

TERRITORY OF GUAM
Office of the Governor
Agana, Guam
U.S.A.

May 15 1970

Honorable Joaquin C. Arriola
Speaker, Tenth Guam Legislature
Agana, Guam 96910

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 18 of the Organic Act (48 U.S.C.A. 1423h), as amended by P. L. 90-497, and in accordance with the desire of the Legislature as expressed by the Chairman of the Committee on Rules, I submit this special message to broaden the call of the current special session to cover the subject of a Fiscal Year 1970 supplemental appropriation for the Legislature. The General Fund Status Report has been submitted to the Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Taxation indicating the balance available for further appropriation.

Inasmuch as this is a matter of legislative prerogative, I am not submitting a recommended appropriation measure, leaving that instead to your own draftsmen.

Pursuant to the above-cited statutory authority and in accordance with the desire of the Delegates of the Constitutional Convention as expressed by their Resolution 13, I submit this special message to broaden the call of the current special session to also cover the subject of extending the dissolution date of the Constitutional Convention. This subject was inadvertently omitted from my letter of May 11, 1970, which did include a request for a supplemental appropriation for the Constitutional Convention.

The Delegates have requested that the date of dissolution of the Constitutional Convention be extended, so that they will have adequate time to conclude their review of the Organic Act.

A recommended bill to accomplish the second-mentioned subject is enclosed. Your support in obtaining immediate action on this bill would be most welcome. Members of my Administration stand ready to provide any information or assistance the Legislature may request to aid it in making this vital decision.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Carlos G. Camacho

CARLOS G. CAMACHO

Enclosure

ANALYSIS

Analysis of Appropriation Measure of the
Constitutional Convention

LEGISLATION PROPOSED: Amendments of Section 15210 of the Government Code of Guam, Section 2 of Public Law 9-244 and Section 1 of Public Law 10-60, relative to the operation of the Constitutional Convention.

ANALYSIS:

- Section 1. This section calls for the amendment of Section 15210 of the Government Code of Guam to extend the date of dissolution of the Constitutional Convention and the date its report is due from June 1, 1970 to July 1, 1970. Time extension is requested to conclude the review of all proposed revisions to the Organic Act of Guam and to allow more time for printing of the final report and recommendations of the Convention.
- Section 2. This section calls for the amendment of Section 2 of Public Law 9-244 to increase the authorized appropriation from \$75,000 to \$100,000 for the operation of the Constitutional Convention.
- Section 3. This section proposes to supplement the appropriation made by Public Law 10-60 for the operation of the Constitutional Convention to provide for the following additional requirements.

Additional Requirements

1. Preparation, printing and binding Final Report	\$14,000
2. Washington Delegation	4,170
3. Operating Expenses	6,830
Total	<u>\$25,000</u>

Status of Appropriation

Appropriation		\$ 75,000
Obligations 4/30/70	\$68,562	
Projection till July 1, '70	<u>32,538</u>	100,000
		<u>(\$ 25,000)</u>

- Section 4. Standard urgency clause.

	Dec. 31, 1969		TOTAL: Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr.		MAY 2		MAY 16		MAY 30	
	Expended				Expenditure	TOTAL	Expenditure	TOTAL	Expenditure	TOTAL
PERSONNEL:										
Payroll 12/27	193 02 05		1413 61 60		1795 20	3545 8 85	1795 20	372 51 05	1795 20	3901 9 25
Benefits	668 07		411 12		5139	113 0 58	5139	1 181 97	5139	1 233 36
P. A. System	420 00		1 00 00			820 00		820 00		820 00
P. O. Box	12 00		0-			12 00		12 00		12 00
Automobile	755 00		1360 00		340 00	2455 00		2455 00		2455 00
Legal Council	3000 00		4 00 00 00			7 00 00 00		8 00 00 00		9 00 00 00
Travel	4562 27		1 00 00 00			5562 27		5812 27		5812 27
Office Rental	36 00 00		24 00 00			6 00 00 00		6 60 00 00		6 60 00 00
Office Renovation	1156 31		0-			1156 31		1156 31		1156 31
Publicity Expense	3053 88		376 30			343 018		343 018		3430 18
Office Supplies	2459 81		0-			2459 81		2459 81		2459 81
Office Equipment	3172 51		0-			3172 51		3172 51		3172 51
Steno Services	1885 72		0-			1885 72		1885 72		1885 72
Gas	75 00		0-			75 00		75 00		75 00
Complain	13000		0-			13000		13000		13000
TOTAL	44252 62		21309 02		218659	7074823	369659	7444482	281659	7729141