

I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTIONS

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380-35 (COR)	Tina Rose Muña Barnes	Relative to recognizing and commending Colonel Allan F. P. Cruz for forty (40) years of exemplary and meritorious service in the U.S. Marine Corps, and further congratulating him on his recent election as Commander General of The Naval Order of the United States of America.	9/24/20 1:32 p.m.	TBA						

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2020 (SECOND) Regular Session

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Introduced by:

Tina Rose Muña Barnes 

Relative to recognizing and commending Colonel Allan F. P. Cruz for forty (40) years of exemplary and meritorious service in the U.S. Marine Corps, and further congratulating him on his recent election as Commander General of The Naval Order of the United States of America.

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

WHEREAS, Colonel Allan F.P. Cruz is a former resident of Guam, the son of the late Alejandro Pereira Cruz, survivor of the attack on the USS Robert L. Barnes on December 8, 1941, who served on active duty as a Chief Yeoman, USN, as well as Master Sergeant, USAF, and Rosa Eclavea Perez Cruz former teacher at the Guam Institute; and

WHEREAS, Colonel Cruz attended Tumon Junior High School and graduated from John F. Kennedy High School in 1964; and San Francisco State University with a degree in Electrical Engineering. He had a distinguished career as a nuclear test engineer with Admiral Rickover's Naval Nuclear Propulsion Systems Program, and served as Vice President with Enova Engineering Services, a nuclear engineering consulting firm; and served as the Vice President with Radiance Services Company, and worked as a Project Director for ABB Energy Systems; and

1 **WHEREAS**, he enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in 1965; and served with
2 distinction on active duty in Vietnam as an enlisted artilleryman, and later as a Reserve
3 officer activated to serve during Desert Shield/Desert Storm and again during Operation
4 Enduring Freedom and Iraq Freedom. He also acted as Assistant Chief of Staff
5 (Logistics) for the I Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Pendleton until he retired with
6 the rank of Colonel in 2005; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Allan Cruz has been active in military organizations, and held
8 several leadership roles including: President, Marine Corps Reserve Officers
9 Association; President I Marine Division Association, San Francisco Chapter,
10 Commandant, Marine Corps League, Mt. Diablo Detachment; President of Board of
11 Trustees, Veterans Memorial Building, Lafayette, and currently lives in Walnut Creek,
12 California with his wife Susan Ford Cruz. His son Nathan Cruz is a Senior Policy
13 Analyst for the Port of San Francisco. His other son Brian Cruz is a Lieutenant
14 Commander in the U.S. Naval Reserve and is currently working for the U.S. National
15 Security Agency.

16 **WHEREAS**, Colonel Allan Cruz was elected to serve as 2020-2021 Commander
17 General of The Naval Order of the United States of America, an organization founded
18 in 1890 which promotes research in naval and maritime interests; and the protection of
19 maritime and naval artifacts and history; and

20 **WHEREAS**, Colonel Cruz also donated his personal lifetime collection of over
21 two thousand military history books in 2018 to the library of the National Museum of
22 the Pacific War in Fredricksburg, Texas; and

23 **WHEREAS**, *I Mina'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* wishes to recognize
24 the numerous accomplishments of Colonel Cruz; now, therefore be it

25 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Singko Na*
26 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby recognize and commend Colonel Allan F. P. Cruz

1 for his forty (40) years of exemplary and meritorious service in the U.S. Marine Corps,
2 and further congratulate him on his recent election as Commander General of The Naval
3 Order of the United States of America; be it further;

4 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
5 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
6 the same be thereafter transmitted to Colonel Allan Cruz; to the Naval Order of the
7 United States; to his brother Attorney Robert Cruz, his sister Rosita Cruz, and his sister
8 Catherine Cruz Simpson, Hawaii Public Radio, and to the Honorable Lourdes Leon
9 Guerrero, *I Maga'hāgan Guāhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUĀHAN* ON THE OF 2020.

TINA ROSE MUÑA-BARNES
Speaker

RÉGINE BISCOE LEE
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary