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Speaker Antonio R. Unpingco Legislative Session Hall April 11, 2019

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN IS CALLED TO ORDER* MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER NELSON, YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**MAJORITY LEADER NELSON:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE* (THANK YOU) MADAM SPEAKER I MOVED TO ADOPT TODAY'S LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA DATED APRIL 11, 2019.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** A MOTION WAS MADE TO ADOPT TODAY'S LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA DATED APRIL 11, 2019 ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS IF THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS MOTION CARRIES MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**MAJORITY LEADER NELSON:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE* (THANK YOU) MADAM SPEAKER I MOVE TO DELAY LEGISLATIVE SESSION ADDENDUM AGENDA ITEM TWO (II).

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** A MOTION WAS MADE TO DELAY LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA ITEM NUMBER TWO (II). ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS? IF THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS, MOTION CARRIES. FOR A FOR THE RECOGNITION OF A RECIPIENT OF *I MILÂYAN MÂS TAKHILO' NA SAKRAFISU*, SENATOR RÉGINE BISCOE LEE, YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**SENATOR LEE:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÅSE* (THANK YOU) MADAM SPEAKER ON BEHALF OF A GRATEFUL ISLAND AND COUNTRY, WE HONOR NATIVE SEAMAN 2ND CLASS FRANCISCO M. FEJERANG (WORLD WAR II) AND THE FAMILY OF NATIVE SEAMAN 2ND CLASS FRANCISCO M. FEJERANG FOR MAKING THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE IN SERVICE AND DEFENSE OF OUR ISLAND AND COUNTRY.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE* (THANK YOU) SENATOR LEE VICE LEADER MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**MAJORITY LEADER NELSON:** THANK YOU, MADAM SPEAKER. I MOVE TO DELAY LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA ITEMS FOUR (IV) THROUGH SIX (VI).

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** ON THE MOTION TO MOVE TO DELAY LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA ITEMS FOUR (IV) THROUGH SIX (VI). ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS HEARING NONE MOTION CARRIES ROLL CALL MADAM CLERK *HÅYI MANAIGUE GUINE* (WHO IS PRESENT) PLEASE TAKE ROLL.

CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE: SENATOR CASTRO SENATOR LEE SENATOR MARSH (TAITANO) SENATOR MOYLAN SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES SENATOR MUÑA VICE SPEAKER NELSON SENATOR PEREZ SENATOR RIDGELL SENATOR SAN AGUSTIN SENATOR SHELTON SENATOR TAITAGUE SENATOR "PEDO" TERLAJE SENATOR THERESE TERLAJE SENATOR TORRES MADAM SPEAKER THERE IS A QUORUM.

APPENDIX 2- vii. Roll Call

NOTE SENATOR MOYLAN SENATOR "PEDO" TERLAJE WERE OUT DURING ROLL CALL. SENATOR TAITAGUE

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE* (THANK YOU) MADAM CLERK MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**MAJORITY LEADER NELSON:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE* (THANK YOU) MADAM SPEAKER I'D LIKE TO MAKE A MOTION TO EXCUSE THOSE NOT PRESENT TODAY.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** ON THAT MOTION WITHOUT ANY OBJECTION MOTION CARRIES MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**MAJORITY LEADER NELSON:** THANK YOU MADAM SPEAKER I MOVE TO WAIVE LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA ITEMS EIGHT (VIII) THROUGH THIRTEEN (XIII).

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** ON THAT MOTION TO MOVE AGENDA ITEMS EIGHT (VIII) THROUGH THIRTEEN (XIII) ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS HEARING NO OBJECTIONS MOTION CARRIES WE ARE ON MOTIONS MAJORITY LEADER OF I SPEAKER NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

**MAJORITY LEADER NELSON:** *SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE* (THANK YOU) MADAM SPEAKER I MOVE TO WAIVE LEGISLATIVE SESSION AGENDA ITEMS FIFTEEN (XV) THROUGH NINETEEN (XIX).

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** ON THAT MOTION ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS NO OBJECTIONS MOTION CARRIES MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED.

MAJORITY LEADER NELSON: SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE (THANK YOU) MADAM SPEAKER I MOVE TO RESOLVE INTO THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECEIVING THE STATE OF THE ISLAND ADDRESS AND TO ALLOW THE HONORED GUESTS INTO THE SPEAKER ANTONIO R. UNPINGCO LEGISLATIVE SESSION HALL.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** A MOTION WAS MADE TO RESOLVE INTO THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECEIVING THE STATE OF THE ISLAND ADDRESS AND TO ALLOW THE HONORED GUESTS INTO THIS SPEAKER ANTONIO R. UNPINGCO LEGISLATIVE SESSION HALL ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS HEARING NO OBJECTIONS MOTION CARRIES WE ARE IN RECESS.

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## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE STATE OF THE ISLAND ADDRESS

THE HONORABLE LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO, I MAGA'HÂGAN GUÂHAN

**SERGEANT-AT-ARMS THOMAS UNSIOG:** LADIES AND GENTLEMEN THE HONORABLE KATHERINE A MARAMAN CHIEF JUSTICE OF GUAM)

**SERGEANT-AT-ARMS THOMAS UNSIGG:** PLEASE WELCOME THE HONORABLE JOSHUA F TENORIO *I SEGUNDO NA MAGA'LÅHEN GUÅHAN* 

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS THOMAS UNSIOG: MADAM SPEAKER THE HONORABLE LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO, I MAGA'HÅGAN GUÅHAN ESCORTED BY FINÉ'NENA NA ÁSAGUAN MAGA'HÅGAN GUÅHAN ATTORNEY JEFF COOK

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE OF *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* IS CALLED TO ORDER I ASK LADIES AND GENTLEMEN THAT WE PLEASE RISE AS WE BEGIN WITH THE PRESENTATION OF COLORS BY THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** I CALL UPON ANA LOURDES COOK TO SING THE NATIONAL ANTHEM AND MRS. JAMIE COOK TO SING THE GUAM HYMN

**ANA LOURDES COOK**: O SAY CAN YOU SEE, BY THE DAWN'S EARLY LIGHT, WHAT SO PROUDLY WE HAIL'D AT THE TWILIGHT'S LAST GLEAMING, WHOSE BROAD STRIPES AND BRIGHT STARS THROUGH THE PERILOUS FIGHT O'ER THE RAMPARTS WE WATCH'D WERE SO GALLANTLY STREAMING AND THE ROCKET'S RED GLARE, THE BOMBS BURSTING IN AIR, GAVE PROOF THROUGH THE NIGHT THAT OUR FLAG WAS STILL THERE, O SAY DOES THAT STAR-SPANGLED BANNER YET WAVE O'ER THE LAND OF THE FREE AND THE HOME OF THE BRAVE.

MRS. JAIME COOKFANOHGE CHAMORRO PUT I TANO' TA KANTA I MATUNA-NA GI TODU I LUGAT PARA I ONRA, PARA I GLORIA ABIBA I ISLA SINPARAT. PARA I ONRA, PARA I GLORIA ABIBA I ISLA SINPARAT. TODU I TIEMPO I PAS PARA HITA YAN GINEN I LANGET NA BENDISION KONTRA I PILIGRU NA'FANSAFO HAM YU'OS PRUTEHI I ISLAN GUAMKONTRA I PILIGRU NA'FANSAFO HAM YU'OS PRUTEHI I ISLAN GUAM

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** FOR THE RECITATION OF INIFRESI WILL SENATOR REGINE BASICALLY KINDLY LEAD US

SENATOR RÉGINE BISCOE LEE: GINEN I MÅS TAKHELO' GI HINASSO-KU, I MÅS TAKHALOM GI KURASON-HU, YAN I MÅS FIGO' NA NINA'SIÑÅ-HU, HU UFRESEN MAISA YU' PARA BAI HU PRUTEHI YAN HU DIFENDE I HINENGGE, I KOTTURA, I LENGGUÅHI, I AIRE, I HANOM, YAN I TANO' CHAMORU NI' IRENSIÅ-KU DIRECHO GINEN AS YU'OS TÅTA. ESTE HU AFITMA GI HILO' I BIPBLIA YAN I BANDERÅ-HU, I BANDERAN GUÅHAN

SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES: AT THIS TIME LADIES AND GENTLEMEN I CALL UPON THE MOST REVEREND MICHAEL J BURNS ARCHBISHOP OF HAGATNA TO DELIVER THE INVOCATION PLEASE REMAIN STANDING.

ARCHBISHOP OF HAGATNA MICHAEL J BURNS: ALMIGHTY AND ETERNAL GOD YOU HAVE REVEALED YOUR GLORY TO ALL NATIONS GOD OF POWER AND MIGHT WISDOM AND JUSTICE THROUGH YOU LAWS ARE ENACTED AND JUDGMENT IS DECREED ASSIST WITH YOUR SPIRIT OF COUNSEL AND FORTITUDE THE GOVERNOR OF THIS ISLAND THAT HER ADMINISTRATION MAY BE CONDUCTED IN RIGHTEOUSNESS AND BE EMINENTLY USEFUL TO THE PEOPLE OF THIS ISLAND MAY SHE ENCOURAGE DUE RESPECT FOR VIRTUE AND RELIGION MAY SHE EXECUTE THE LAWS WITH JUSTICE AND MERCY AND MAY THE CITIZENS OF THIS ISLAND ENJOY THE BLESSINGS OF SOUND GOVERNMENT AND MAY WE BE PRESERVED IN UNION AND IN PEACE AMEN.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** PLEASE BE SEATED LADIES AND GENTLEMEN I CALL UPON THE HONORABLE LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO *I MAGA'HÅGAN GUÅHAN* TO PRESENT THE STATE OF THE ISLAND ADDRESS.

APPENDIX 4-ADDRESS THE HONORABLE LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO I MAGA'HÅGAN GUÅHAN.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** AT THIS TIME LADIES AND GENTLEMEN I CALL UPON PASTOR WILLIAM SCHMIT VICE-PRESIDENT OF WAR MINISTRIES TO DELIVER THE BENEDICTION PLEASE REMAIN STANDING

PASTOR WILLIAM SCHMIT: HAD TO GET INSTRUCTION HERE LET US BOW OUR HEADS IN PRAYER LORD JESUS WHEN YOU TAUGHT US TO PRAY YOU SAID TO PRAY THIS WAY OUR FATHER WHO ART IN HEAVEN HALLOWED BE THY NAME WE RECOGNIZE THAT YOU ARE HOLY AND WORTHY OF ALL PRAISE AND WORSHIP WE ARE LOOKING TO YOU TONIGHT FOR YOUR CONTINUED GUIDANCE AND DIVINE WISDOM OF ALL THE THINGS THAT YOUR SERVANT SOLOMON COULD HAVE ASKED FOR HE CHOSE TO ASK YOU FOR WISDOM FOR HIS PEOPLE YOU PROMISED TO GRANT US WISDOM IF WE ASK IN FAITH BELIEVING YOU TO RELEASE TO US THE WISDOM FROM ABOVE FATHER YOU HAVE A DIVINE IN A SOVEREIGN PLAN FOR THIS ISLAND SO MAY YOUR KINGDOM COME AND YOUR WILL BE DONE CONCERNING OUR ISLAND AS IT IS IN HEAVEN SO LET IT BE IN THIS ISLAND WE CALL WAHAN BECAUSE SHE HAS AND HAS BEEN BLESSED BY YOU MAY WE NOT TAKE YOUR GREAT GRACE THAT HAS BEEN BESTOWED ON HER FOR GRANTED WE PRAY FOR GOVERNOR LOU LEON GUERRERO LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR TENORIO ALL OF OUR ELECTED SENATORS ALL THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN APPOINTED TO PLACES OF RESPONSIBILITY AND AUTHORITY AND WE ALSO PRAY LORD FOR ALL OF OUR MILITARY BRANCHES THAT ARE REPRESENTED HERE AND THE GREAT RESPONSIBILITIES THAT THEY HAVE TO PROTECT OUR ISLAND WE PRAY ALSO FOR THOSE WHO ARE IN AUTHORITY WE UNDERSTAND THAT ALL AUTHORITY ORIGINATES WITH YOU FROM ABOVE WE PRAY AS WE CLOSE TONIGHT THAT YOU GRANT AND INSTILL IN EVERY ELECTED OFFICIAL AN APPOINTED PUBLIC SERVANT A HEART OF A SERVANT READY TO SERVE YOU AND YOUR SOVEREIGN PURPOSE AND WILL FOR OUR SMALL LAND MASS BUT OH SO SIGNIFICANT IN YOUR KINGDOMS PLAN OUR GUAM WE LIFT THIS UP TO YOU IN JESUS NAME AMEN.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** LADIES AND GENTLEMEN PLEASE BE SEATED MAJORITY LEADER VICE SPEAKER TELENA NELSON YOU ARE RECOGNIZED

**MAJORITY LEADER SENATOR NELSON:** SI YU'OS MA'ÂSE MADAM SPEAKER I MOVED TO RISE FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AND TO ADJOURN TODAY'S SESSION SUBJECT TO THE CALL OF THE SPEAKER.

**SPEAKER MUÑA BARNES:** A MOTION WAS MADE TO RISE FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AND TO ADJOURN TODAY'S SESSION SUBJECT TO THE CALL OF THE SPEAKER ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS HEARING NONE THIS LEGISLATE LEGISLATIVE SESSION IS ADJOURNED SUBJECT TO THE CALL OF THE SPEAKER.

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