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January 21, 2026

Standing Comm. Report No. 11-186

Re: Bill No. 11-192

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The Honorable Nicholas Figirlaarwon
Speaker
Eleventh Legislature of the State of Yap
Fourth Regular Session, 2026

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Bill No. 11-192, entitled,

“A BILL FOR AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$137,786 FROM THE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND OF THE STATE OF YAP FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATING U.S. FEDERAL GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FOR PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES DURING FISCAL YEAR 2026, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”,

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of the bill are expressed in its title.

Governor Francis Itimai transmitted, on January 8, 2026, to Speaker Nicholas Figirlaarwon, his request for the appropriation of two grant awards for two programs in the Department of Health Services.

1. **FY2026 Substance Abuse Prevention Treatment (SAPT) Program**, in the amount of \$82,570 with Grant No. 1 B08T1088113-01/ 1 B08T1088113-01-REVISED, expiring September 30, 2026.
2. **FY2026 Community Mental Health Services (CMHS) Program**, in the amount of \$55,216 with Grant No. 1 BO9SM090350-01/ 1 BO9SM090350-01-REVISED, expiring September 30, 2026.

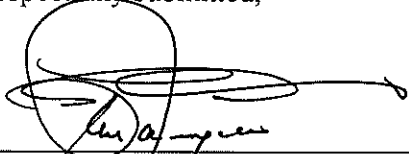
The request is designated as Governor’s Communication No. 11-503 and assigned to this Committee. The requisite Bill No. 11-192, introduced by request by Floor Leader Terrence R. Fong in today’s session, is also assigned to your Committee.

Your Committee, in reviewing the request, found that the information provided in the attachments to the Gov. Comm. No. 11-503 is sufficient for the Committee to deliberate and make recommendations, belying the need for a public hearing to obtain more information.

In continuing the deliberations on the Grant Awards, your Committee again noted the need for performance evaluations of those programs. The awards are in order, however, your Committee has not been able to assess the value of the program and whether it is meeting the needs of the State, and would recommend the appropriate Legislative Committee to look into reviewing such health programs under the Department.

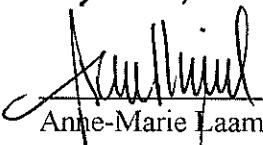
Your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of Bill No. 11-192 and would recommend passage on First and Final reading in its original form.

Respectfully submitted,



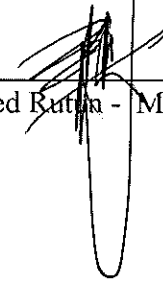
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