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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
197-38 (LS)	Jesse A. Lujan Christopher M. Dueñas Vincent A.V. Borja Frank F. Blas, Jr. V. Anthony Ada William A. Parkinson Shelly V. Calvo Tina Rose Muña Barnes	AN ACT TO <i>AMEND</i> §§ 122101(b)(2), 122102.(a)(2)(A), AND 122102(b)(2) OF ARTICLE 21, CHAPTER 12, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO UPDATING THE QUALIFICATIONS OF THE DIETITIAN AND NUTRITIONIST PROFESSIONS.	10/1/25 2:14 p.m.	10/9/25	Committee on Health and Veterans Affairs.	Request:10/9/25 10/15/25			



COMMITTEE ON RULES

Vice Speaker V. Anthony Ada, Chairperson

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38th Guam Legislature

October 15, 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. 197-38 (LS)**

Håfa Adai!

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

Bill No. 197-38 (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.





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Hafa adai, Vice Speaker Ada:

The Bureau requests that Bill No. 197-38 (LS) be granted a waiver pursuant to Public Law 12-229 as amended for the following reason(s):

Bill No. 197-38 (LS) is an act to amend § 122101(b)(2), 122102(a)(2)(A), and 122102(b)(2) of Article 21, Chapter 12, Title 10, Guam Code Annotated, relative to updating the qualifications of the dietitian and nutritionist professions. The proposed legislation intends to amend the current statutes to be consistent with the requirements of the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) for uniformity with national practice, to strengthen professional standards, and promote the delivery of high-quality dietetic and nutritional care to the people of Guam.

Per correspondence with the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS), the proposed amendments will have no fiscal impact on the current or future operations, appropriations, or staffing requirements of the department. As such, this bill is administrative and regulatory in nature and poses no fiscal impact upon any funds of the Government of Guam.

Senseramente

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