December 29, 2025

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: All Senators, Stakeholders and Media

From: Senator Therese M. Terlaje

Subject: FIRST NOTICE of Public Hearing – Wednesday, January 7, 2026, starting at 8:30

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Please be advised that Senator Therese M. Terlaje will convene a public hearing on Wednesday, January 7, 2026, starting at 8:30 AM, in the Guam Congress Building Public Hearing room, for the following agenda item:

• Resolution No. 132-38(COR)-Therese M. Terlaje /Sabina Flores Perez/Telo T. Taitague/Chris Barnett/V. Anthony Ada/William A. Parkinson/Vincent A.V. Borja/Joe S. San Agustin/Shelly V. Calvo/Tina Rose Muña Barnes-RELATIVE TO REAFFIRMING THE GUAM LEGISLATURE'S CALL FOR A MORATORIUM ON DEEP-SEA MINING IN PROTECTION OF THE LEGAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, CULTURAL, AND ENVIRONMENTAL RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE OF GUAM, AND OBJECTING TO THE PROPOSAL AND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI) BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR'S BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT (BOEM) FOR "COMMERCIAL LEASING FOR OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF MINERALS OFFSHORE THE COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS"

All agencies invited will begin testifying at 8:30 AM and public testimony will follow beginning around 9AM.

The public is invited to provide oral and written testimony on the agenda item and may be submitted to <a href="mailto:senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com">senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com</a> or hand delivered to the Guam Congress Building. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals requiring special accommodations should contact the Office of Senator Terlaje at (671) 472-3586 or <a href="mailto:senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com">senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com</a> . All hearings broadcast on GTA TV Channel 21, Docomo Channel 117 and livestreamed on the Guam Legislature YouTube: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/c/GuamLegislatureMedia">https://www.youtube.com/c/GuamLegislatureMedia</a>. This Ad was paid with Legislature Funds.