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Relative to commending and congratulating Commander Maureen Chase on the occasion of her retirement; and to further extending a most sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for her service to our country, and our island and its people.

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

WHEREAS, Commander Maureen Chase is a native Californian who was commissioned in the United States Navy after graduating from the U. S. Naval Academy, where she earned a Degree in History; and

WHEREAS, CDR Chase reported to NAS Pensacola, Florida in April of 1992, and she was designated as a Naval Aviator in January of 1994; and

1 **WHEREAS**, in March of 1994, CDR Chase reported to the Helicopter
2 Maritime Strike Squadron 41 (HSL 41) in San Diego, California for training in the
3 SH-60B SEAHAWK, and she then reported to HSL 45 “Wolfpack” upon the
4 completion of her training; and

5 **WHEREAS**, during this tour, CDR Chase completed two (2) Western Pacific
6 (WESTPAC) deployments to the Arabian Gulf, where she had served as the
7 Detachment Assistant Maintenance Officer, as the Detachment Operations Officer,
8 and as the Squadron Legal Officer; and

9 **WHEREAS**, in November of 1997, CDR Chase was selected for duty as a
10 Flight Instructor at the Fleet Replacement Squadron in San Diego, California, where
11 she had originally trained for HSL 41, and she also served as the Personnel Officer,
12 and as the Commander, Naval Air Forces Pacific Naval Air Training and Operating
13 Procedures Standardization (NATOPS) Evaluator for seven (7) squadrons; and

14 **WHEREAS**, in October of 1999, CDR Chase became the Flag Lieutenant to
15 the Commander of the Cruiser-Destroyer Group ONE, embarking on the USS
16 CONSTELLATION (CV 64); and

17 **WHEREAS**, CDR Chase made two (2) more deployments to the Arabian Gulf
18 before departing for the Navy War College in Newport, Rhode Island, where, in
19 addition to the normal curriculum, she was selected by the Chief of Naval Operations
20 to attend the Naval Operational Planners Course; and

21 **WHEREAS**, in June of 2002, CDR Chase graduated from the War College
22 with a Degree in National Security and Strategic Studies, and with a Professional
23 Certificate as an Operational Planner; and

24 **WHEREAS**, in October of 2002, CDR Chase again reported to HSL 45
25 “Wolfpack” as a Department Head and Officer in Charge of a detachment, and was

1 deployed on board the USS HOWARD (DDG 83) for WESTPAC, including the Rim
2 of the Pacific Exercise 2004; and

3 **WHEREAS**, upon her return, CDR Chase assumed the duties of Squadron
4 Operations Officer, and she was awarded the Commander, Naval Air Forces Pacific
5 2004 Daedalians Award , an award given by America's premier fraternal organization
6 of U.S. military pilots, for airmanship during an in-flight electrical emergency; and

7 **WHEREAS**, in September of 2005, CDR Chase reported to the Commander,
8 Third Fleet as the Joint Warfare Plans Officer, and she conducted extensive joint
9 planning for real-world and contingency operations; and

10 **WHEREAS**, in March of 2008, CDR Chase reported for duty to the
11 Commander, Joint Region Marianas, where she currently serves as the Deputy J9 for
12 Quality of Life Programs; now, therefore, be it

13 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*
14 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people
15 of Guam, commend and congratulate Commander Maureen Chase on the occasion of
16 her retirement; and does further extend a most sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os*
17 *Ma'åse'* to her for her service to our country, and our island and its people; and be it
18 further

19 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
20 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
21 the same be thereafter transmitted to Commander Maureen Chase; to Rear Admiral
22 Paul J. Bushong, Commander, Joint Region Marianas; and to the Honorable Edward
23 J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 28TH DAY
OF APRIL 2011.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
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Chairperson, Committee on Rules



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Legislative Secretary