#### I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
		Relative to recognizing Mrs. Claudette Forbes for her stewardship to members of the		10/18/19	10/15/19					
227-35 (COR)		"Chamorro Truckers" to be successful in the U.S. trucking industry; and commending her for her support to the people of Guam residing in the United States mainland.	3:05 p.m.	11:30 a.m.	2:06 p.m.					

Resolution No. 227-35 (COR)

Introduced by

Tina Rose Muña Barnes
William M. Castro
Régine Biscoe Lee
Joe S. San Agustin
Kelly Marsh (Taitano), PhD
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Relative to recognizing Mrs. Claudette Forbes for her stewardship to members of the "Chamorro Truckers" to be successful in the U.S. trucking industry; and commending her for her support to the people of Guam residing in the United States mainland.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, people from Guam have been migrating to the United States mainland - the forty-eight (48) contiguous states, as well as Hawai'i and Alaska, for generations; and

WHEREAS, Guam residents often need support and guidance from family and friends to become viable and contributing members of their new communities, regardless of where they choose to live, by gaining employment opportunities that provide sustenance and stability for themselves and their families to fulfill their dreams and enrich their lives; and

WHEREAS, the ability of our island's residents to achieve these universally-lauded goals also improves the lives of the people of Guam by giving their families the comfort in knowing that their loved ones are not in need of food, shelter, and other necessities; and that they are accepted and aided by others to ensure the next generation of lineage and growth; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Claudette Forbes, a resident of Gastonia, North Carolina, and thirty-nine (39) year career veteran in the trucking and transportation field, has been a facilitator, assistant, mentor, supporter, and advisor to dozens of men and women from Guam in achieving these laudable goals; and

WHEREAS, Claudette began working with a number of Chamorros, guiding their entry into the trucking profession, and she was able to coach and connect former Guam residents who traveled to the United States to seek just such opportunities; and

WHEREAS, Claudette spent an inordinate amount of her time with people from Guam, helping them to understand and navigate through the sometimes confusing and daunting culture that runs through the trucking industry; as well as coming to terms with the various mores and values or customs in various parts of the country; and

WHEREAS, Claudette's assistance to the people from Guam to initiate and complete their training, and to network and apply for trucking careers, and being available for them at all hours of the day and night to overcome problems, have enabled untold numbers of family members and their providers to gain respectable and safe careers, earn wages that provide for their needs and wants, as well as giving the new truckers originally from Guam a satisfying and proud vocation that they can capitalize on for many years to come; and

WHEREAS, Claudette's support has bolstered the efforts of the "Chamorro Truckers," a respected organization of men and women that hail from and love the island of Guam, who have established themselves to be among the most accomplished and professional truckers in the U.S. mainland, as she had introduced and helped in the payment for commercial driving and trucking education that has enabled people from Guam to achieve successful trucking careers, and who strive to achieve the very same ideals CHamorus and people from Guam have always embodied, which is inafa'maolek (to make better); now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of I Mina' trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guâhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guâhan and the people of Guam, recognize Mrs. Claudette Forbes for her stewardship to members of the "Chamorro Truckers" to be successful in the U.S. trucking industry; and commend her for her support to the people of Guam residing in the United States mainland; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chair of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Claudette Forbes; to Charles Edward Tenorio, "Chamorro Truckers"; to Mrs. Laura Rahier, Director of Enterprise Student & Driver Relations; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, I Maga'hågan Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINATRENTAL SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER 2019.

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Presentation of Resolution No. 227-35 (COR)

October 16, 2019

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

All Honorable Senators

35<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

FROM:

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes

RE:

Presentation of Resolution No. 227 - 35(COR)

Bueñas yan Hafa Adai,

Your presence is kindly requested at the presentation for **Resolution No. 227-35 (COR)**- "Relative to recognizing Mrs. Claudette Forbes for her stewardship to members of the "*Chamorro* Truckers" to be successful in the U.S. trucking industry; and commending her for her support to the people of Guam residing in the United States mainland."

The presentation will take place on Friday, October 18, 2019 at the Guam Congress Building, Speaker's Conference Room at 11:30AM. We look forward to your attendance and participation.

## I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2019 (FIRST) Regular Session

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DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER 2019.

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES

Speaker

RÉGINE BISCOE LEE Chair, Committee on Rules

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Legislative Secretary

Senator Régine Biscoe Lee Chair

Senator Amanda L. Shelton, Vice Chair

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes, Member

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Senator Kelly Marsh (Taitano), PhD, Member

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Senator Therese M. Terlaje, Member

Senator James C. Moylan, Member

Senator Mary Camacho Torres, Member and Chair, Subcommittee on Protocol

# COMMITTEE ON RULES AL SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅ

I MINA TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 35<sup>TH</sup> GUAM LEGISLATURE

#### **COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET**

**Resolution No. 227-35 (COR)** – **Tina Rose Muña Barnes.** – "Relative to recognizing Mrs. Claudette Forbes for her stewardship to members of the "*Chamorro* Truckers" to be successful in the U.S. trucking industry; and commending her for her support to the people of Guam residing in the United States mainland."

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Vice-Speaker Telena Cruz Nelson Member	Via E-vote	10   15   19	V			
Senator Kelly Marsh (Taitano), PhD Member						
Senator Sabina Flores Perez Member	viu E-vote	10/15/19	<b>V</b>			
Senator Clynton E. Ridgell Member	via E-vote	10/15/19	<b>V</b>			
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member	Ma-E-vote	10   15   19	V			
Senator Jose "Pedo" Terlaje Member	via Evote	10/15/19	<b>V</b>			
Senator Therese M. Terlaje Member						
Senator James C. Moylan Minority Member						
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