## *I MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* 2010 (SECOND) REGULAR SESSION

318-30**Resolution No.** \_\_\_\_ (COR)

Introduced by:

IRAN GUÅHAN SESSION J.P. Guthertz, DPA R.J. Respicio M

Relative to recognizing Guam's Certified Government Financial Managers (CGFM) of the Association of Government Accountants Guam Chapter in honor of CGFM Month March 2010.

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTA

2 NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, the Association of Government Accountants (AGA) is a professional organization with a network of fifteen thousand (15,000) members in over one hundred (100) chapters across the United States and around the world representing state, federal, local and private sector government accountability professionals; and

7 WHEREAS, the AGA Guam Chapter has one hundred sixty-five (165) members 8 who work to uphold AGA's mission of Advancing Government Accountability, as it 9 continues its broad educational efforts, with emphasis on high standards of conduct, 10 honor and character in its *Code of Ethics*, and are making significant advances both in 11 professional ability and in service to the citizens of Guam by mastering increasingly 12 technical and complex requirements, and

WHEREAS, the Certified Government Financial Manager (CGFM) Program of AGA provides a means of demonstrating professionalism and competency by requiring CGFM candidates, twenty-four (24) of which are from the AGA Guam Chapter, to have appropriate education and professional experience, to abide by AGA's *Code of Ethics* and to pass three examinations requiring expertise in Governmental Environment, Governmental Financial Management and Control, and Governmental Accounting,
 Financial Reporting and Budgeting, and requires each CGFM to maintain certification
 by completing at least 80 hours of continuing professional education in government
 financial management topics or related technical subjects every two years; and

WHEREAS, the AGA CGFM Guam team is led by Doreen T. Crisostomo, Ph.D
who is the CGFM Director for the AGA-Guam Chapter and the overall CGFM
Coordinator for the AGA-Pacific Rim; the AGA-Guam Chapter is lead by President Jojo
Guevara III, CGFM and Vice President of the AGA-Pacific Rim, AGA-Guam Chapter,
Zeny Asuncion-Nace, CGFM, CPA, CFE; and

WHEREAS, these dedicated individuals lead a passionate group of people in the government financial management profession, which is characterized by its efforts to achieve common objectives and by its observance of certain fundamental principles; these AGA CGFM members must adhere to ethical requirements to ensure the highest quality of performance and to maintain public confidence in the profession; now, therefore, be it

16 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules, on behalf of *I Mina' Trenta Na*17 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, does hereby recognize Guam's Certified
18 Government Financial Managers (CGFM) of the Association of Government
19 Accountants Guam Chapter in honor of CGFM Month March 2010; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature does attest to, the adoption hereof and that
copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Doreen T. Crisostomo, Ph.D – CGFM
Director, AGA-Guam Chapter & CGFM Coordinator, AGA-Pacific Rim; Jojo Guevara
III, CGFM – President, AGA-Guam Chapter; and Zeny Asuncion-Nace, CGFM, CPA,
CFE – Vice President, AGA-Pacific Rim & AGA-Guam Chapter; and to the Honorable
Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

## DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE \_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_ 2010.

**JUDITH T. WON PAT, ED.D.** Speaker **RORY J. RESPICIO** Chairperson, Committee on Rules

**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES** Secretary of the Legislature