I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2011 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 114-31 (COR)

Introduced by:

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Relative to recognizing and congratulating the *Okkodo* High School Lodging Management Program Class for achieving First (1st) Place Overall at the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute National Lodging Management Program Competition held on April 7 to 9, 2011, in Orlando, Florida.

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I* 2 *MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:*

3 WHEREAS, the Lodging Management Program (LMP) is a National 4 Education Program for high school students that covers topics in the program, 5 including but *not* limited to, lodging management; rooms division operations; leadership skills; career planning; food and beverage skills; sales and marketing; and
 event planning; and

WHEREAS, an annual LMP competition is sponsored by the American Hotel and Lodging's Educational Institute that is meant to provide a venue to demonstrate, challenge, and expose students to the functions of the hotel industry; and

WHEREAS, in 2001, the Guam Community College established its Lodging
Management Program and has established programs at each of Guam's public schools,
hosting its own local competition to determine the Guam representative to the
National LMP Competition held annually in Florida State; and

WHEREAS, the National Lodging Management Program Competition was
held on April 7 to 9, 2011, at the Rosen Shingle Creek Resort in Orlando, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Guam representative for 2011 was the LMP Team from *Okkodo* High School, under the tutelage of Assistant Professor Norman Aguilar, and comprised of membersRaquel Maminta, Iris Lapid, Jessica De Vera and Donna Faye Lubas; and

WHEREAS, in all, twelve (12) state teams competed and the *Okkodo* High School LMP Team is the first group from Guam to place 1st for the 2011 National Lodging Management Competition, winning the LMP National Championship Title; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, recognize the *Okkodo* High School Lodging Management Program Class on being the first LMP team from Guam to achieve the National Championship Title of the 2011 American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute National Lodging Management Program Competition; and does further commend and extend its congratulations to the Team and its instructor for winning the National Championship,
 and on completing this remarkable academic achievement; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of 4 the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Kenneth Denusta, Principal of Okkodo High 5 School; to the Okkodo High School LMP Team Members: Raguel Maminta, Iris 6 Lapid, Jessica De Vera and Donna Fave Lubas; to Mr. Norman Aguilar, Assistant 7 Professor; to the Okkodo Tourism Academy teachers; to Mr. Charles Acosta; to Mrs. 8 . Chona Dusaban Esperon; to Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Pickelsimer; to Mr. Barry Mead, 9 Assistant Professor, LMP State Director, Department Chair, Tourism and Hospitality, 10 Guam Community College; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, I Maga'lahen 11 Guåhan. 12

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 24TH DAY OF MAY 2011.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D. Speaker

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