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BILL STATUS

BILL NO.	SPONSOR	TITLE	DATE INTRODUCED	DATE REFERRED	CMTE REFERRED	FISCAL NOTES	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
372-38 (LS)	Committee on Child Welfare, Youth Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women's Affairs, Disability Services, the Arts, Culture, Historic Preservation & *Hagåtña* Restoration by request of *I Kongressun Manhoben Guåhan* , the Guam Youth Congress, in accordance with 2 GCA § 7102	AN ACT TO *ADD* A NEW § 61.75 TO CHAPTER 61, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING PENALTIES AND INTERVENTION MEASURES FOR JUVENILES CONVICTED OF OFFENSES RELATED TO RIOTS, DISORDERLY CONDUCT, AND SCHOOL-RELATED VIOLENCE, TO BE KNOWN AS "THE JUVENILE ACCOUNTABILITY AND PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY ACT OF 2025."	10/15/26 12:41 p.m. ^10/23/26 11:08 a.m.	10/27/26	Committee on Economic Investment, Military Buildup, Regional Relations, Technology, Regulatory Affairs, Justice, Elections, and Retirement.	Request: 10/27/26 11/4/26			

COMMITTEE ON RULES

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

November 4, 2026

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

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

Subject: **Fiscal Note for Bill No. 372-38 (LS)**

Håfa Adai!

Find the attached, Fiscal Note for the following bill:

Bill No. 372-38 (LS).

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.

Bureau of Budget & Management Research
Fiscal Note of Bill No. 372-38(LS)

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Department/Agency Appropriation Information	
Dept./Agency Affected: Unified Judiciary of Guam	Dept./Agency Head: Robert J. Torres Jr., Chief Justice
Department's General Fund (GF) appropriation(s) to date: Operations ($43,772,315); Drug and Therapeutic Courts ($889,319); Electronic Monitoring Program ($868,157); Guam Criminal Law and Procedure Review Commission ($378,845)	45,908,636
Department's Other Fund (Specify) appropriation(s) to date: Safe Streets Fund-Family Visitation Center ($17,821)	17,821
	45,926,457

Fund Source Information of Proposed Appropriation	General Fund:	(Specify Special Fund):	Total:
FY 2026 Unreserved Fund Balance		$0	$0
FY 2027 Adopted Revenues	$0	$0	$0
FY 2027 Appro. (P.L. 38-136)	$0	$0	$0
Sub-total:	$0	$0	$0
Less appropriation in Bill	$0	$0	$0
Total:	$0	$0	$0

Estimated Fiscal Impact of Bill	One Full Fiscal Year	For Remainder of FY 2026 (if applicable)	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030
General Fund	$0	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Special Fund	$0	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Total	$0	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/

1. Does the bill contain "revenue generating" provisions?		/X / Yes	/ / No
If Yes, see Attachment.			
2. Is amount appropriated adequate to fund the intent of the appropriation?	/ X / N/A	/ / Yes	/ / No
If no, what is the additional amount required? $ _____	/ / N/A		
3. Does the Bill establish a new program/agency?		/ / Yes	/ X / No
If yes, will the program duplicate existing programs/agencies?	/ X / N/A	/ / Yes	/ / No
Is there a federal mandate to establish the program/agency?		/ / Yes	/ X / No
4. Will the enactment of this Bill require new physical facilities?		/ / Yes	/ X / No
5. Was Fiscal Note coordinated with the affected dept/agency? If no, indicate reason:		/ X / Yes	/ / No
/ / Requested agency comments not received by due date	/ / Other:		

Analyst: _____ Date: 11/03/26 Director: _____ Date: NOV 0 3 2026
Gianni Teves, BMA I — Lester L. Carlson, Jr., Director

Comments:

1/ According to comments received on Bill No. 372-38 (LS), the Unified Judiciary of Guam estimates that implementation will require $1,067,083 for the first fiscal year following enactment. If the Bill is enacted, the Judiciary respectfully requests sufficient funding for implementation and recommends reviewing actual costs and caseloads after the first year. The Bureau anticipates additional cost impacts to the Guam Department of Education, the Department of Youth Affairs, the Guam Police Department, and the Office of the Attorney General to launch a public awareness campaign as stipulated in the Bill. Although the Judiciary provided an estimated cost impact, they did not include a detailed breakdown of the estimated amount, such as anticipated operational and personnel requirements. However, since the Bill does not contain an appropriation, any implementation costs would have to be absorbed within the Judiciary's existing budget for the current fiscal year.