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APPOINTMENTS

DOCUMENT NO.	APPOINTEE	POSITION	AGENCY	APPT. DATE	TERM LENGTH	DATE REFERRED	COMMITTEE REFERRED	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	SESSION DATE	DATE CONFIRMED	NOTES
37GL-24-3000	Brian J. Bamba	Member	A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority Board of Directors	10/31/24	Three (3) Years; From Date of Confirmation	11/13/24	Committee on Maritime Transportation, Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens	11/25/24 2:00 p.m.	12/4/24 3:15 p.m.			



Office of Senator
AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary & Chairwoman

Committee on Maritime and Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth and Senior Citizens

I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan • 37th Guam Legislature

November 27, 2024

The Honorable Therese M. Terlaje
Speaker
I Mina'trentai Siette na Liheslaturan Guåhan
163 Chalan Santo Papa
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

VIA: **The Honorable Chris Barnett** *DUS*
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Subject: **Committee Report on the Reappointment of Brian J. Bamba**

Dear Speaker Terlaje,

Buenas yan Háfa Adai! Transmitted herewith is the Committee Report on the reappointment of **Brian J. Bamba**, to serve as a Member of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Board of Directors and, which was referred to the Committee on Maritime & Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens.

Committee votes are as follows:

- 6 TO DO CONFIRM
- TO NOT CONFIRM
- TO REPORT OUT ONLY
- TO ABSTAIN
- TO PLACE IN INACTIVE FILE



COMMITTEE ON RULES
Received:
November 27, 2024 4:45 p.m.
Kamarin Nelson
Revisions Received:
December 4, 2024 12:17 p.m.

Respectfully,

Amanda Shelton
Senator Amanda L. Shelton

Chairwoman, Committee on Maritime & Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens





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COMMITTEE REPORT

Nomination of

Brian J. Bamba

As a Member of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Board of Directors to serve for a term of three (3) years; from Date of Confirmation





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MEMORANDUM

To: **All Members**
Committee on Maritime & Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens

From: **Senator Amanda L. Shelton**
Chairwoman

Subject: **Committee Report on the Reappointment of Brian J. Bamba**

Buenas yan Håfa Adai! Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report of **Brian J. Bamba**, to serve as a **Member** of the **Board of Directors** of the **A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority**.

This report includes the following:

- Copy of COR Referral of the Appointment
- Copy of the Appointment Letter to the Speaker
- Copy of the Appointment Packet & Support Documents
- Notices of Public Hearing & Other Correspondence
- Copy of the Public Hearing Agenda
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- Submitted Written Testimonies and Supporting Documents
- Committee Vote Sheet
- Committee Report Digest

Please take the appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Respectfully,

Senator Amanda L. Shelton
Chairwoman





COMMITTEE ON RULES

Senator Chris Barnett, Chairperson
I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guahan
37th Guam Legislature

November 13, 2024

To: **Joaquin P. Taitague**
Clerk of the Legislature

Attorney Darleen Hiton
Legislative Legal Counsel

From: **Senator Chris Barnett** 
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Subject: **Referral of Reappointment**

Håfa Adai yan Biba Guahan!

As per my authority as Chairperson of the Committee on Rules and subject to §9.01, Rule IX of our Standing Rules, I am forwarding the referral of the following reappointment:

Appointee: **Brian J. Bamba**

Position: **Member**

Term Length: **Three (3) Years; From Date of Confirmation**

Please refer the following document:

“**Doc. No. 37GL-24-3000** – Office of the Governor – Reappointment and Supporting Documents for Brian J. Bamba, Member, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority Board of Directors.”

Ensure the reappointment is referred to the Committee on Maritime Transportation, Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens chaired by Senator Amanda L. Shelton. I also request that the same be forwarded to Management Information Services (MIS) for posting on our website.

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



LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO
GOVERNOR



JOSHUA F. TENORIO
LT. GOVERNOR

UFISINAN I MAGA'HĀGAN GUĀHAN
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF GUAM

October 31, 2024

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Honorable Therese M. Terlaje
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37th Guam Legislature
Guam Congress Building
163 Chalan Santo Papa
Hagåtña, Guam 96932

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Time: 3:53 pm
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RE: Board Reappointment


Håfa Adai Madam Speaker:

By virtue of the authority vested in me pursuant to the Organic Act of Guam, 12 GCA § 1106 and all other applicable laws, I am pleased to transmit the following reappointment and supporting documents:

APPOINTEE: Brian J. Bamba
POSITION: Member, Board of Directors
A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority
TERM LENGTH: Three (3) Years; From Date of Confirmation

The appointment is subject to the advice and consent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. Please schedule a hearing at your earliest convenience.

Sensaramente,


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



37GL-24-3000

Messages and Communications

RECEIVED

Committee on Rules

November 12, 2024

9:15 a.m.

Kamarin Nelson

cc: *Honorable* Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, Governor of Guam

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO
GOVERNOR

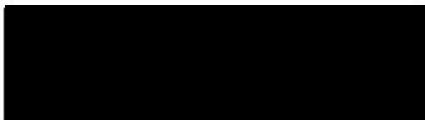


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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF GUAM

October 31, 2024

BRIAN J. BAMBA



Håfa Adai Mr. Bamba:

Pursuant to my authority under the Organic Act of Guam, 12 GCA § 1106, and all other applicable laws, I am reappointing you to serve as a:

MEMBER, BOARD OF DIRECTORS
A.B. WON PAT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY
Term Length: Three (3) Years; From Date of Confirmation

Your reappointment is a testament to your commitment to public service and your faithful execution of the great responsibilities that this position requires. I am confident that you will continue to fulfill your duties in a professional manner for others to follow. On behalf of the people of Guam, I extend my gratitude for your continued service in this important role.

As you are aware, this reappointment is subject to the advice and consent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*.

Should you have any questions, please contact Jean Taitano with the Office of the Governor at (671) 473-1121.

Senseramente,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joshua F. Tenorio".

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

cc: *Honorable* Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, Governor of Guam

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO
Governor



JOSHUA F. TENORIO
Lieutenant Governor

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF GUAM Nomination and Appointment Information Form

The following information is required for submission to the
Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* in accordance with Title 4, Guam Code Annotated Section 2103

NOMINEE INFORMATION

Last Name Bamba	First Name Brian	Middle Initial J.
Mailing Address [REDACTED]		Apartment/Unit # [REDACTED]
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]
Phone [REDACTED]	E-mail Address [REDACTED]	
Position to which Appointment is Made Member, Board of Directors, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam		
Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		
If no, are you authorized to work in the United States? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		

EDUCATION

SCHOOL (Name, City and State)	DATES OF ATTENDANCE	TYPE OF DEGREE	YEAR EARNED
High School Father Duenas Memorial High School, Guam	1984-1988	High School Diploma	1988
College Univ of Portland, OR /Univ of San Fran, CA	1988-1990 1990-1993	BSBA	1993
Graduate School			
Other Degree			

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Name of Present/Last Employer and Mailing Address Logis Pacific, LLC Guam	Position Title Consultant
	Dates Held 2024 - Present

Previous Employer and Mailing Address IP&E Holdings, LLC Guam	Position Title Managing Director
	Dates Held 2010 - Present

Previous Employer and Mailing Address Exxon Mobil Guam	Position Title General Manager
	Dates Held 2003 - 2010

Previous Employer and Mailing Address PacAir, Ltd. Guam	Position Title General Manager
	Dates Held 1998 - 2003

Previous Employer and Mailing Address Guam International Airport Authority (GIAA) Government of Guam	Position Title Operations Assistant
	Dates Held 1995 - 1996

PRIOR GOVERNMENT OF GUAM SERVICE

Agency or Department Name		Position Title
Address	Phone No.	Dates Held

Agency or Department Name		Position Title
Address	Phone No.	Dates Held

PRIOR GOVERNMENT SERVICE (EXCLUDING GOVERNMENT OF GUAM)

<i>Agency or Department Name</i>		<i>Position Title</i>	
<i>Address</i>	<i>Phone No.</i>	<i>Dates Held</i>	

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<i>Address</i>	<i>Phone No.</i>	<i>Dates Held</i>	

TRAINING

<i>INSTITUTE/SEMINARS/ON-THE-JOB TRAINING</i>	<i>DATE</i>

AWARDS

<i>List all educational, professional, civic awards, and recognition for public service:</i>

PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT

<i>List involvement on a local/national/international level. List organizations, activities participated in, and offices held:</i>

COMMUNITY / CIVIC INVOLVEMENT

List organizations, activities participated in, and offices held:

- * Member, Board of Directors, GIAA, 2019 - Present
- * Member, Board of Directors, Make-A-Wish Guam & CNMI, 2019 - Present

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

List any published articles, papers delivered at professional meetings, etc.:

MILITARY SERVICE (Please attach Form DD-214)

<i>BRANCH</i>	<i>DATES OF SERVICE</i>	<i>RANK AT DISCHARGE</i>	<i>TYPE OF DISCHARGE</i>

OTHER INFORMATION

(1) Have you ever been found guilty of a felony in any court, whether within or without the United States?

Yes No If so, please specify in detail: _____

Address of the Court: _____

Date(s) of Conviction: _____

Specific Infraction Committed: _____

(2) Have you ever been declared mentally incompetent by any court, whether within or without the United States?

Yes No If so, please specify in detail the reasons and facts related to such declaration:

(3) Have you ever been found not guilty or not punishable in any criminal proceedings by reason of insanity?

Yes No

(4) Have you ever been confined to a mental institution for any reason?

Yes No If so, please specify in why the appointing authority believes you that you are not suffering from any mental illness or affliction:

AFFIDAVIT / DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

I, the undersigned, do hereby depose and say that: (1) I have read and reviewed the information contained in the attached Appointment/Nomination letter from the Governor of Guam; (2) that the matters contained in the Appointment/Nomination letter, together with all attachments thereto, are true and correct and that I am competent to testify to said matters; and (3) that this Declaration is made for the purpose of complying with the requirements of 4 G.C.A. Section 2103.5.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of Guam (4 G.C.A. Section 4308) that the foregoing is true and correct.



Print Name and Signature

7/15/2024

Date

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO
Governor

JOSHUA F. TENORIO
Lieutenant Governor



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF GUAM

Statement of Financial Interests

(Required by 4 G.C.A. §13104.1)

TO: The Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero
Governor of Guam
Ricardo J. Bordallo Governor's Complex
Adelup, Guam 96910

FROM: Brian J. Bamba

- I have no financial interest in any business
- I do have interest(s) in the following business(es):

NAME AND ADDRESS OF BUSINESS INTEREST	TYPE AND AMOUNT OF INTEREST
Three Chiefs Brewing, LLC (Long Beach, CA)	Shares (30,000)



Signature

7/15/24

Date



Government of Guam
GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT
RECORDS & IDENTIFICATION SECTION
P.O. Box 23909
Guam Main Facility, Guam 96921



October 24, 2024

SUBJECT: CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD

NAME:	Brian Joseph BAMBBA		
DATE OF BIRTH:	[REDACTED]	FINGERPRINT#:	[REDACTED]
<input type="checkbox"/>	The individual has no record of criminal conviction(s) in the Guam Police Department files that are subject to Guam law.		

*****NOTHING FOLLOWS*****

THIS INFORMATION MAY BE LIMITED TO A LOCAL CRIMINAL OFFENSE ONLY AND IS NOT INTENDED FOR USE FOR ANY LOCAL, STATE, OR FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY.

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By Direction: km

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For: [Signature]
STEPHEN C. IGNACIO
Chief of Police



Superior Court of Guam

Guam Judicial Center • 120 West O'Brien Dr • Hagåtña, Gu. 96910
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HON. ALBERTO C. LAMORENA, III
PRESIDING JUDGE

JANICE M. CAMACHO-PEREZ, ESQ.
CLERK OF COURT

VALERIE D. TENORIO
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

Name: **BRIAN JOSEPH BAMBA**

Driver's License ID #: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED]

CERTIFICATE OF SEARCH

The undersigned Clerk hereby certifies the following results of a diligent search of the records of this Court:

Criminal Cases:
No Cases Found

Civil Cases:

Request for further information may be addressed at the Records Division of the Superior Court of Guam, Guam Judicial Center, 120 West O'Brien Drive, Hagåtña, Guam. Hours of operation are Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed Saturdays, Sundays and local/federal holidays. **Court Clearances are Non-Refundable.**

Dated:10/21/2024

Janice M. Camacho-Perez
Clerk of Court

By: *Ventura Salenga Jr*

Prepared by: Ventura Salenga Jr,
Deputy Clerk I



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First Notice of Public Hearing – Monday, November 25, 2024, beginning at 2:00 p.m.

4 messages

Office of Senator Amanda L. Shelton

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Mon, Nov 18,
 2024 at 6:32 AM

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Cc: phnotice@guamlegislature.org, sgtarms <sgtarms@guamlegislature.org>, Audio / Video <av@guamlegislature.org>

Bcc: John Quinata <john.quinata@guamairport.net>, A Hernandez <ahernandez@guamairport.net>, Amanda O'Brien <amanda.obrien@guamairport.net>, Brian Bamba <brian.bamba@guamairport.net>, Kalyne Roberto <robertok@triton.uog.edu>, "Christine M. Olkeriil" <christine.olkeriil@dpr.guam.gov>, Rosie Tainatongo

<[REDACTED]>, "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>, Lucy Alcorn <[REDACTED]>

November 18, 2024

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators, Stakeholders, Media

From: Senator Amanda L. Shelton

Chairwoman, Committee on Maritime & Air
 Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and the
 Advancement of Women, Youth and Senior Citizens

Subject: First Notice of Public Hearing – Monday, November 25, 2024, beginning at 2:00 p.m.

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How to Participate

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If written testimonies are to be presented at the Public Hearing, the Committee requests that copies be submitted prior to the hearing date and should be addressed to Senator Amanda L. Shelton, Chairwoman of the Committee. Testimonies may be submitted to the Office of Senator Amanda L. Shelton via email or drop box located at the address provided in the section below.

Special Accommodations

Individuals requiring special accommodations, auxiliary aids, or services may contact and submit their request to Mr. Jay Milan at the Office of Senator Amanda L. Shelton at 163 Chalan Santo Papa, *Hagåtña*, Guam 96910, by phone at (671) 969-2574/989-2572 or via email at officeofsenatorshelton@guamlegislature.org.

We look forward to your attendance and participation.

Si Yu'os Ma'åse'.



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Ed Pocaigue <sgtarms@guamlegislature.org>

Mon, Nov 18, 2024 at 6:37 AM

To: "Office of Senator Amanda L. Shelton" <officeofsenatorshelton@guamlegislature.org>

Hafa adai

Noted and posted on calendar

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Si Yu'os Ma'åse'

Edward S. Pocaigue, Jr.
Sergeant at Arms

37th Guam Legislature

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Mon, Nov 18, 2024 at

7:02 AM

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To: All Senators, Stakeholders, Media

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Hi Senator,

Please see attached testimony from Director Angel Sablan, in favor of John P. Dierking to become a member with the Department of Parks and Recreation Commission. Thank you and have a great day.

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Respectfully,

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I. Call to Order

II. Opening Remarks/Housekeeping

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IV. Closing Remarks/Announcements

V. Adjournment





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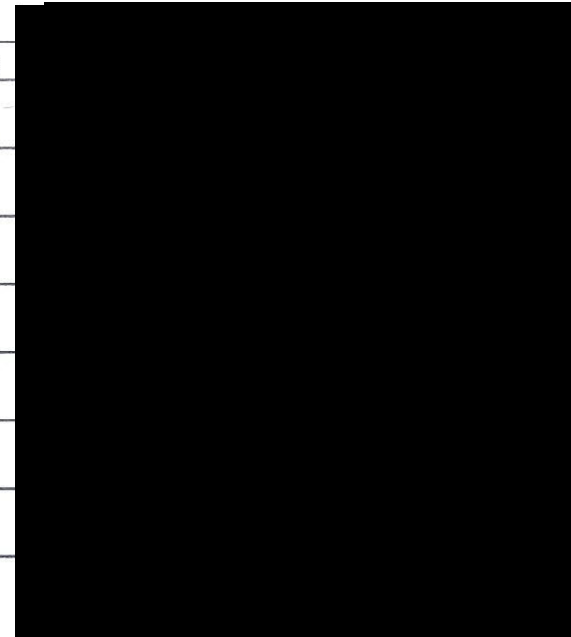
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Elfrieda Koshika	Mktg PCIV	GLAA			✓	
Thina Cruz		GLAA			✓	
Artemio Hernandez		GLAA			✓	
JOSEPH A. JAVELLANA		GLAA			✓	
IRWIN BAMBIA		GLAA				
JESSE G. GARCIA	BOARD DIRECTOR				✓	
Dawn Alcorn		GLAA			✓	





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Brian J. Bamba	Chairman	GIAA		✓	✓			
Lucy M. Alcorn	Director	GIAA		✓	✓			
Wanda FC Wintterle	Board Secretary	GIAA			✓			
RUF0 LUJAN		GIAA			✓			
JUAN REYES, A.CE.,	AIR TERMINAL MGR.,	GIAA			✓			
RAYMOND QUINTANILLA, A.CE.,	OPERATIONS SUPT.,	GIAA			✓			
AMANDA O'BRIEN,	PCII OPERATIONS,	GIAA			✓			
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Legislative Secretary & Chairwoman of the Committee on Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism,
Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens
36th Guam Legislature
163 Chalan Santo Papa Juan Pablo Dos
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

REFERENCE: Testimony in Support of the Re-Appointment of Rosie R. Tainatongo, Lucy M. Alcorn, and Brian J. Bamba to the Board of Directors of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam

Buenas yan Håfa Adai Senator Shelton:

It is my distinct honor to be here this afternoon before the 37th Guam Legislature's committee on Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens. I come before you today, as the Executive Manager of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam (GIAA) to submit testimony in full support of the re-appointment of Rosie R. Tainatongo, Lucy M. Alcorn, and Brian J. Bamba to serve another term as members of the GIAA Board of Directors.

Previously I had shared the valuable contributions that these three individuals have made to our Airport board. Since the last time I appeared before this legislative committee on the reappointment of Directors Tainatongo and Alcorn, and Chairman Bamba to be reappointed to the Airport Board, their value to our board has continued to increase, to include now their respective service, to date.

They, each of them, add to the great dynamic of our seven-member board, actively developing critical policy that moves our organization forward. Their expansive and extensive backgrounds in the various sectors of our island, from government to private enterprise, continue to bring valuable insight to our organization.

With Director Tainatongo, her many years of experience managing millions of federal funds for our island's education system continue to lend great insight into our own management of and stringent fiscal policies with federal grants, especially from the Federal Aviation Administration. She continues to bring her unique perspective, adding to the multi-faceted points or view present at the table. She also brings a great sense of calm and a respectable demeanor to our organization as a highly respected *saina* of our island community. I am fully confident that she will continue to serve with the same commitment to her fiduciary responsibilities and a keen sense of duty to safeguard the Guam International Airport to best of her abilities.

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Director Alcorn is the longest serving of these three directors and brings her successful business savvy running several of our islands' iconic and thriving business organization. Her acumen with operating profitable enterprises within stringent regulatory environments and having served under different administrations has allowed for her much valued perspectives in developing sound policy for the Airport. She is ever committed to developing a healthy and mutually advantageous business environment for airlines and tenants, while providing quality airport services and infrastructure to support passenger and all airport users.

Since joining the GIAA Board in May 2019, Brian J. Bamba was elected as Chairman of the Board. He has brought a distinct leadership style that has led the board and our Airport through several key multi-million dollar capital improvement projects to full completion. He's also been keenly adept and guiding our board through the development of strategic financial policy that has ensured the operational and fiscal solvency of the airport. This was critical through the devastating pandemic and the ongoing recovery. He has led the Airport through several successful bond-refinancing efforts, resulting in millions of net present value and debt service interest savings. His leadership in developing sound air service incentive programs for our airline partners has allowed for expanded air service as our partner carriers rebuild our connectivity post-pandemic.

The continuation of these three individuals on the GIAA Board of Directors is essential in continuing the work that they have undertaken to employ sound fiscal policy directing prudent action to continue the development world-class facilities and globally recognized airport services. Your support in safeguarding this remarkable investment of the people of Guam, the Guam International Airport, by reappointing Director Rosie R. Tainatongo, Director Lucy M. Alcon and Chairman Brian J. Bamba to continued service on the Board, is appreciated very much!

Put respetu,


John M. Quinata
Executive Manager

EMAIL: official@guamairport.net



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163 Chalan Santo Papa Juan Pablo Dos
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REFERENCE: Reappointment to Serve on the Board of Directors for the A.B. Won Pat
International Airport Authority, Guam

Good afternoon, Senator Shelton:

Hafa Adai, Madame Chair and Legislative Secretary, and Honorable members of the Committee on Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens. Thank you for the opportunity to reaffirm my commitment to serve as a member of the GIAA Board of Directors, and I also would like to thank Governor Lou Leon Guerrero & Lt. Governor Joshua Tenorio, for their confidence in my ability to serve the people of Guam.

I was initially appointed in 2019 by Governor Lou Leon Guerrero and have led the board as Chairman throughout this period. I have had the honor of working alongside my board colleagues and GIAA Management, to address some of the biggest challenges ever to face the aviation industry and specifically, our airport. Over the past five years, we have embarked on several vital multi-million-dollar capital improvement projects and have continued to develop strong and strategic policies to guide the Airport's continued operational and fiscal solvency. Together we worked to address significant fiscal challenges affecting global travel and airport finances.

Our biggest challenge, which continues to be felt today, has been the impact of the global Covid-19 pandemic. There were no SOP's or any level of management experience that could have prepared us in dealing with the halt of global travel, and the subsequent erosion of our tourism-based economy. I am proud to have been a part of the Airport team that rose to the occasion, managing to keep the airport safely operational 24 hours a day. I am confident that the airport can and will successfully manage through any challenge it faces. As the leader of the policy board, we came together to provide guidance and support to management, often challenging them to achieve beyond their circumstances. From reductions in operational costs, to new ways of creative debt structuring, the difficult tasks needed to be done. Fortunately, the efforts have realized millions of dollars in savings and beneficial debt service ratio reductions.

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And when we thought we were making decent recovery strides, Mother Nature, dealt us a serious blow in the form of Typhoon Mawar. We had not seen such destruction in over two decades, but despite the massive setback, the Airport was still able to reopen within 72 hours to serve stranded travelers and the people of Guam, by receiving valuable aid and recovery resources.

While we face challenging times, there are opportunities that lie ahead of us, to make a difference at the airport. Plans for continued growth in passenger and cargo operations, logistics infrastructure, sustainability, and the customer experience, will continue to develop, and I am looking forward to contributing to these efforts.

As stated in my testimony for my fellow board members, I stand committed to the same standard of service to the airport and the people of Guam. I am fully mindful of the fiduciary responsibility that we bear, and I respectfully ask for your favorable consideration of my reappointment to serve on the Board of Directors of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam. Thank you and *Si Yu'os Ma'åse!*

Senseiamente,



Brian J. Bamba
Chairman
GIAA Board of Directors



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COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

Nomination of Brian J. Bamba, to serve as a Member of the Board of Directors of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority to serve for a term of three years from the date of confirmation

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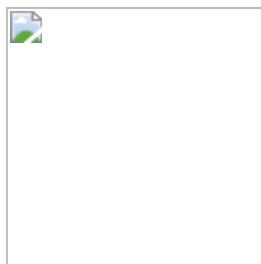
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I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Maritime & Air Transportation, Tourism, Park, Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens convened a public hearing for the appointment of Brian J. Bamba on Monday, November 25, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. at the Public Hearing Room at the Guam Congress Building. The appointment history is as follows:

- Appointment by *I Maga'haga Guahan* on October 31, 2024, to serve for three (3) years; from date of confirmation.
- Appointment Packet forwarded to *I Liheslatura* on November 8, 2024; and
- Appointment Packet forwarded to this Committee for public consideration on November 11, 2024.

PUBLIC NOTICE REQUIREMENTS

Public Hearing notices were disseminated via email to all Senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on November 18, 2024, and again on November 20, 2024, fulfilling the 5-Day Notice and 48-Hour Notice of the Open Government Law requirements respectively.

SENATORS PRESENT

Senator Amanda L. Shelton, *Chairwoman*

Senator Jesse A. Lujan, *Vice Chairman*

Senator William A. Parkinson, *Member*

ATTENDEES

Rosie R. Tainatongo, *Appointee*

Brian J. Bamba, *Appointee*

Lucy M. Alcorn, *Appointee*

John M. Quinata, *Executive Manager, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority*

Sophia T. Lujan

Written Testimony Submitted By

Brian J. Bamba, *Appointee*

John M. Quinata, *Executive Manager, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority*

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY AND DISCUSSION

The public hearing was Called-to-Order at 2:00 p.m.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Buenas and Hafa Adai everyone. This public hearing by the Committee on Maritime & Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens is hereby called to order.

Today is Monday, November 25, 2024, and the time now is 2:00 p.m. For the record and in accordance with the open government law, notices for this hearing were sent on November 18th and again on November 20th. In addition, this hearing was noticed on the Guam Legislature website and the Guam Public Notice Website.

Thank you to my Vice-Chair, Senator Jesse Lujan, for joining me here this afternoon.

Before we proceed with the discussion, I'd like to first provide everyone with some of the general rules of conduct for those in attendance. The conduct of this hearing shall be as follows: Written testimonies shall be submitted to the committee.

Please provide my Legislative staff with your written testimony for photocopying. Testimony may be read, and lengthy testimony should be summarized to about five (5) minutes. Those testifying will be allowed to present written or oral testimony. Once you are done, please remain in the room for questions or additional testimony as may be desired by the members of the Committee.

Questions and testimony shall be confined to the nature of the agenda. The current agenda is the Appointment of Rosie R. Tainatongo, to serve as a Member of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Board of Directors. The Chair will invite individuals who have signed up to testify. Before speaking, individuals testifying shall first be recognized by the Chair and shall state their name for record purposes.

Personal inference about the character or motive of any Senator or any individual testifying is not permitted. Any violations of this general rule of conduct will result in removal from the Public Hearing Room for this proceeding. Individuals who fail to maintain proper form/decorum may be restricted from providing oral testimony and may be asked to leave or be escorted and removed from the room. Proper form/decorum shall be practiced by all present in the Public Hearing Room.

The A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam, was created by P.L. 13-57 as an autonomous agency of the Government of Guam to own, maintain, operate, and develop airport facilities and properties. GIAA took over operations from the Department of Commerce in 1976 and since then has been the island's only commercial airport supporting domestic and international air services for passengers and cargo.

GIAA, led by its Board of Directors and Management, strives to ensure the safety and security of the traveling public, is dedicated to maintaining a superior and reliable level of airport services for our island residents and tourists, and is committed to supporting the development of air linkages and facilities which are integral parts of the island's current and future economic growth.

At this time I'd like to call upon those who have signed in to testify. Please join us at the table and then we will proceed with any testimonies for members being nominated to the Board of Directors and then followed by the nominees themselves. All right, we will start with our Executive Manager, Senator Quinata, you are recognized.

John Quinata, Executive Manager, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam:

Thank you madam chair. Honorable Amanda Shelton, Legislative Secretary and Chairwoman of the Committee on Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens of the 37th Guam Legislature. Vice Chair, Senator Jesse Anderson Lujan, thank you sir for being here. I am John M. Quinata, the Executive Manager for the Guam International Airport Authority and I'm here to provide testimony in support of the reappointment of Director Rosie R. Tainatongo, Director

Lucy M. Alcorn, and our Chairman Brian J. Bamba to the Board of Directors of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority Guam.

[written testimony provided orally]

Thank you and hopefully I can sit and stay around for any questions that you may have.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Thank you very much Senator Quinata. Is there anyone else who wishes to give testimony for the nominees? Please join us at the table. Can you state your name for the record and then begin?

Sophia Lujan:

Good afternoon Senator Shelton and Senator Jesse Lujan. My name is Sophia Lujan and I'm here to read a testimony on behalf of my aunt Mrs. Jeanette Yamashita who was not able to make it here today.

[written testimony presented orally]

That's one okay and this one is my testimony.

[written testimony presented orally]

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Thank you very much for your testimony. Is there anyone who wishes to give testimony for the three Board of Directors for the airport? Okay I'd like to state for the record that we have a full house here today. Other members of the Board of Directors from the airport who are here in support as well as the administration and many staff members from the airport as well. Okay, we'll begin with Mr. Brian Bamba, our current Chairman of the Board of Directors, if you will.

Chairman Brian Bamba, Guam International Airport Authority Board of Directors:

Madam chair I also wanted to submit testimony in support of the directors.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Please proceed.

Chairman Brian Bamba, Guam International Airport Authority Board of Directors:

Good afternoon Senator Shelton and Senator Lujan. I'd like to say thank you for this opportunity to come before this body in my capacity as Chairman of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority Guam, Board of Directors to present testimony in support of my fellow colleagues and valued members of our GIAA Airport Board Team - Directors Rosie Tainatongo and Lucy M. Alcron.

[written testimony presented orally]

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Si Yu'os Ma'ase. Thank you very much. Mrs. Alcorn.

Chairman Brian Bamba, Guam International Airport Authority Board of Directors:

Actually, I was going to provide my own testimony, but out of respect, most importantly, and courtesy to these women I defer to let them go first.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Okay. Oh, okay, you have another testimony? Go ahead.

Chairman Brian Bamba, Guam International Airport Authority Board of Directors:

Well for myself, but they insist that I go first. I'm trying to be very respectful of my elders, but they prefer that I go first.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Okay, yes, please proceed.

Chairman Brian Bamba, Guam International Airport Authority Board of Directors:

I will. Good afternoon, Senators. Senator Shelton, Madam chair, and Vice Chair Senator Lujan.

[written testimony presented orally]

And I'd also like to thank all of the airport employees and staff that are here in support. They've been a very, very instrumental and critical part of our operation. And so I thank them very much for their support and it happens today is my daughter's birthday and she's probably watching this online so Emmani, Happy Birthday. I love you. Thank you.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Thank you very much, Mr. Chair. Happy birthday to Emani and Mrs. Alcorn.

Lucy M. Alcorn:

[written testimony presented orally]

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Thank you very much for your testimony. Ms. Tainatongo.

Rosie R. Tainatongo:

[written testimony presented orally]

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Si yu'os ma'ase and thank you to all our board members. I'd like to recognize Senator Will Parkinson, another member of our committee. And Senator, do you have any questions for the panel?

Senator William A. Parkinson:

Nope, no I'm just happy to hear the testimony and thank you for your service everyone.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Thank you very much and my Vice Chair and your future Chair of the airport as it's been announced Senator Lujan.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

Thank you Madam Chair. Before I ask a couple questions, I just want to say that it's been a great two years. And I want to recognize again of course, this is going to be the last time that we're going to be sitting here as the Vice Chair for Aviation under the leadership of course of my boss, Legislative Secretary Amanda Shelton. It's going to be the last time we are sitting here together as the 37th Guam Legislature. She's been a very gracious, friendly and fair Chair for the Committees that I sit in. I thank you for allowing me to be your Vice Chair as well and these committees. We're going to miss her and I'm sure we will be contacting her again for help in moving forward in the 38th Guam Legislature. So can we give her a hand please.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Thank you.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

Thank you great chairman and thank you very much. The committee composition will be a little different this time. I will still have, of course, Aviation. I will have all of the Airport, Aviation, Customs, airport police, and ARF. I would also have Port, Port operations, as well. Customs and Quarantine, Tourism, Federal and Foreign Affairs and all Utilities. So I'm going to definitely need both my chair's help. And of course the chair also of utilities right now so I'm glad that we sit in the same committee right now. But thank you again Madam Chair Shelton and also Senator Will Parkinson for again allowing me to sit in your committees on the 37th. Thank you very much, thank you.

Okay now back to business. Just one question. Going into the 38th Guam Legislature, it's very very important that we know again you know the situation that we're in. We have a great challenge in tourism. We know that the ports of entry are great assets to economic prosperity. I wanted to ask each and every one of you , what is the biggest impediment that you see in you setting the board and the airport? The biggest impediment you see that will keep us from moving forward in enticing businesses to come to Guam? The impediments that you see that will stifle our growth. And what you see in the properties and things that you have at the airport at this point.

Chairman Brian Bamba, Guam International Airport Authority Board of Directors:

I'm going to defer to my respectful colleagues. Thank you for the question Senator Lujan. But before I answer I also would like to extend my appreciation on behalf of the Board of Directors of the Airport Authority and all the employees. Senator Shelton, thank you for all your support and it's been a wonderful pleasure to have been working with you.

So what we see, I mean, there are many different issues that like I said in my testimony that while there are a lot of challenges, I do see these as opportunities. But I think the biggest one we have standing in front of us is what kind of inhibits investment right? And if we want to create economic activity and utilizing an airport which is really like a you know it's a conduit to Economic Development right? And whether it be tourism or other aspects of industry you know we stand like one third of a tourism component. And I don't say that everybody has a rap. I don't think GVB, the airport, or GEDA has any sole responsibility for it, but I think that you know collectively we all create this product called tourism right? And the airport's role in that is really to provide safe operations so that aircraft can bring passengers safely into our island, but on top of that, airports themselves are economic drivers and I think if we were to have some way to have instruments of contract and and lease ability to entice investors of large significant investments right? When you build something at the airport, you're not building, you know, something that's five or ten thousand dollars. You're usually seeing something that's a hanger, of a hundred million dollars or infrastructure that has heavily capital intents. And today we have limits on those you know. And so while we're working through that with the current legislature and administration, I think that's something that we would hope will continue and see some progress.

You know we look around at other airports in the world and we're kind of the exception. And that many places have maintenance facilities that attract airlines, you have logistics infrastructure that attracts companies such as Amazon and eBay and the whole night and that creates jobs right? And so giving us some flexibility to entertain and enter into some of these you know longer term leases would allow us to see what industries we can develop and then you know tourism I think is one one piece but it's how can we develop airport properties so that we have other legs of an economy to stand on. And

I think you know that's probably where we would see the biggest impediment.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

That being said, with the extension and looking at probably longer term, say leases, and all that, can you say that if that should happen that you can see Guam becoming a maybe a cargo hub?

John Quinata, Executive Manager, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam:

Senator, thank you. You know I just came back from the three country tour that we did with the Governor, GVB and GIAA. And one of the big questions that they have from the airlines is of course bringing in more passengers. But one of the biggest questions is how can they bring more cargo in? And they want to invest in cargo facilities here in Guam, but the biggest impediment is the five year minimum lease or maximum lease, I'm sorry. So if they were to lift that and they to go at least 30 years, it will entice them to come in and expand their cargo facilities or cargo facilities for their airlines. So that's one of the biggest impediments. Matter of fact, in one of countries, which is Korea, Shinhan, which is the biggest credit card company in Korea, they already want to come into the airport and invest in a lounge kind of like the United Lounge but this one is for a club lounge for Shinhan card holders. And so they came in and the biggest question they have again is if it's only going to be five years, it's a showstopper for us. Because we cannot invest in constructing that facility and be expecting to get that money back in five years. There's just no way it's going to happen and they're not willing to go beyond ... if you're trying to go beyond five years and of course you're going to open up your financials they're not willing to do that if they're not guaranteeing the amount of years that they're supposed to get.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

Well, hopefully as we move forward, we can actually do even pre-clearance here. The island. As a matter of fact, I'm sure you all heard the news, yes Congressman Moylan called me really early this morning, that they did receive from TSA clearance that our folks here in Guam that travel from here

to Hawaii or beyond Hawaii, that they will no longer lug their bags. That they will go back to the old system. So that's good news.

John Quinata, Executive Manager, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam:

That's an awesome step, Senator. And we've been working on that. And that's the first step right? Ultimately our goal is that they don't have to go through customs anymore. That when they arrive in Honolulu that they'll just be able to go to the gate, but this is the first step. This is just a baby step. So we did have um folks go through the system this morning, and so what we're used to is right when you get out of customs on to the left there's you have your bag check. But the way that system is right now is they exit out of customs and right when you exit out to the left is your bag drop. So much more easier than what it's been before.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

You know almost on a daily basis I'm sure our offices have got videos or even live FaceTime calls from folks that are going through the situation there but thank you again. You know we've been working on this for almost two years now and again really early this morning Congressman Moylan had called me and said we got the go ahead that it's no longer going to be that way. It's going to revert back to the similar situation.

John Quinata, Executive Manager, A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam:

So we're still working on the pre-clearance clearance for baggage. We got it for passengers. Now we need to work it for baggage so where we can be treated as a domestic flight.

Lucy M. Alcorn:

Madam Chair, Senator Lujan, and Senator Parkinson, I have to agree that would be the biggest impediment. I think we've been facing this for quite a while now. Our lease, the term of the lease at 5 years, it's very hard to entice businesses to come and actually have a place well create, I mean start a business here. And their ROI, it just wouldn't be worth it for them. So I have to agree. I think that if we in some way can increase the lease term to a longer

period of time, I really believe that we can entice lot of businesses to come to Guam and of course we continue to work closely with GVB as far as passengers and trying to recover from COVID and Mawar.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

Sure, you know, likewise it's not just developing properties outside you know airport property but even within the airport. You know businesses want to come inside. It's not you know as Chairman Brian has said it's not just \$10,000 that you're going to put in you know. It's probably you know quarter million, even a million dollars even to start the business at the airport and for five years that's I mean you have to fall in your head a few times to be able to say yes to that you know. But if you don't have a choice, that's what you do but you know. Times have changed and we're greatly challenged and we're looking for other industries to start here in Guam and if we can help out not only of course the tourism industry but create jobs and have more and have our folks who have left to come back to higher paying jobs and great skilled jobs and we can have that in our ports of entry. I think our ports of entry are major areas of economic prosperity for our island. Miss Rosie.

Rosie R. Tainatongo:

Well we do support the Senators and I hope that the new Senators that are coming in would support and make the lease agreement more than 5 years. And you know any business would want to come and build but they would want to try and make sure that they make money and if it's only five years I don't think that they would have enough to recover. So we are in support of that. We do want to, well our two managers, the Executive Manager and the Deputy Executive Manager, are trying our best to try and get more planes coming to Guam. Because we know how traveling is vital. Thank you.

Vice Chairman Jesse A. Lujan:

Well I mean going with how our President makes decisions, I hope our Republicans will make business decisions as well. Thank you. I'm good. I'm all in support, of course the reappointment and of course the nominations and our vote for their confirmation, so I'm all in favor, yes.

Chairwoman Amanda L. Shelton:

Absolutely, thank you very much, Mr. Chair and thank you to all of our nominees who have provided testimony today and to the airport Board and team who are also here. And your family and friends who are here in support. It has been an honor to work with all of you very closely over the last several years. You've been here in the public hearing room many times advocating for the airport and our recovery and so I would like to say si yu'os ma'ase for all of your hard work. And of course the three of you have my support as well. I've seen your commitment firsthand over and over again. And so I look forward to moving your nominations in this last hearing, I mean this last session in December and seeing you confirmed by our body. Si yu'os ma'ase everyone, thank you, Happy Thanksgiving to you and your families. Thank you. We will take a brief recess before the next hearing.

III. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee on Maritime & Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education, and the Advancement of Women, Youth, and Senior Citizens hereby reports on the appointment of Brian J. Bamba to serve as a Member of the A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Board of Directors, with the recommendation of TO DO CONFIRM.