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June 23, 2026

Ms. Pamela Toussaint
Associate State Director, Advocacy and Community Outreach
AARP Virgin Islands

Re: Committee Hearing Invitation — Block II: Bill No. 36-0192 — Senior Financial Protection and Promissory Note Abuse Prevention Act of 2025

Dear Ms. Toussaint,

As Chair of the Committee on Culture, Youth, Aging, Sports, and Parks, I respectfully invite you or a designated representative from AARP Virgin Islands to testify during Block II of the Committee hearing scheduled for Friday, July 17, 2026, at the Earle B. Ottley Legislative Hall on St. Thomas.

During Block II, the Committee will consider Bill No. 36-0192, the *Senior Financial Protection and Promissory Note Abuse Prevention Act of 2025*. The proposed legislation seeks to strengthen protections against the financial exploitation of seniors throughout the Virgin Islands.

The Committee respectfully requests testimony regarding senior financial protections, community impact, advocacy efforts, and recommendations to strengthen safeguards for elderly residents throughout the Territory.

Please submit written testimony at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the hearing and kindly notify the Committee of the individual who will appear on behalf of your organization if necessary.

Thank you for your continued advocacy and service on behalf of seniors in the Virgin Islands. I look forward to your participation.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Angel Bolques, Jr." in a cursive style.

Angel Bolques, Jr.
Chair, Committee on Culture, Youth, Aging, Sports, and Parks
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