

116TH CONGRESS H.R. 6123

To provide funds for general government operations of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 5, 2020

Mr. Sablan introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Northern Mariana Is-
- 5 lands Coronavirus Emergency Assistance Act".

1 SEC. 2. FUNDS FOR CNMI GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.

- 2 (a) APPROPRIATIONS.—There is hereby appropriated
- 3 to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
- 4 \$100,000,000 for general government operations.
- 5 (b) Offset.—Notwithstanding section 161 of the
- 6 Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6241),
- 7 the Secretary of Energy shall draw down and sell not to
- 8 exceed \$100,000,000 of crude oil from the Strategic Pe-
- 9 troleum Reserve for fiscal year 2020.

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