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Fwd: 112

1 message

Speaker Therese M. Terlaje <speaker@guamlegislature.org>
To: Senator Therese Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Fri, Jun 4, 2021 at 8:41 AM

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From: **Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Fri, Jun 4, 2021 at 5:49 AM

Subject: 112

To: Tina Muna Barnes <speaker@guamlegislature.org>, Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes <senatormunabarnes@guamlegislature.org>

Dear Senator,

I like to asked for you to withdrawal your co sponsor of Bill 112. I have witnessed first hand our mandatory arbitration act have helped improved the quality and access to care on Guam. In fact, should you continue to support 112, my clinic will have no alternative but to further limit access, unable to care for high risk patients and that includes our maternal fetal medicine specialist Dr Hirata as well. Furthermore, our plans to increase access for additional rotating specialist for Gyn Onc among others for cancer treatment will be halted. We have saved many mothers, and their babies over these last 25 years, and our mandatory arbitration act has been part of this critical life saving progress.

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Speaker Therese M. Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Fwd: Withdraw

1 message

Speaker Therese M. Terlaje <speaker@guamlegislature.org>
To: Senator Therese Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 7, 2021 at 9:40 AM

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From: **Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Mon, Jun 7, 2021 at 7:59 AM

Subject: Withdraw

To: Tina Muna Barnes <speaker@guamlegislature.org>

Senator Muna Barnes

I again encourage you to withdraw your co sponsorship of Bill 112. It's bad medicine and it will harm access to care and more.

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By Shieh Clinic



Speaker Therese M. Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Fwd: Bill 112 should be withdrawn

1 message

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To: Senator Therese Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 7, 2021 at 9:38 AM

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From: **Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG** <[REDACTED]>
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Subject: Re: Bill 112 should be withdrawn
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[REDACTED], Dr Vince Akimoto [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@[REDACTED].[REDACTED]>

Dear Senators,

If you know the history of this arbitration act you will know that it has helped Guam improved healthcare tremendously. If Dr Chris Perez was alive today, he would be speaking to each of you to stop the nonsense of Bill 112. If it was not for the Mandatory Arbitration Act that Dr Chris Perez spoke to me about, I would not have agreed to back him up on weekends for his deliveries while I was with the US Navy and definitely give credit to Dr. Perez and Dr. Gabe Lombard Sr who both convinced me to stay on Guam. It's near my 25th year and nearly 10,000 babies and thousands of women's lives saved later - I am still here. Thanks Chris for your dedication to improving healthcare on Guam and recruiting me and many other healthcare providers to Guam. This mandatory arbitration act has helped this island saved thousands of lives, I am willing to talk to each one of you personally if you wish, but I thought you should know this in case you don't. Dr Chris Perez and his wife Dr Deb Ericson both were instrumental in the Arbitration Act as was Dr Jim Stadler, I am speaking up to you all now because I feel their spirit and voice should be heard even though they are in heaven. Bill 112 is bad medicine and should be withdrawn.





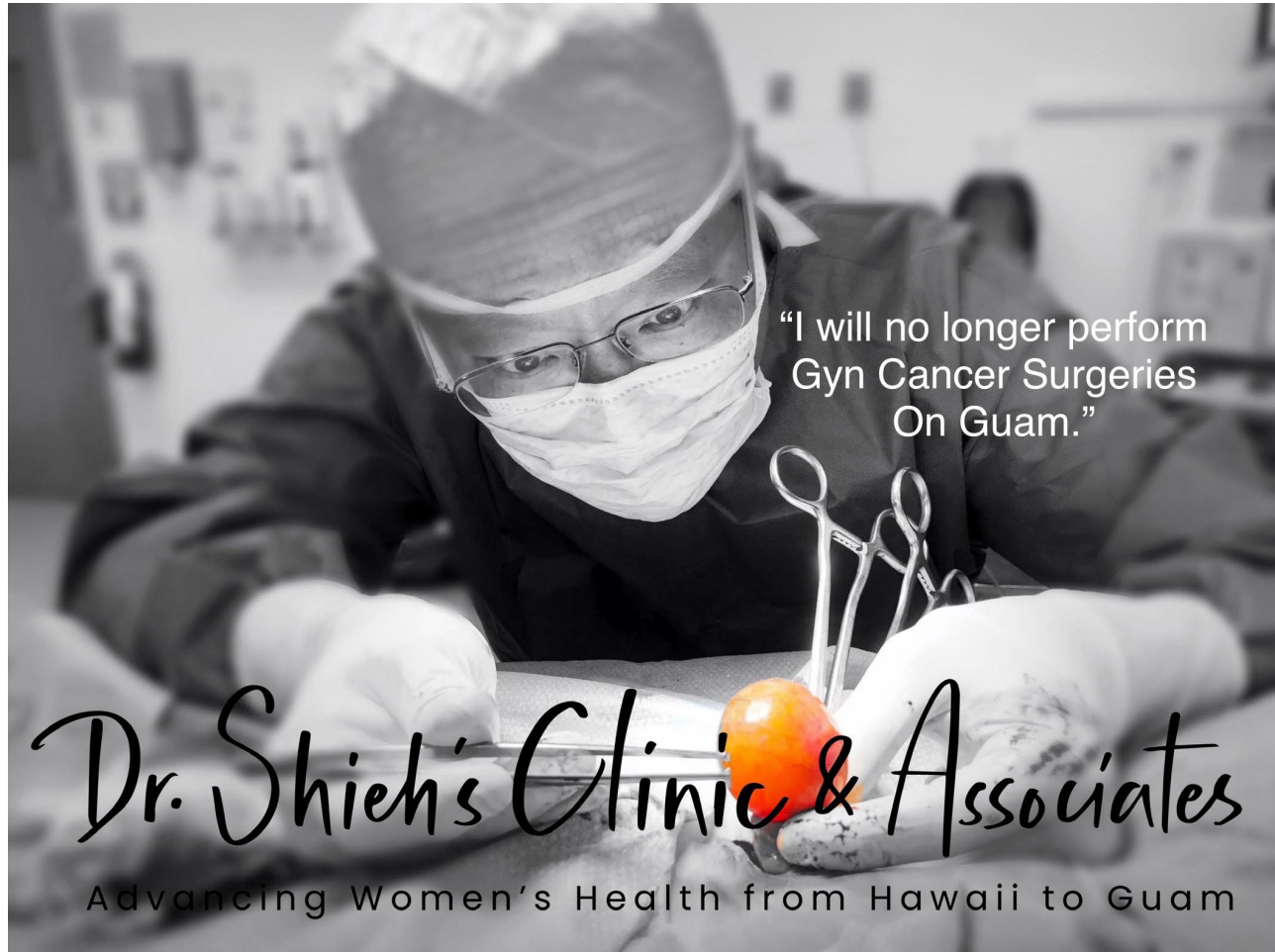
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By Shieh Clinic

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On Friday, June 4, 2021, 12:56 PM, Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG <[\[REDACTED\]](#)> wrote:



Sincerely,

Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG
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Cell: [REDACTED]

This message is confidential. It is intended for the correct recipient, do not forward. If it is received in error, please delete. Thank you.

Apologies for typos and grammar.
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June 23, 2021

VIA EMAIL: senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com

Honorable Therese M. Terlaje
Chairperson, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH
36TH GUAM LEGISLATURE, 173 Aspinall Avenue, Suite 207
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Re: Response to letter from Attorney's "Smoke Screen" letter to Senators

Dear Speaker Terlaje & the 36th Legislature of Guam:

Hafa Adai and I apologize in advance for my typos and grammar, but I felt the need to respond to a letter that have been sent to you all in the last hour. So here is my brief and quick response.

I know that you've all just received a letter from a personal injury attorney that was trying to present a "balanced" view of Bill 112, and I am sure I am sure you are smart enough to recognize how biased that letter intent to try and make you believe Bill 112 will help improve Guam's healthcare for patients. Perhaps that is the same attorney who helped create Bill 112 along with the original sponsoring authors.

1. The notion that MMMAA in his letter noting that it is unfair to victims is **not true** and citing the cost of arbitration but failed to mention that to litigate the cost is even higher. Remember also the plaintiff is not prevented from moving to trial. To arbitrate first with a panel with professionals is the right course to initiate first. After arbitration, the plaintiff is not forbidden from moving to trial, they can still. If the case has merit, certainly the attorney would feel worth their while to invest. But to simply ignore a fair process of a three-panel arbitration is abuse of the system and merit less cases filed will cause more harm than one may think to our healthcare system. The odd thing, is, that attorney's letter cited one case that costed a lot, one case, perhaps his fees are over the top, and should be limited to make arbitration even more affordable. FACT: to litigate is exponentially more costly.
2. Bill 112 **does NOT** provide a fair solution. The personal injury attorney wants you to believe that a three-person panel is not fair, but it is. Medicine is complex, and the panel as Dr. Chris Perez and Dr. Stadler noted making up of 1 medical professional, 1 judge and 1 non-medical professional is well balanced. To ensure fairness is not to put all the weight on the shoulder of one magistrate judge, who has no medical background and will decide on a case that may have no medical merit and moving to litigation would cause more harm to not just patients but to the healthcare provider. Because the healthcare provider would be stuck with defense costs that could be in the tens if not hundreds of thousands and at the end just to prove there is no merit in the case. On this point where he argues that to have another healthcare professional cannot be on the panel because he

feels that the healthcare professional will be biased. That is ridiculous and an insult. He admits that in any case there must be expert witnesses, so by the panel selecting an unbiased healthcare professional to be on there to help determine if there is merit is actually positive, so his argument holds very little water. Again, if the case has merit, the attorney will invest in the case.

3. The fear of frivolous claims is **very real**. The personal injury attorney's letter as written, and he wants you to believe that the current arbitration law does not prevent meritless claims but screen out those who cannot afford it. Now that is the most ridiculous notion ever, if one cannot afford arbitration, they can afford a much more costly litigation?

He cited over that in his last 24 years in Guam and he only had 5 malpractice cases that would be even relevant/helped by this bill? 5 went to arbitration so cost wasn't a factor - 7 were settled without court or arbitration and leaving only FIVE (5!) that were withdrawn possibly due to "high-cost arbitration," or perhaps they were meritless. To me the current system WORKS! It's a very fair process. To litigate is must more costly.

4. As for the comment on standard of care. Those doctors will be held to the "community standard," I mean you want us to stop raising the standard and go backwards into the dark ages of medicine? Talk about the mal intent of Bill 112. We want Guam to raise our standard of care for patients and not go backwards. The false notion in his letter that we are judged by the local standards for some reason we suppose to feel good? Absolutely not, we as healthcare professional we strive to help improve and raised the standard of care over the last 25 years, and this is because of the MMMAA, Bill 112 will take us backwards.
5. His comment on us providers not performing certain procedures or seeing high risk patients is extortion? Wow that is really a total lack of insight in medicine. The reason for the stoppage of certain procedures or high-risk cases is because of the fear that Bill 112 will encourage merit less lawsuits because it makes it an unreliable system with a one judge decision without any professionals on the panel, and it would be more costly to move to litigation. Many providers in Guam would not want to risk that because it's what is called "No good deed goes unpunished."

Furthermore, the elaborated propaganda in the letter which he compares drivers auto insurance to malpractice insurance coverage is not only uninformed but unrealistic. We all know there are tens of thousands of cars and drivers in Guam. How many doctors do we have on island? Spreading the risk? Are you kidding? Are we on earth or on planet Mars?

He further tells you that it's a smoke screen that malpractice rates will go up. I think the smoke and the screen is obvious in his letter. Ridiculous, most of the healthcare providers on Guam don't have malpractice insurance because it is not affordable and in fact, when I had a quote only one insurance was willing, and I had it for 5 years. First year, \$25,000 a year, second \$36,000 a year, third \$56,000 a year, 4th was \$78,000 a year, then 5th year was \$120,000 a year, the 6th year that company stopped offering it, and I

could not afford it regardless, and this was for very little coverage. There are not enough doctors in Guam for us to “spread the risk.” By the way, did you know that majority of Guam’s obgyn are senior citizens? Think about this, in 5 years, who will be left to deliver babies let alone caring for the most vulnerable high-risk population.

I ask our honorable Senators who know me to listen, and I ask for your help. You know that I care a lot for patients. I have done my best and have made many healthcare improvements on this island. I hope my last 25 years of delivering nearly 10,000 babies and the lives I have saved will encourage you to understand that I want our healthcare to improve but Bill 112 is not the answer. The personally injury attorney also like refer to us as “lobbying you,” well, I think he should look in the mirror on who is lobbying who? I don’t lobby, I advocate. I am here to advocate for my patients. Ultimately Bill 112 harms patients and does not improve healthcare.

One point I must make clear, tonight’s “informational hearing” was not transparent as it implied that the Guam Bar Association was involved and they are not, the Ad taken out by the legislature to me violated what supposed to be transparent government, and should have had a disclaimer on the ad. Furthermore, we feel the informational hearing is a propaganda event because when Attorney Mitch Thompson ask to speak, he was denied by the speaker, and then when I pointed it out, he was only called less than 24 hours to this hearing. Lastly, to have a balance informational hearing, no healthcare professional was invited to present, and this was very bothersome, because if you are going to provide unbiased information and discuss the healthcare law, I would imagine healthcare professionals should have be invited to speak tonight.

I hope to be on Guam for many more years, but Bill 112 is discouraging, and is bad medicine. If you are all willing to make more improvements to healthcare, I will commit my time and energy to this island and work with you.

Sincerely,



Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG, Board Certified



Speaker Therese M. Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Re: Withdrawal of Co-sponsorship on Bill 112-36

1 message

Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG <[redacted]@yahoo.com> Wed, Jun 23, 2021 at 6:08 PM
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Thank you Vice Speaker! That is the right thing to do. Bill 112 will ruin healthcare on guam. We will continue to advocate for healthcare improvements. I will commit my time to help.

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 Shieh Clinic

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On Tuesday, June 22, 2021, 8:28 PM, Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes <senatormunabarnes@guamlegislature.org> wrote:

Hafa Adai Speaker Terlaje,

Please see attached letter and attachments from Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes. Kindly confirm receipt of this email and its attachments.



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Speaker Therese M. Terlaje <senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com>

Arbitration is cheap cheap compare to Litigation

1 message

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Wed, Jun 23, 2021 at 12:39 PM

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Anyone who says arbitration is more expensive than litigation must be lost in the woods. The cost of litigation is a tremendous burden and exponentially higher than arbitration. Be smart Senators don't be fooled by what you are being fed. Dr Chris Perez, Dr James Stadler, two of the advocates of current existing arbitration may be in Heaven, but he speaks through me and many of our medical staffs on Guam. We have made tremendous healthcare improvements. Bill 112 is bad medicine and if you truly want accountability, bill 112 is not going to do it. I have helped thousands of patients on Guam and saved many lives, talk to me, I will tell you the truth along with many of our good doctors and nurses on island. We are speaking up because we care about the health status of this island and we cannot let whomever the senators are pushing this bill fool you, it would be unethical to say and ask co sponsors because you were told that us healthcare providers support it, we did not. Bill 112, will cause much more harm than good.

Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG
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By Shieh Clinic

Apologies in advance for typos and grammar.

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On Monday, June 21, 2021, 9:58 PM, Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG [REDACTED]@yahoo.com> wrote:

By the way, all of a sudden so Attny Thompson just received a call to come to the hearing. After I pointed out he was denied prior.

Regardless, the hearing advertisement for June 23 should be corrected. There has to be a disclaimer to the public in print or the legislative body is not being totally truthful in placement of the Ad.

The Disclaimer should read, the "Guam Bar Association as an organization is not being represented at the hearing."

We hold our elective public officials to high ethical standards, and being truthful and not misleading is the hall mark for our good public service to follow. To not correct and not have a disclaimer in the ad is unethical and continuing after the body has been notified would be incredibly setting a double standard.

It's okay to make an error in the ad, but it is not okay to not correct it after being notified of the advertisement's misleading print.

Thank you for listening.

Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG
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On Monday, June 21, 2021, 8:23 PM, Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG [REDACTED]@yahoo.com> wrote:

Dear Speaker

As a public member we disagree with your assertion. By noting GBA in the ad, it is misleading. In addition, attorney Mitch Thompson asked to also present at the informational hearing and he was denied by you. We ask that ads taken with public funds be truthful and if the GBA is listed there should have been a disclaimer on the ad, citing the GBA is not being represented and each member is speaking on their own behalf.

Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG
Board Certified
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On Monday, June 21, 2021, 8:16 PM, Speaker Therese M. Terlaje
<senatorterlajeguam@gmail.com> wrote:

Hafa adai Executive Director Sullivan and to all members of the Guam Medical Association,

This is an informational hearing to inform senators of the current law from a legal perspective. "Members of the Guam Bar Association" is a standard and often used term to describe lawyers who are actually licensed to practice on Guam. In fact, all persons licensed to practice law on Guam are required by Guam law to be members of the Guam Bar Association.

It is within the discretion of my committee to provide an opportunity for lawyers to present the state of the law. In no place in the notice does it claim that any official opinion of the Guam Bar Association Board of Governors will be presented.

Medical professionals are welcome as stated in the ad to provide testimony on July 7th and 12th. I am sure that when any Guam Medical Association members testify, they will clarify if they are speaking on behalf of the entire association or as a practicing member.

Sincerely,
Therese Terlaje

Office of Speaker Therese M. Terlaje

Committee on Health, Land, Justice and Culture

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Press Conference comment Was disappointing on not raising the standard of care

1 message

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Fri, Jun 25, 2021 at 7:16 PM

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Chairperson, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

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RE: Healthcare Chair Press Conference Comment was Wrong

Dear Healthcare Chair Terlaje:

I am disappointed that you stated the following at your press conference today, "The ability of doctors to practice outside their specialty is not considered malpractice today, or if it's not considered malpractice today, **this standard of practice would continue**," in reference to Bill 112-36. Since you now have admitted that this bill will not increase the standard of care for the people of Guam, it is contradictory to your role as healthcare chair and the intent of your legislation is off course to help patients.

As the healthcare chair, you should be communicating and working with healthcare providers to help us make improvements to RAISE the standard of healthcare for the people of Guam. To simply "maintain the standard of practice," is unacceptable. If you want to help patients and save lives, I will

commit my time with the legislative body and work on improving healthcare and access to quality care for the people of this island, but Bill 112-36 is not the answer.

Sincerely,

Thomas Shieh, MD, FACOG

*Board Certified Diplomate, American Board of Obstetrics & Gynecology Fellow
American College of Obstetrics & Gynecology*

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SDA letter to stop medical services

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My wife and I are patients at SDA clinic and we both received this letter today. I don't blame SDA, they are right. Bill 112 is horrible and will harm patients and many good doctors. It won't hold healthcare providers accountable, it will simply cause us to lose good providers on Guam. I will be following a similar letter to all my patients as well. Hopefully all high risk pregnant moms will be able to seek help at public health or at the legislature for prenatal care and delivery. Bill 112 is bad medicine and destructive to Guam's good health providers and ruin access to care.

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June 15, 2021

Re: **Notification of Limitation of Medical Services at Guam Seventh-day Adventist (SDA) Clinic**

The 36th Guam Legislature is scheduled to hold public hearings on Bill 112-36, a bill that will repeal the *Guam Mandatory Medical Malpractice Arbitration Act* (the "arbitration law"). next month.

The Guam SDA Clinic has existed since 1957 to provide patient care to a full spectrum of adult and pediatric patients. As the medical services in Guam are limited, many of our short- and long-term physician do their best to meet your complex clinical needs. At times, the doctors must provide subspecialty care. On the US mainland many of the subspecialty cases would be referred to a subspecialist.

We feel it is our responsibility to deliver high quality care to all patients who come to the SDA clinic. We hope to continue to safely and effectively serve the Guam community for decades to come.

Most unfortunately, in preparation of the possible legislative action, the SDA clinic has had to make a very difficult decision to begin to take actionable steps to focus the care delivered at the clinic to the strict scope of practice of our trained staff.

Practically this means that some of our patients, possible you, might not be able to receive some of the highly complex care you need through the clinic. Rather than providing this care at the Clinic, we are left with no other option to refer subspecialty care to specialists. For many of you, this will mean that you may have to travel off island several times every year to receive your specialty care.

It is our hope that this bill will not pass through the legislature as we believe it will have a negative impact on healthcare delivery in Guam.

Please take the time to educate yourself on this bill and if you feel compelled, then please express your opposition to the bill by writing to your local government representative, writing to your senator, and/or appearing at the scheduled public hearings on July 7 and July 12.

Please do not misunderstand this letter, we want to and will continue to provide general services and specialty services but limited to the strictest scope of practice of our providers.

Yours in health,



Michael Robinson, MD
Medical Director



Victor Shepherd
Chief Executive Officer



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Mon, Jun 28, 2021 at 4:54 AM

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Pay close attention, very true. You called us heroes now you want to sue us? We quickly forget who fought in this pandemic to help the people of Guam. What a shame.



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Senators, here is the updated version. Please share this version and delete the other. **Sorry, I am with Baby Maui.**

Sincerely,

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Dear Senators,

Please see attached. Response to letter from Attorney's "Smoke Screen" letter to Senators

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Anyone who says arbitration is more expensive than litigation must be lost in the woods. The cost of litigation is a tremendous burden and exponentially higher

than arbitration. Be smart Senators don't be fooled by what you are being fed. Dr Chris Perez, Dr James Stadler, two of the advocates of current existing arbitration may be in Heaven, but he speaks through me and many of our medical staffs on Guam. We have made tremendous healthcare improvements. Bill 112 is bad medicine and if you truly want accountability, bill 112 is not going to do it. I have helped thousands of patients on Guam and saved many lives, talk to me, I will tell you the truth along with many of our good doctors and nurses on island. We are speaking up because we care about the health status of this island and we cannot let whomever the senators are pushing this bill fool you, it would be unethical to say and ask co sponsors because you were told that us healthcare providers support it, we did not. Bill 112, will cause much more harm than good.

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By the way, all of a sudden so Attny Thompson just received a call to come to the hearing. After I pointed out he was denied prior.

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We hold our elective public officials to high ethical standards, and being truthful and not misleading is the hall mark for our good public service to follow. To not correct and not have a disclaimer in the ad is unethical and continuing after the body has been notified would be incredibly setting a double standard.

It's okay to make an error in the ad, but it is not okay to not correct it after being notified of the advertisement's misleading print.

Thank you for listening.

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Dear Speaker

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In additional, attorney Mitch Thompson asked to
also present at the informational hearing and he
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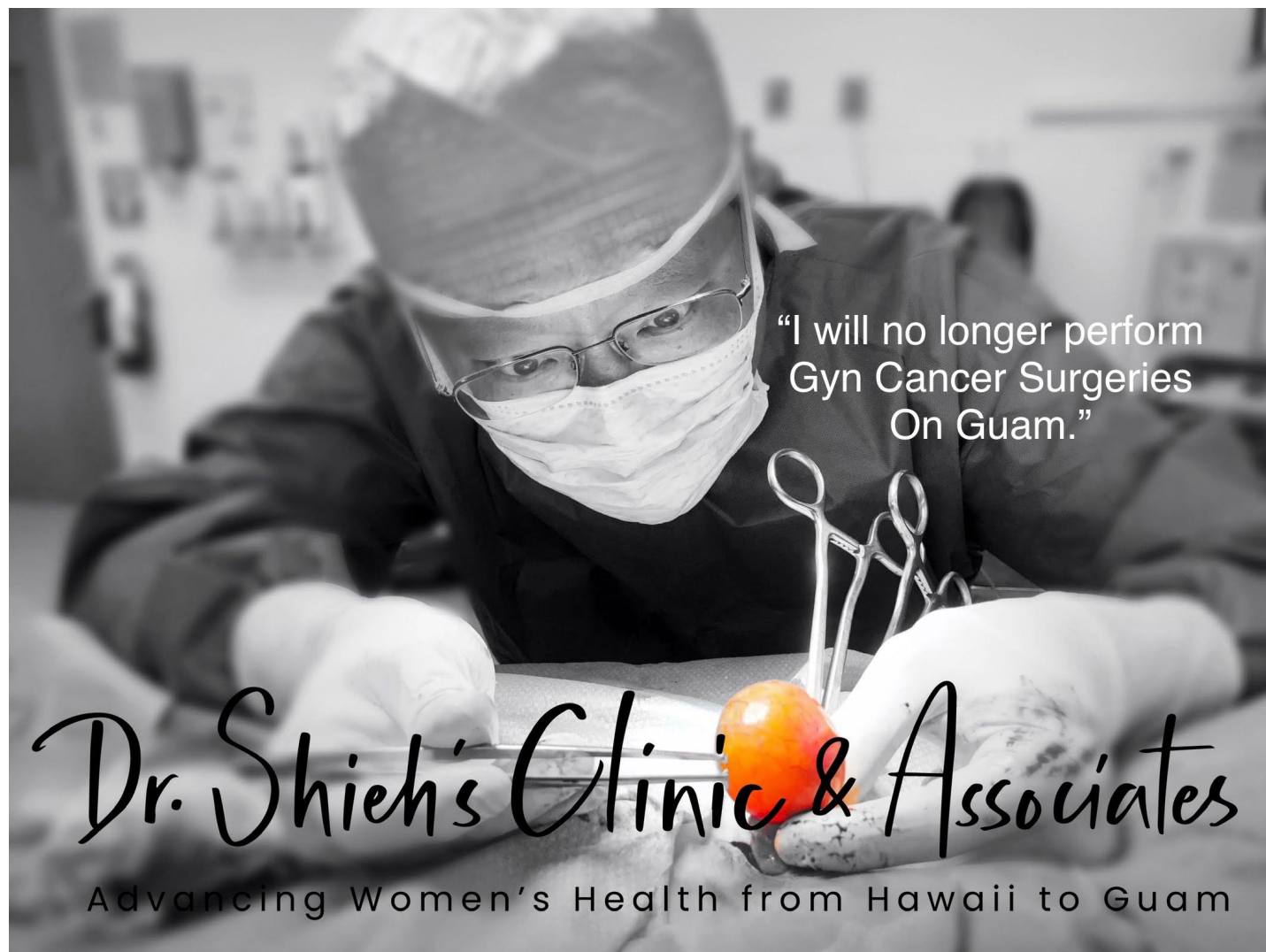
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