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35GL-19-1109	Anthony P. Benavente	Member	Civil Service Commission	10/14/19	Six (6) Years; October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2025 To fill the seat of Julie L. Quinata, whose term has expired	Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup	10/15/19	11/4/19 10:30 a.m.	11/12/19 8:46 a.m.		

November 6, 2019

The Honorable Régine Biscoe Lee
Chairperson, Committee on Rules
I Mina'trentai Singko na Liheslaturan Guåhan
35<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature
Guam Congress Building
163 Chalan Santo Papa
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

RE: Committee Report on the appointment of Anthony Perez Benavente; Member, Civil Service Commission

Dear Chairperson Biscoe Lee:

Transmitted herewith is the Committee Report on the appointment of Anthony Perez Benavente to serve as a Member of the Civil Service Commission which was referred to the Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup.

Committee votes are as follows"

TO CONFIRM
TO NOT CONFIRM
TO REPORT OUT ONLY
TO ABSTAIN
TO PLACE IN INACTIVE FILE

Si Yu'os Ma'åse',

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES

Chairperson

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# **COMMITTEE REPORT**

# Nomination of Anthony Perez Benavente

As Member of the Civil Service Commission to fill the expired term of Julie L. Quinata (October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2025)

### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

All Members

FROM:

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes

Chairperson, Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam

Buildup

**SUBJECT:** 

Committee Report on the appointment of Anthony Perez Benavente

Transmitted herewith for your consideration is the Committee Report on the appointment of Anthony Perez Benavente to serve as a member of the Civil Service Commission.

This report includes the following:

- Referral of the Appointment
- Appointment Letter to the Speaker
- Appointment Packet & Supporting Documents
- Notices of Public Hearing
- Public Hearing Agenda
- Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- Submitted Testimony and Supporting Documents
- Committee Report Digest
- Committee Report Vote Sheet

Please take the appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES

Chairperson

Senator Regine Biscoe Lee Chair

Senator Amanda L. Shelton, Vice Chair

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes, Member

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Senator Therese M. Terlaje, Member

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## **MEMO**

To:

Rennae Meno

Clerk of the Legislature

Attorney Ana Won Pat-Borja Legislative Legal Counsel

From:

Senator Régine Biscoe Lee

Chair, Committee on Rules

Re:

Referral of Appointment

Buenas yan Håfa adai.

As Chair of the Committee on Rules, I am forwarding the referral of the following appointment:

Appointee:

Anthony P. Benavente

Position:

Member, Civil Service Commission

Term Length:

Six (6) Years; October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2025

To fill the seat of Julie L. Quinata, whose term has expired

The appointee's nomination packet may be referenced in the Guam Legislature's website at <a href="http://guamlegislature.com/index/messages-and-communications/">http://guamlegislature.com/index/messages-and-communications/</a>. Please refer to the follow document:

"35GL-19-1109 — Office of the Governor of Guam — Appointment and Supporting Documents for Anthony P. Benavente, Member, Civil Service Commission."

Please ensure that the aforementioned appointment is referred to the Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup, chaired by Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Mary Maravilla, Committee on Rules Director at 472-2461.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

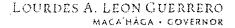
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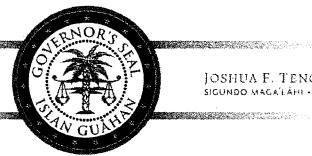
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35 GL-19-1109 Speaker Tina Rose Muña Bames

October 14, 2019

Honorable Tina Muna Barnes Speaker I Mina'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guåhan Guam Congress Building 163 Chalan Santo Papa Hagatna, Guam 96932

TO THE STATE OF THE STATE OF

RE: **Board Appointment** 

Dear Madame Speaker:

By virtue of the authority vested in me pursuant to the Organic Act of Guam and the local laws applicable to the following position, I am pleased to transmit the following appointment and supporting documents for:

APPOINTEE:

Anthony P. Benavente

POSITION:

Member, Civil Service Commission

TERM LENGTH:

Six (6) Years; October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2025

To fill the seat of Julie L. Quinata, whose term has expired

The appointment is subject to the consent of I Liheslaturan Guåhan. Please schedule a hearing at your earliest convenience.

Senseramente.

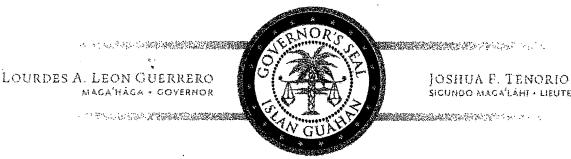
LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO

I Maga'hågan Guåhan Governor of Guam

cc:

Lt. Governor of Guam

### UFISINAN I MAGA'HÅGA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR



SICUNDO MAGA'LAHI . LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

October 14, 2019

Anthony P. Benavente

Dear Mr. Benavente:

Pursuant to my authority under 4 GCA § 4401(a), I am appointing you to serve as a

MEMBER, CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION Term Length: Six (6) Years; October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2025 To fill the seat of Julie L. Quinata, whose term has expired

Appointing you to this position comes with great responsibility because you will have a vital role to perform which will place many demands on your time and energy. Integrity and honesty are virtues that I prioritize for my Administration to exemplify, and I know that you will do the same while in service to the people of Guam. Your responsibilities shall be significant and consequential. I trust that you will fulfill your duties and set a standard for others to follow.

I appreciate your willingness to serve in this position, and I am confident that your time will be spent in a manner to improve the island of Guam.

This appointment is subject to the advice and consent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Office of the Governor.

Senseramente,

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO

I Maga'hågan Guåhan

Governor of Guam

Lt. Governor of Guam cc:

Chairman, Civil Service Commission

RICARDO I, BORDALLO GOVERNOR S COMPLEX - HAGÁTÑA, GUAM 96910 PO BOX 2950 - HAGATNA GUAM 96932 671.472 8931 + 671.472 8932/6

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO Governor



JOSHUA F. TENORIO
Lieutenant Governor

# OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF GUAM Nomination and Appointment Information Sheet

The following information is required for submission to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* in accordance with Title 4, Guam Code Annotated Section 2103

NOMINEE INFORMATION	•			
Last Name	First Name			Middle Initial
BENAVENTE	ANTHONY			Р
Mailing Address				Apartment/Unit #
City	State		Zip Co	de
Phone	E-mail Address			
Position to which Appointment is Made	?			
Member, Civil Service Commission				
Are you a citizen of the United States?	Yes 🗸	No 🗌		- Maria - April
If no, are you authorized to work in the	United States? Yes	No 🔲		

### **EDUCATION**

SCHOOL (Name, City and State)	DATES OF ATTENDANCE	TYPE OF DEGREE	YEAR EARNED	
<i>High School</i> John F. Kennedy High School, Guam		High School Diploma	1972	
College				
University of Guam	•	BS	1990	
Graduate School				
Other Degree	,			

### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY** Name of Present/Last Employer and Mailing Address Position Title IT&E/IP&E **Human Resources Manager** Tamuning, Guam Dates Held 5/2008 - 6/2017 **Previous Employer and Mailing Address** Position Title StavWell Insurance Human Resources Director Hagatna, Guam Dates Held 6/1999 - 4/2008 **Previous Employer and Mailing Address Position Title** Guam Community College Human Resources Administrator Government of Guam Dates Held 2/1994 - 6/1999 Previous Employer and Mailing Address **Position Title** Department of Administration Emp-Management Relations Officer II Office of Personnel Management Dates Held Government of Guam 1975 - 1994 **Previous Employer and Mailing Address** Position Title Dates Held PRIOR GOVERNMENT OF GUAM SERVICE **Agency or Department Name** Position Title Phone No. Dates Held **Address** Agency or Department Name Position Title Phone No. Dates Held Address

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COMMUNITY / CIVIC INVOLVEM	IENT		
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List any published articles, papers del	livered at professional	meetings, etc.:	
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BRANCH	DATES OF SERVICE	DISCHARGE	TYPE OF DISCHARGE
OTHER INFORMATION			
(1) Have you ever been found guilty	y of a felony in any co	urt, whether withi	n or without the United States
Yes No V If so, pleas	se specify in detail:	,	
Address of the Court:			
Date(s) of Conviction:	:	·	
Specific Infraction Committed: _			

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(2) Have you ever been declared mentally incompetent by any court, whether within or without United States?								
	Yes 🔲	No 🗸	If so, please specify in detail the reasons and facts related to such declaration:					
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	Have you insanity?	ever been	found not guilty or not punishable in any criminal proceedings by reason of					
	Yes 🔲	No 🗹						
(4)	Have you	ever been	confined to a mental institution for any reason?					
	Yes   not suffer	No ☑ ing from a	If so, please specify in why the appointing authority believes you that you are ny mental illness or affliction:					
			<u> </u>					

LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO

Governor



JOSHUA F. TENORIO
Lieutenant Governor

### OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF GUAM

### **Statement of Financial Interests**

(Required by 4 G.C.A. §13104.1)

TO:	The Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerre Governor of Guam Ricardo J. Bordallo Governor's Complex Adelup, Guam 96910	
FROM:	Anthony P. Benavente	
	I have no financial interest in any b	pusiness
	☐ I do have interest(s) in the followin	g business(es):
NAME /	AND ADDRESS OF BUSINESS INTEREST	TYPE AND AMOUNT OF INTEREST
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	Anthony P. Benavente	18/10/19
	Signature	Date

### AFFIDAVIT / DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

I, the undersigned, do hereby depose and say that: (1) I have read and reviewed the information contained in the attached Appointment/Nomination letter from the Governor of Guam; (2) that the matters contained in the Appointment/Nomination letter, together with all attachments thereto, are true and correct and that I am competent to testify to said matters; and (3) that this Declaration is made for the purpose of complying with the requirements of 4 G.C.A. Section 2103.5.

l declare under	· penalty of perjury under t	ne laws of Guam (4 G.C.A	. Section 4308) that the forego	ing is true and
correct.				
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Print Name and Signature



# SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM

Guam Judicial Center • 120 West O'Brien Drive • Hagatña, Guam 96910

Telephone (671) 475-3370/475-3449 Fax (671) 472-2856

**DANIELLE T. ROSETE**Clerk of Court

**Criminal Cases:** 

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Name:	<b>ANTHONY</b>	<b>PEREZ</b>	BENA\	/ENTF

SS#:

ID# Guam DL:

Date of Birth:

### **CERTIFICATE OF SEARCH**

Civil Cases:

The undersigned Clerk hereby certifies the following results of a diligent search of the records of this Court:

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Dated: 10/10/2019

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DANIELLE T. ROSETE

**Clerk of Court** 

5.

BY: FRANCES A.P. FERNANDEZ

**Deputy Clerk** 

Prepared By: fapf



### Government of Guam . GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT **RECORDS & IDENTIFICATION SECTION**

P.O. Box 23909 Guam Main Facility, Guam 96921



October 10, 2019

CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD

NAME:	Anthony	Perez BENAVENTE		
DATE OF	BIRTH:		FINGERPRINT#:	
		dual has no record o	f criminal conviction(s) in the to Guam law.	Guam Police
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By Direction: vbc

STEPHEN C. IGNACIO **Chief of Police** 

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### FIRST NOTICE of Public Hearing - November 4, 2019 at 10:30AM

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Speaker's Office <speaker@guamlegislature.org>

Fri, Oct 25, 2019 at 9:55 AM

To: Speaker Tina Rose Muna Barnes <speaker@guamlegislature.org>

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av@quamlegislature.org, phnotice@guamlegislature.org, protocol@guamlegislature.org

Bcc: Dan Leon Guerrero <ddddlg53@gmail.com>, dnsanford@gmail.com, jsmithguam@gmail.com, pmblas@ite.net, tonychedo@yahoo.com

October 25, 2019

### MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Senators, Media, and Stakeholders

FROM:

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes

SUBJECT: FIRST NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 2019

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Sinseru yan Minagåhet,





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### Updated Public Hearing Notice

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Mon, Oct 28, 2019 at 11:16 AM

To: Speaker Tina Rose Muna Barnes <speaker@guamlegislature.org>

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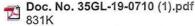
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To: Speaker's Office <speaker@guamlegislature.org>

Mon, Oct 28, 2019 at 11:27 AM

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# Office of the Speaker TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES I Mina' Trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guahan



October 25, 2019

### MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Senators, Media, and Stakeholders

FROM:

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes

SUBJECT:

FIRST NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 2019

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### SECOND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 2019

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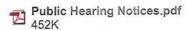


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# **AGENDA**

Monday, November 4, 2019 Confirmation and Public Hearing

- Appointment of **John A. Smith** as Member of the Civil Service Commission; to serve a term of six (6) years.
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Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup

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November 4, 2019

The Honorable Tina Muna Barnes Speaker, 35th Guam Legislature I Mina 'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guahan Guam Congress Building 163 Chalan Santo Papa Hagatna, Guam 96932

Re: Testimony in Support for the Legislative Confirmation of Mr. Anthony P. Benavente as Commissioner for the Civil Service Commission

### Hafa Adai:

Honorable Madame Speaker Tina Muna Barnes, and distinguished Senators of the Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup.

I am here to testify in favor of the appointment of Mr. Anthony P. Benavente to the Civil Service Commission Board. The Maga'hagan Guahan, Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, appointed Mr. Anthony P. Benavente to serve as member of the Civil Service Commission Board. Mr. Benavente's appointment is a testimony of his work experience in the human resources field in both the government, and in the public sector and a validation to his performance, and commitment.

Mr. Benavente worked for the Human Resources Division, Department of Administration as an Employment Management Labor Relations Officer for 19 years; Human Resources Administrator, Guam Community College for 5 years; Human Resources Director, Stay Well Insurance for 9 years; and Human Resources Manager for IT&E/IP& for 19 years.

Honorable Tina Muna Barnes

Speaker, 35<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

Re: Testimony in Support of Anthony P. Benavente
as Commissioner for the Civil Service Commission

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Mr. Benavente earned a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Guam in Public Administration. He received training in Labor Contract Negotiations, Labor Management Relations, EEO, Fair Labor Standards, ADAA, Labor Laws, and HIPPA. His many accomplishments include a Professional Human Resources-Certified, Awarded Doc Sanchez Scholarship, a member of the National Society for Human Resources Management, and a member of the Guam Chapter, Society for Human Resources Management.

I also had the opportunity to work with Mr. Benavente at the time he was employed with the Human Resources Division of the Department of Administration. Based on our interaction, I can affirm that Mr. Benavente exhibited fine qualities of an excellent employee. He possess a strong work ethics, dependable, positive attitude, self-motivated, and team oriented.

It is a "win-win" for the government and the community for such an exceptional and qualified candidate to serve as a Commissioner to the Civil Service Commission. I most definitely support Mr. Benavente's confirmation as Commissioner to the Civil Service Commission. He will be a truly positive contributor to our mission.

Un Dangkolo No SI Yu'os Ma'ase!

Daniel D. Leon Guerrero

Executive Director, Civil Service Commission

ce: Luis R. Baza, Chairman Civil Service Commission Juan K. Calvo, Vice-Chairman, Civil Service Commission Anthony P. Benavente

### November 4, 2019

The Honorable Tina Muna Barnes Speaker, 35th Guam Legislature Guam Congress Building 163 Chalan Santo Papa Hagatna, Guam 96932

Re: Nomination of Anthony P. Benavente to the Civil Service Commission Board

Honorable Madame Speaker Tina Muna Barnes, and distinguished Senators of the Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup. Buenas and Hafa Adai.

Thank you for holding this hearing on my appointment to the Civil Service Commission Board. I would like to extend my gratitude to Governor Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero; the Civil Service Commission Chairperson, Mr. Luis R. Baza; Vice-Chairperson, Mr. John K. Calvo; and Mr. Daniel D. Leon Guerrero, CSC Executive Director for their confidence and support.

I am deeply honored to be appearing here today before this Committee. I am hopeful that with my training and background in human resources, you will consider my appointment as a positive and valued addition to the Civil Service Commission Board. I am very happy to say that I have the approval and full support of my loving wife Patricia to do this.

In a nutshell without restating what you already have in my nomination and appointment information, I believe that I have the pertinent knowledge to be a positive contributor to the CSC Board. I will rely on my experience in human resource working for large organizations in both the public and private sector and especially at the Department of Administration where I had the privilege to work with the Civil Service Commission staff and leadership on fundamental issues.

Over my career, I believe that I have demonstrated strong work ethics and a commitment to uphold ethical and professional standards in human resource. I advanced my mastery in the practice of human resource management through testing and passing a professional human resource certification program and subsequently receiving a PHR designation. I maintained my membership with the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) at the national level and Guam Chapter, participated in the annual SHRM conferences, and supplemented my professional growth with trainings in a variety of HR subjects annually. If confirmed, I will try in every way to justify the support and faith given me.

In keeping with this brief introduction, it is my pleasure to answer your questions for me regarding this appointment.

Thank you again for giving me this opportunity and I look forward to your favorable consideration.

Yours truly,

NTHONY P. BENAVENTE

Nominee

cc: CSC Chairperson, Luis R. Baza

CSC Vice-Chairperson, John K. Calvo

CSC Executive Director, Daniel D. Leon Guerrero

Honorable Tina Muna Barnes Speaker Thirty-Fifth Guam Legislature Guam Congress Building 163 Chalan Santo Papa Hagatna, Guam 96910

Re: Appointment of Mr. Anthony P. Benavente to serve as a member of the Civil Service Commission

Dear Madam Speaker, Senators and Members of the Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources and the Guam Build Up:

I, as well as other Commissioners of the Civil Service Commission, are again very delighted with the appointment of Mr. Benavente. As you are well aware, the Civil Service Commission plays a vital role in managing the merit system of the government of Guam. We take our role and responsibilities seriously and have spent many long hours going over the matters presented before us. A full complement of board members has always been helpful in the discussions of the issues and coming to a vote. This appointment will complete our 7th Board Member of the CSC ... and I want to "Thank" Governor Lou Leon Guerrero and Lt. Governor Josh Tenorio for Mr. Benavente's appointment and their support to the Civil Service Commission and their drive for supporting the Merit System in our Government.

The nomination of Mr. Benavente to the Civil Service Commission is again one of those appointments that is an excellent fit. Mr. Benavente brings to the table his educational experience (BA in Public Administration) with vast experience as a Human Resources Practitioner with the Department of Administration's Employee Management Relations Office and Human Resources Manager for GCC, until he retired after 24 years of public service. Thereafter, Mr. Benavente worked as an HR Manager for Stay Well Insurance Company and ITE/IPE with a total of 28 years in the Private Sector. Thus, with his personnel related experiences, he understands that there are times that there is a need to ensure discipline in the workplace, while ensuring that personnel matters are handled correctly.

I would like to strongly recommend Mr. Anthony P. Benavente to you for your kind consideration to be the next Civil Service Commissioner.

Therefore I, as well as other Commissioners of CSC wholeheartedly endorse Mr. Benavente's appointment. Thank you and Si Yu'os Ma'ase!

Sincerely,

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Chairman

Civil Service Commission

The Honorable Tina Muna Barnes
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**Re:** In Support of Confirming Mr. Anthony P. Benavente ("Tony") as a Board Member with Civil Service Commission

**Buenas yan Saludo,** Madam Speaker, Senators and Members of the Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources and the Guam Build Up.

Our Governor, Lou Leon Guerrero and Lt. Governor, Josh Tenorio, had appointed Mr. Anthony P. Benavente as a Board Member with the Civil Service Commission to fill the last vacant position as required by law. The Civil Service Commission is composed of 7 board members with 4 affirmative votes to hear and adjudicate administrative cases. If Tony is confirmed by our 35th Guam Legislature, all pending and future cases will be address immediately because the four (4) affirmative votes would be secured.

Tony and I worked together at the Department of Administration, Human Resources Division for over 13 years. While I was supervising Classification and Compensation Branch, Tony was overseeing the mission, mandates and function of Employee – Management Relations Branch. Tony is very knowledgeable in Human Resources personnel rules and regulations, laws and policy and procedures. Thereafter, Tony applied and was promoted to a vacant position, Personnel Services Administrator at Guam Community College ("GCC"). After working for GCC for several years, he subsequently retired with the Government of Guam. After his retirement, Tony pursued his dream of working with private firm landing himself as Chief Human Resource at Stay Well Insurance Company for several years and finally retired.

Tony is ready, willing and able to be a member with the Civil Service Commission. With his human resources background both public and private, civil service employees and management would continue receiving a fair and balance decision making process as mandated under the Merit System. I therefore, support the confirmation of Anthony P. Benavente as a Board Member of Civil Service Commission. *Sen Dangkulo na Si Yu'us Ma'ase*.

### Senseramente,

### JUAN K. CALVO



Speaker's Office <speaker@guamlegislature.org>

### Written Testimonies of John Smith and Anthony Benavente as CSC Board

1 message

Juan Calvo < jkcalvo1@yahoo.com> To: Speaker's Office <speaker@guamlegislature.org> Mon, Nov 11, 2019 at 12:19 PM

Hafa Adai! Amanda,

As requested, attached is the written testimonies in support of the subject nominees for CSC Board before the Speaker and Committees.

Any questions on the matter, feel free to call on me at 483.8117 or email me at jkcalvo1@yahoo.com.

Adios

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### COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

### I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Public Accountability, Human Resources, and the Guam Buildup convened a public hearing on Monday, November 4, 2019 beginning at 10:30AM in *I Liheslatura's* Public Hearing Room. Items on the Agenda was the consideration of the appointment of Anthony Perez Benavente to serve as a Member of the Civil Service Commission and whose appointment history is as follows:

- Appointed by I Maga'hagan Guahan on October 14, 2019 to fill the expired term of Julie L. Quinata (October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2025).
- Appointment packet forwarded to *I Liheslatura* on October 14, 2019.
- Appointment packet forwarded to this committee for public consideration on October 15, 2019.

### **Public Notice Requirements**

Public Hearing notices were disseminated via e-mail to all senators and all main media broadcasting outlets on Friday, October 25, 2019 (5-Day Notice), and again on Wednesday, October 30, 2019 (48-Hour Notice).

### **Senators Present**

Senator Kelly G. Marsh (Taitano), Ph.D., Vice Chairperson

### II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY & DISCUSSION

The public hearing was called to order at 10:35 AM. Acting Chairperson Senator Kelly Marsh (Taitano) presented the agenda items that would be heard during the hearing. The appointment of Anthony Perez Benavente to serve as a Member of the Civil Service Commission was the second item on the agenda.

**Senator Marsh (Taitano):** Okay, let's go ahead and start our hearing for Mr. Anthony P. Benavente as a member of the Civil Service Commission. I see many of the people here to testify, maybe I went ahead of myself by excusing you, because you're coming right back. So, I appreciate your being here to also testify for Mr. Benavente.

So some of the people are here in support and several here are here to provide written testimony, so for those that are providing written testimony from Mr.Benavente, I'll read the names and those that are going to be testifying if you can now, I feel kind of badly that I sent you back, but if you can come sit forward – Miss. Priscilla Tuncap, Juan Calvo, Amelia rice,

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Daniel Leon Guerrero, Anthony Benavente, Luis Baza and then we have a couple who are here for support, Mr. Eric Miller and Roland Ferejan.

But so in the order of this sign-up sheet we have Mr. Juan Calvo signed up first, so if you could go ahead and begin your testimony and then start by stating your name and then moving on to the testimony.

Juan Calvo, Vice Chairperson, CSC: Si yu'os ma'ase Vice Speaker Senator Taitano. My name is Juan K. Calvo here in support of confirming Mr. Anthony P. Benavente also known as Tony, I call him Ton, as a board member with the Civil Service Commission. Buenas and (Filipino word). Please see attached written testimony.

Senator Marsh (Taitano): It's good to hear that we have the potential to getting the Commission fully embattled giving you really the tools necessary, so that is very good to hear and Mr. Benavente if he moves forward would be just the person to do that and it is good to hear of his Human Resources background, I think, that's very important that we have a variety of background. Mr. Smith previously has more managerial background to my understanding and then here we have the Human Resources side, so I think this gives us the diversity on the Commission to understand the many issues that are involved in some of these what are probably complex cases and of course, working towards a fair and balanced decision is absolutely what we want to be having occur with these sorts of cases and Saina Ma'âse Mr. Benavente for considering this position while you've been retired. They often say that once one retires you're actually even busier than when you used to work so hopefully we'll will be fair to you but we thank you very much for considering spending some of your time that way. We'll now go ahead and move on to Mr. Leon Guerrero. If you could start by stating your name again.

Daniel Leon Guerrero, Director, CSC: Håfa adai, my name is Daniel Leon Guerrero. I'm the Executive Director of the Civil Service Commission and here to testify for the appointment of Mr. Anthony Benavente. Please see attached written testimony.

Senator Marsh (Taitano): Hagu Mase. So, it's I must say Mr. Benavente, Saina Ma'åse for accepting with such enthusiasm as Mr. Leon Guerrero expressed absolutely is absolutely wonderful, I am sure. So, I thank you for that and to hear Mr. Leon Guerrero described you as exceptional. Definitely going through your application, you're extremely well qualified we see with a lot of training and a lot of experience, a lot of background, so those all work very much in your favor. So with that we'll go ahead and move on to Mr. Baza if you could start by stating your name.

Luis Baza, Chairperson, CSC: Buenas! Good morning Miss Madam Speaker thank you for giving me the opportunity to testify for the appointment of Tony Benavente. Again, on behalf of the Governor of Lou Leon Guerrero and Lieutenant Governor Josh Tenorio, this is the seventh member and this will actually conclude, you know our seven seats that we have in the

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Civil Service Commission. It's important to have seven people in there. My Vice Chairman is saying you know sometimes when there's only four or five of us.

You know when you're trying to defend your case you need to get a little worried, because you know there's a lot that's a burden of burden of proof is on either the government or the employee. You need to have four votes so having seven sit in these hearings are very good for us. I know Tony Benavente for a long time actually you know he used to be the employment relations officer for the Department of Administration and in that area, he handles actually grievances, adverse action, discrimination, anything and everything under the Sun that deals with employee management relationship, you know we have these problems in the government especially in the grievances processes, so Tony will give advisory and DOA is one of the biggest government agency HR office that deals with, I think, 51 departments maybe less but aside from the autonomous agencies he's handling all of that.

So when 20 moved to GCC you know he became the HR manager up there and he actually applied his know-ho. You know GCC and educational institution GCC and UOG are very interesting breed of company the department's, because the Commission cannot handle academic and administrative positions you know they only handle classified position. So those jobs are actually so called "at-will unclassified".

They are their own board but the classified employees does we have jurisdiction for them so it's interesting of his knowledge that he can actually work with the people that don't have the merit principles that they come to us to hear go so board then when he retired and he moved to StayWell and ITE/IPE and he became an HR manager there to.

So, Tony with I think over 20 years in the private institution, so he's got a feel of at-will provision versus merit system, because in government your merit system in private you have at will. At will means that if you blink at me or if you look at me and you don't like me I justify I can fire you anytime but I believe with Tony and his understanding of merit system because I did it in the private institution from government to private you know I actually try to apply a progressive disciplinary action and a merit system although I can fire you anytime, but we apply that so that there's fair and equitable action taken against employees just don't fire them, because you don't like how they look.

Tony applied those same principles in the private institution because he's trained. In the Government of Guam is very complex got a lot of laws, rules and regulations that you follow. He takes that to the private institution and you can win the war man. You know, I did it and he did it to. You know so with all of his experience and training and coming into the Civil Service Commission to hear these cases is actually not going to be very hard for him because he understands.

He hears people that I've never worked with Tony because this is going to be his first application but I believed that with his knowledge skills and abilities he can apply it when

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Senator Marsh (Taitano): And so if you, if you determined that there were any conflict of interest do you feel comfortable with understanding how in and rescuing yourself.

Anthony Benavente: Yes, absolutely

Senator Marsh (Taitano): Yeah, very good. The other question that I have and again it seems that some of the process is already going on about reviewing the Commission itself. Things that could be strengthening, it perhaps some of the things that could be strengthening the government employment conditions, is there anything that comes to mind at this point in time with the general government conditions that you think might be important for the Commission to explore?

Anthony Benavente: Yeah, basically you know like any private citizen I read the paper I hear the cases that are published in the paper and sometimes you know, I try to reserve judgment on these things I do have my personal you know feelings about these things, but then again you know I don't see the facts I don't know what the commissioners go through when they look at these cases.

And that's one of the things again and accepting this appointment is that it's going to be challenging it's not going to be easy and I know these commissioners when they do go out in public sometimes when they do they render are not an unpopular decision that I'm sure they look at them personally, maybe you know personally attack them verbally, maybe, and that's something that I have to you think about when I do, you know, join with the committee, I mean the commissioners, but in regards to changes I think recommendations, you know the 60 day rule I just understand that that was increased to 90 day.

Although, I have my own personal feelings about that if you provide training proper training to managers you know it doesn't really matter how many days you have to bring your case forward as long as you know what you need to do but I just underst- you know from Mr. Baza that law has changed to 90 day, I think it doesn't relieve us from making sure that we train our - the government of Guam managers, because no matter how many days you put if they are not aware of it and they don't follow it it's still going to be an issue with the Civil Service Commission in terms of merit hearing the merit of the cases of you violate. There are the policies.

Senator Marsh (Taitano): Si yu'os ma'ase for your thoughtful answer and you're right a lot of which are going to be dealing with our facts that most of us don't know and they're going to be very important in helping you determine the appropriate course of action and that some of them if not all of them are going to be hard decisions just because of the nature of them and I like hearing about the preventative approach of making sure we're trying to work to make sure that training is happening. I think along the same lines as you do is that by making sure that we're doing due diligence and providing that training we're better protecting people from to too tower the bottom up whichever way you look at it, so that they have the internation and the tools to carry out hopefully good decisions and good actions and that the

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employees the staff can be being protected in that way so definitely I think that we all need to remain on the alert for how we can be continuing to improve the training that we're providing to everybody within the Government.

So if there are no other testimonies or statements I'll go ahead and this time for real you get to leave the table and not be called back. Thank you again so much for your time this morning it's been very important to hear and it will be very helpful as people determine the nominations of Mr. Smith and Mr. Benavente, so we'll take just a brief recess to help everybody get organized. The time is now 11:26 and then we'll just gather everybody together in just a minute or two. Saina Ma'ase.

### III. FINDING & RECOMMENDATIONS



### COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET

Nomination of <u>Anthony P. Benavente</u>; to serve as a Member of the Civil Service Commission; to fill the expired term of Julie L. Quinata (October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2025)

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