

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Relative to extending a warm *Hafa Adai* and welcome to Guam to Mr. Dave Shoji, the legendary University of Hawaii Women's Volleyball Head Coach, and recognizing him for his amazing accomplishments; and to further extending a sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to him for inspiring Guam's young adults as the Guest Speaker of the Tenth (10th) Annual Shieh Su Ying Scholar Athlete of the Year Awards Banquet.

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

1 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Dave Shoji played his collegiate career as a setter at the
2 University of California, Santa Barbara, where he earned honors as a two (2) time All-
3 American in 1968 and 1969; and

4 **WHEREAS**, Dave Shoji is known as a coach whose teams possess outstanding
5 ball control, and as such Dave has been honored with the title of the All-Time Great
6 Coach Award, in the Donald S. Shondell Contemporary Division of USA Volleyball
7 in 2002; and he was also named as the Coach of the NCAA Division I Twenty-fifth
8 (25th) Anniversary Women's Volleyball Team in 2005, and was inducted into the
9 Hawaii Sports Hall of Fame in the same year; and

10 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Dave Shoji was named as the American Volleyball Coaches
11 Association National Coach of the Year twice, once in 1982, and the second time in
12 2009; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Dave Shoji was named as the AVCA West Region Coach of
14 the Year ten (10) times, and he was the Western Athletic Conference Coach of the
15 Year eleven (11) times; and

16 **WHEREAS**, on December 16, 2010, Mr. Shoji was inducted into the AVCA
17 Hall of Fame; and

18 **WHEREAS**, in 2010, the University of Hawaii Rainbow Wahine captured their
19 fourteen (14th) straight regular season Western Athletic Conference title, winning all
20 of the conference matches by sweeps for the first time in the University's history; and

21 **WHEREAS**, during the season, the UH Rainbow Wahine established school
22 records with a sixty-two (62) set win streak, winning twenty-three (23) consecutive
23 matches, and eventually advancing to its twenty-ninth (29th) consecutive NCAA
24 Tournament; and

25 **WHEREAS**, in 2009, Mr. Dave Shoji became the second head coach in NCAA
26 Division I women's volleyball history to reach the one thousand (1,000) win

1 milestone, currently ranking him second all-time in Division I. Dave Shoji is the
2 longest tenured coach in women's volleyball and posts an amazing record with the
3 University of Hawaii Rainbow Wahine of one thousand forty-two (1,042) wins, one
4 hundred seventy-seven (177) losses, and one (1) tie; and

5 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Dave Shoji has guided the UH Rainbow Wahine to twenty-
6 five (25) NCAA Regional appearances, and eighteen (18) thirty (30)-plus win seasons,
7 and he has coached the UH Rainbow Wahine to four (4) National Championships,
8 including an AIAW title in 1979, and three (3) NCAA Division I crowns - in 1982,
9 1983 and 1987; and

10 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Dave Shoji has coached twenty-four (24) AVCA All-
11 American athletes throughout his career as the UH Rainbow Wahine Head Coach,
12 some of which have represented the United States volleyball teams in the Olympics,
13 and others who became coaches at nationally accredited programs; now therefore, be
14 it

15 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina' Trentai Unu Na*
16 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people
17 of Guam, extend a warm *Hafa Adai* and welcome to Guam to Mr. Dave Shoji, the
18 legendary University of Hawaii Women's Volleyball Head Coach, and recognizes and
19 commends him for his many amazing accomplishments; and does further extend a
20 sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to him for inspiring Guam's young adults as
21 the Guest Speaker of the Tenth (10th) Annual Shieh Su Ying Scholar Athlete of the
22 Year Awards Banquet; and be it further

23 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
24 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
25 the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Dave Shoji, legendary University of Hawaii

- 1 Women's Volleyball Coach; to Dr. Thomas Shieh, Shieh Su Ying Scholar Athlete of
- 2 the Year Founder; and to the Honorable Edward 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 3RD DAY
OF JUNE 2011.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



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Chairperson, Committee on Rules



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Acting Legislative Secretary