

**I MINA 'TRENTAI KUÅTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
**RESOLUTION STATUS**

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted
302-34 (LS)	FRANK AGUON, JR.	Relative to recognizing and congratulating Outback Steakhouse on the special occasion of its Twentieth (20th) Year Anniversary of serving our island community; and to further expressing a sincere <i>Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'</i> to the staff and management of Outback Steakhouse for providing our visitors and local residents with an outstanding dining experience, and for their commitment to keeping "Customers First" which will continue its success for many years to come.	12/4/17 4:49 p.m.	12/15/17 5:00 p.m.	12/04/17

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Resolution No. 302-34 (LS)

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BE IT RESOLVED BY *IMINA'TRENTAI KUÁTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN*:

**WHEREAS**, Triple J Enterprises, Incorporated is the parent company that owns and operates Outback Steakhouse on Guam; and has served the island community for three (3) decades. The Triple J Group of companies has several major operations, to include the Triple J Auto Group, which represents automobile makers such as Ford, Lincoln, Mazda, Honda, Acura, and Kia; and also operates a used car dealership. The Triple J group also consists of Triple J Commercial Tire, Triple J Rentals, and Five Star Wholesale Foods; and

**WHEREAS**, in December 1995, responding to the growth of the tourism industry, Triple J Enterprises, Incorporated acquired the franchise for Outback Steakhouse on Guam, and started its new division, Triple J Restaurant Group, Incorporated, to develop the new restaurant, which held its grand opening in 1997. An Australian-themed steakhouse restaurant, where beef and steak items make up a good portion of the menu, the Outback Steakhouse concept also offers a variety of chicken, ribs, seafood, and pasta dishes. The Company's strategy is to differentiate its restaurant by emphasizing consistently high quality food and service, generous portions, moderate prices, and a casual atmosphere suggestive of the Australian Outback. The restaurant became an instant popular dining destination for visitors and local residents alike; and

**WHEREAS**, after initially being open only for dinner, in January 2015, Outback Steakhouse Guam opened its doors for lunch and unveiled a new lunch menu; and nationally, seventy percent (70%) of the Outback Steakhouse franchises are open for lunch; and

**WHEREAS**, in April 2017, Outback Steakhouse Guam received the Outback Steakhouse Managing Partner of the Year Award, and was recognized for outstanding performance across a range of categories, with an emphasis on its special talent in keeping up staff momentum and motivation. Triple J Restaurant Group, Inc. was also honored with the Platinum Club Award on its twentieth (20<sup>th</sup>) anniversary; and

**WHEREAS**, always a favorite dining venue for visitors and local residents, Outback Steakhouse starts fresh every day to create the flavors that their mates crave. Best known for its grilled steaks, chicken, and seafood, Outback Steakhouse also offers a wide variety of crisp salads and freshly made soups and side dishes. New creations and grilled classics are made from scratch daily using only the highest quality ingredients sourced from around the world; and

**WHEREAS**, Outback Steakhouse Guam is committed to a strong pledge of high quality with an unwavering dedication to the philosophy of "Customers First" in thought and action. Outback Steakhouse also extends its commitment to respect customers' viewpoints, and to deliver products and services of top quality and impeccable customer service that exceed expectations. Outback Steakhouse pledges continuous efforts to improve and enhance quality and reinforces its community support each and every day; now therefore, be it

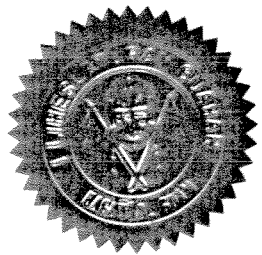
**RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Kuáttro Na Liheslaturan Guáhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Outback Steakhouse on the special occasion of its Twentieth (20<sup>th</sup>) Year Anniversary of serving our island community; and does further express a sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'áse'* to the staff and management of Outback Steakhouse for providing our visitors and local residents with an outstanding dining experience, and for their commitment to keeping "Customers First" which will continue its success for many years to come; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Robert Jones, Chairman & CEO, Triple J Enterprises; to Jeff Jones, President & COO, Triple J Enterprises; to Jay Jones, Senior Vice President, Triple J Enterprises; to Dan Murrell, Senior Vice President, Triple J Enterprises; to Selena Elicio, Proprietor & Managing Partner; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Muga'áhen Guáhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *IMINA'TRENTAI KUÁTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN* ON THE 4<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2017.

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BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ  
Speaker

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THOMAS C. ADA  
Acting Legislative Secretary






Office of  
**SENATOR FRANK B. AGUON, JR.**

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December 7, 2017

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** ALL HONORABLE SENATORS  
**FROM:** SENATOR FRANK B. AGUON, JR.   
**SUBJECT:** Resolution Presentation

*Buenas yan Hafa Adai!*

Your presence is kindly requested at the presentation of **Resolution No. 302-34 (LS)**. Relative to recognizing and congratulating Outback Steakhouse on the special occasion of its Twentieth (20<sup>th</sup>) Year Anniversary of serving our island community; and to further expressing a sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'ase'* to the management and staff for providing our visitors and local residents with an outstanding dining experience.

**Date:** Friday, December 15, 2017  
**Time:** 10:30 AM  
**Place:** Outback Steakhouse  
1411 Pale San Vitores Road, Tamuning

CC: Clerks  
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**Committee Chairman: Guam-US Military Buildup · Infrastructure · Transportation**

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**2017 (FIRST) Regular Session**

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