

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
76-38 (COR) As amended by the Committee on Health and Veterans Affairs; and further amended on the Floor.	Frank F. Blas, Jr. Sabrina Salas Matanane	AN ACT TO <i>ADD</i> A NEW § 2104.1 TO ARTICLE 1 PART 1 CHAPTER 2 TITLE 20 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; RELATIVE TO EMERGENCY CARE IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY.	3/5/25 9:13 a.m.	3/14/25 1:37 p.m.	Committee on Health and Veterans Affairs.	Request: 3/14/25 Waiver: 3/21/25	5/13/25 2:00 p.m.	7/9/25 As Amended.	
	SESSION DATE	TITLE	DATE PASSED	TRANSMITTED	DUE DATE	PUBLIC LAW NO.	DATE SIGNED	NOTES	
	7/28/25	AN ACT TO <i>ADD</i> A NEW § 2104.1 TO ARTICLE 1, PART 1, CHAPTER 2, TITLE 20, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; RELATIVE TO EMERGENCY CARE IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY.	7/31/25	8/6/25	8/18/25	39-45	8/18/25	Received: 8/18/25 Mess and Comm. Doc. No. 38GL-25-1055	

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38GL-25-1055
OFFICE OF THE SPEAKER
FRANK F. BLAS JR.

Transmitted via Email to: speakerblas@guamlegislature.org

August 18, 2025

THE HON. FRANK BLAS, JR., Speaker
I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
38th Guam Legislature
Guam Congress Building
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Hagåtña, Guam 96910

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Re: Bill No. 76-38 (COR), "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW § 2104.1 TO ARTICLE 1, PART 1, CHAPTER. 2, TITLE 20, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO EMERGENCY CARE IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY."

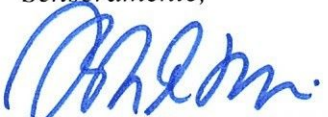
Håfa Adai Mr. Speaker,

Bill No. 78-38 (COR), in its first section, extends protection to individuals who provide emergency aid at the scene of life-threatening emergencies. This enhanced protection for Guam's Good Samaritans aims to encourage more people to offer assistance to their fellow citizens.

The bill further expands the immunity for emergency medical technicians and other medically trained personnel who are off duty when they administer emergency aid. By providing this protection, the bill encourages these individuals to offer aid at the scene before the arrival of the Guam Fire Department or other emergency aid. This is critical because the sooner an individual receives necessary medical assistance the better their chances of survival are in the long term.

For these reasons, I sign Bill No. 76-38 (COR) into law as **Public Law No. 38-45**.

Senseramente,


JOSHUA F. TENORIO
I Åkto Maga'låhen Guåhan
Acting Governor of Guam



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Enclosure(s): Bill No. 76-38 (COR) nka P.L. 38-45
cc via email: *Honorable* Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *Maga'hågan Guåhan*, Governor of Guam
Compiler of Laws

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

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

This is to certify that **Bill No. 76-38 (COR), "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW § 2104.1 TO ARTICLE 1, PART 1, CHAPTER 2, TITLE 20, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO EMERGENCY CARE IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY,"** was on the 31st day of July 2025, duly and regularly passed.



Frank F. Blas, Jr.
Speaker

Attested:



V. Anthony Ada
Acting Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'hågan Guåhan* this 6th day of August,
2025, at 7:58 o'clock A.M.



Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'håga's Office

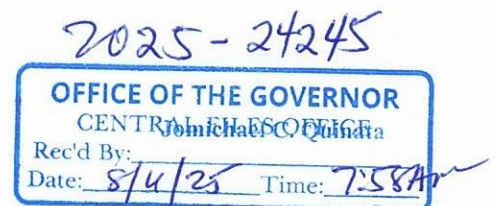
APPROVED:



JOSHUA F. TENORIO
ACTING GOVERNOR OF GUAM

Date: August 18, 2025

Public Law No. 38-45



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

Bill No. 76-38 (COR)

As amended by the Committee on Health and Veterans Affairs;
and further amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO *ADD* A NEW § 2104.1 TO ARTICLE 1, PART 1, CHAPTER 2, TITLE 20, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO EMERGENCY CARE IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. A new § 2104.1 is *added* to Article 1, Part 1, Chapter 2, Title 20
Guam Code Annotated to read:

“§ 2104.1 Emergency Care Immunity.

(a) Any person who, in good faith, renders emergency care
of assistance, without compensation, to any injured person at the scene

1 of an accident, fire, or any life-threatening emergency or enroute to
2 any hospital, medical clinic, or doctor's office, shall not be liable for any
3 civil damages for acts or omissions resulting from the rendering of such
4 care or assistance.

5 (b) Any person or health care provider who, without
6 compensation and in the absence of gross negligence, renders
7 emergency obstetrical care or assistance to a female in active labor
8 who has not previously been cared for in connection with the
9 pregnancy by such person or by another professionally associated with
10 such person and whose medical records are not reasonably available to
11 such person shall not be liable for any civil damages for acts or
12 omissions resulting from the rendering of such emergency care or
13 assistance.

14 (c) Any emergency medical care attendant or technician
15 possessing a valid certificate issued by authorities of the Department of
16 Public Health and Social Services' Office of Emergency Medical
17 Services (EMS) who in good faith renders emergency care or assistance
18 without compensation whether in person or by telephone or other means
19 of communication to any injured or ill person, whether at the scene of
20 an accident, fire, or any other place, or while transporting such
21 injured or ill person to, from, or between any hospital, or medical
22 facility, shall not be liable for any civil damages for acts or omissions
23 resulting from the rendering of such emergency care, treatment, or
24 assistance, including but in no way limited to acts or omissions which
25 involve violations of Department of Public Health and Social Services
26 regulations or any other local regulations in the rendering of such
27 emergency care or assistance.

1 (d) Any person having been attended and successfully
2 completed a course in cardiopulmonary resuscitation, that has been
3 approved by the Department of Public Health and Social Services'
4 Office of Emergency Medical Services, who in good faith and without
5 compensation, renders or administers emergency cardiopulmonary
6 resuscitation, cardiac defibrillation, or other emergency life-
7 sustaining or resuscitative treatments or procedures which have been
8 approved by the Department of Public Health and Social Services'
9 Office of Emergency Medical Services to any sick or injured person,
10 whether at the scene of a fire, an accident, or any other place, or while
11 transporting such person to or from any hospital, clinic, doctor's office
12 or other medical facility, shall be deemed qualified to administer such
13 emergency treatments and procedures; and such individual shall not
14 be liable for acts or omissions resulting from the rendering of such
15 emergency resuscitative treatment or procedures."