

**I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
RESOLUTIONS**

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253-36 (LS)	Tina Rose Muña Barnes	Relative to commending Director Stephen Hsu of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Guam (TECO); and to further expressing an <i>Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'áse</i> to him on his exemplary service and accomplishments on Guam and to wishing him the best of luck in his future endeavors.	1/24/22 12:12 p.m.	2/5/22 12:00 p.m.						

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Introduced by:

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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN***
2 ***GUÅHAN*:**

3 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Stephen Hsu, Director of TECO in Tamuning,
4 was born in Lukang Township, Changhua County, Taiwan, on November 24, 1970;
5 and

6 **WHEREAS**, TECO Director Hsu entered the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
7 (MOFA), Government of Taiwan in 2001; and

8 **WHEREAS**, he then served at TECO in Hagåtña, Guam (2006 to 2008), the
9 Republic of the Marshall Islands (2008 to 2011), and Ontario, Canada (2015 to
10 2020); and

11 **WHEREAS**, Director Hsu became the TECO Director in Guam (2020 to
12 2021), where he has served with dignity, honor, and pride, becoming well known
13 and respected here and serving both the people of Taiwan and the people of Guam
14 with distinction; and

15 **WHEREAS**, while serving in Guam, he contributed to the re-opening of the
16 TECO office on October 10, 2020 and during the inaugural year of the re-opening,

1 Director Hsu accomplished an incredible amount of work in his brief time in Guam;
2 and

3 **WHEREAS**, Director Hsu has also promoted Taiwan-Guam economic
4 relations through events such as the 2021 Taiwan-Guam Virtual Economic Summit
5 that culminated in a sister-city partnership between Guam and Taoyuan City,
6 Taiwan; and

7 **WHEREAS**, he has also promoted cultural exchanges between Guam and
8 Taiwan throughout his time in Guam and in events like the 2021 Taiwan-Guam Art
9 Drawing contest to commemorate the 42nd anniversary of the Taiwan Relations Act;
10 and

11 **WHEREAS**, he has helped establish ties between the University of Guam,
12 TECO, and six Taiwanese Universities through the 2021 Taiwan-Guam University
13 Education Summit; and

14 **WHEREAS**, Director Hsu, through TECO, has provided support in helping
15 solve stray animal issues in Guam; and

16 **WHEREAS**, he has helped provide medical patients in Guam with crucial
17 medical treatment and strengthened medical cooperation through the TECO
18 Humanitarian Medical Charter Flight; and

19 **WHEREAS**, he has worked with the Guam Visitor's Bureau to coordinate
20 the #LetTaiwanHelp beach cleanup at Ypao beach in Tumon for Taiwan's
21 participation in the World Health Assembly; and

22 **WHEREAS**, with Director Hsu's guidance, the Guam Taiwan Office was
23 established in Taipei becoming an invaluable line of communication between our
24 two islands that will foster greater economic initiatives, cultural exchanges, and
25 educational opportunities. Moreover, the opening of this new office strengthened
26 Guam and Taipei's nearly fifty years of sister city relationship; and

1 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'trentai Sais Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
2 on behalf of the people of Guam, commend Director Stephen Hsu of the Taipei
3 Economic and Cultural Office in Guam (TECO); and to further expressing an *Un*
4 *Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to him on his exemplary service and accomplishments
5 on Guam and to wishing him the best of luck in his future endeavors; and be it
6 further

7 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest
8 to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the
9 Honorable Stephen Hsu, TECO Director; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon
10 Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

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12 **DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA**
13 **LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE ____ DAY OF JANUARY 2022.**

