed legislation intends to mandate a minimum residency in Guam of no less than five (5) years prior to appointment of the Adjutant General, the Assistant Adjutant General for Army, and the Assistant Adjutant General for Air.

According to comments received from the Adjutant General, Department of Military Affairs (DMA), establishing a minimum residency requirement for the Guam National Guard Leadership does not pose any fiscal impact to DMA. As such, the Bureau has determined that the Bill is administrative in nature and poses no additional fiscal impact upon any funds of the Government of Guam.

*Senseramente*

LESTER L. CARLSON, JR.