

I MINA'TRENTAI KUÁTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I**
2 ***MINA 'TRENTAI KUÁTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN:***

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4 **WHEREAS,** Southern High School Army Junior Reserve Officer Training
5 Corps (SHS-AJROTC) was formed with the merging of Inarajan and Oceanview High
6 school in the year 1997. Having seniority over the Warrior Battalion (Inarajan),
7 Oceanview’s Army JROTC mascot continued on in Southern High School; **and**

8 **WHEREAS,** Southern High School’s Army JROTC program was designated
9 as the “Knight” Battalion, carrying colors black and gold; **and**

1 **WHEREAS**, The Knight Battalion’s current enrollment is one hundred
2 ninety-four (194) cadets, twenty-two (22) being graduating seniors; **and**

3 **WHEREAS**, The Knight Battalion’s mission is: “TO MOTIVATE YOUNG
4 PEOPLE TO BE BETTER CITIZENS;” **and**

5 **WHEREAS**, The Knight Battalion’s ultimate goal is: “ALL CADETS
6 GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL;” **and**

7 **WHEREAS**, The Knight Battalion motto is: “ LOOK SHARP! BE SHARP!
8 STAY SHARP! SECOND TO NONE! HOOAH!”; **and**

9 **WHEREAS**, The Southern High School Army JROTC - for their outstanding
10 representation of the island's Public School System and the people of Guam; **and**

11 **WHEREAS**, The Southern High School Army JROTC Knight Battalion cadets
12 are proud of being a part of the Community- Reaching and Team Building Program,;
13 **and**

14 **WHEREAS**, The Southern High School Army JROTC exhibited exemplary
15 discipline, respect, teamwork and esprit de corps by displaying a high caliber of
16 discipline, respect, teamwork, esprit de corps at its finest, to include displaying
17 proficiency ; **and**

18 **WHEREAS**, The SHS-AJROTC Instructors and cadets of the Knight Battalion
19 at Southern High School prepares cadet guide for SHS-ARJROTC cadet usage . It is
20 not a regulation; **and**

21 **WHEREAS**, The Seven Core Army Values are what the SHS-AJROTC
22 Instructors and cadets of the Knight Battalion is all about “Loyalty, Duty, Respect,
23 Selfless Service, Honor, Integrity, Personal Courage”; **and**

24 **WHEREAS**, LOYALTY, Bear true faith and allegiance to the U.S.
25 Constitution, the Army, your unit and other Soldiers. Bearing true faith and allegiance
26 is a matter of believing in and devoting yourself to something or someone. A loyal

1 Soldier is one who supports the leadership and stands up for fellow Soldiers. By
2 wearing the uniform of the U.S. Army you are expressing your loyalty. And by doing
3 your share, you show your loyalty to your unit; **and**

4 **WHEREAS, DUTY** Fulfill your obligations. Doing your duty means more than
5 carrying out your assigned tasks. Duty means being able to accomplish tasks as part of
6 a team. The work of the U.S. Army is a complex combination of missions, tasks and
7 responsibilities — all in constant motion. Our work entails building one assignment
8 onto another. You fulfill your obligations as a part of your unit every time you resist
9 the temptation to take “shortcuts” that might undermine the integrity of the final
10 product; **and**

11 **WHEREAS, RESPECT** Treat people as they should be treated. In the Soldier’s
12 Code, we pledge to “treat others with dignity and respect while expecting others to do
13 the same.” Respect is what allows us to appreciate the best in other people. Respect is
14 trusting that all people have done their jobs and fulfilled their duty. And self-respect is
15 a vital ingredient with the Army value of respect, which results from knowing you
16 have put forth your best effort. The Army is one team and each of us has something to
17 contribute; **and**

18 **WHEREAS, SELFLESS SERVICE** Put the welfare of the nation, the Army
19 and your subordinates before your own. Selfless service is larger than just one person.
20 In serving your country, you are doing your duty loyally without thought of
21 recognition or gain. The basic building block of selfless service is the commitment of
22 each team member to go a little further, endure a little longer, and look a little closer
23 to see how he or she can add to the effort; **and**

24 **WHEREAS, HONOR** , Live up to Army values. Soldiers who develop the
25 of being honorable, and solidify that habit with every value choice they make; **and**

1 **WHEREAS, INTEGRITY**, Do what’s right, legally and morally. Integrity is a
2 quality you develop by adhering to moral principles. It requires that you do and say
3 nothing that deceives others; **and**

4 **WHEREAS, PERSONAL COURAGE**, has long been associated with our
5 Army. With physical courage, it is a matter of enduring physical duress and at times
6 risking personal safety. Facing moral fear or adversity may be a long, slow process of
7 continuing forward on the right path, especially if taking those actions is not popular
8 with others. You can build your personal courage by daily standing up for and acting
9 upon the things that you know are honorable; **and**

10 **WHEREAS**, Community Service - Honor and Color Guard services, village
11 parades, park and coastal clean-ups; Special Olympics; 5K and Guam Marathon
12 support; Salvation Army and other non-profit charity support, etc., Participation in
13 special teams, clubs, and academic activities such as: Color Guard and
14 Unarmed/Armed Drill Team; Marksmanship Team; Academic Challenge Bowl ; **and**

15 **WHEREAS**, ROTC and Service Academy appointments, College scholarships,
16 advanced promotions for military service, Service Learning hours for numerous
17 events and activities; **and**

18 **WHEREAS**, Cadets take the time to serve their community in and out of
19 school following the second core value of service before self; **and**

20 **WHEREAS**, The Senior Army Instructor is a retired Army, Sergeant First
21 Class (Retired) Juan T. King SFC (Ret); and the SHS Army Instructor is Sergeant
22 First Class Celestin Damian. These instructors have extensive professional military
23 education and training, as well as, many years of experience teaching and training
24 others; **now, therefore, be it**

25 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina’ Trentai Kuattro Na*
26 *Lihe slaturan Guãhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihe slaturan Guãhan* and the people

1 of Guam, commend and congratulate Southern High School – Army Junior Reserve
2 Officer Training Corps (SHS-AJROTC). Southern High School, AJROTC “Knight
3 Battalion” is where cadets are proud of being a part of the community reaching and
4 team building program. Cadets follow the Seven Core Army Values are what the
5 SHS-AJROTC Instructors and cadets of the Knight Battalion is all about “Loyalty,
6 Duty, Respect, Selfless Service, Honor, Integrity, Personal Courage”; **and be it**
7 **further**

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9 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
10 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
11 the same be thereafter transmitted to , Southern High School, Army Junior Reserve
12 Officer Training Corps (SHS-AJROTC) Knight Battalion, Senior Instructor - Juan T.
13 King SFC (Ret); and Senior Instructor - Celestin Damian (SFC) now, therefore, be it;
14 and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI KUÁTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 11th
DAY OF March 2017.**

BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ
Speaker

MICHAEL F.Q. SAN NICOLAS
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

RÉGINE BISCOE LEE
Legislative Secretary