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

## Resolution No. 187-31 (LS)

Introduced by:

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Relative to recognizing and commending the Pacific Islands Club Guam for its hard work, perseverance and contributions to the people of Guam, and for hosting the Pacific Islands Club International Road Races for the past twenty (20) years.

## BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

3 **WHEREAS,** the Twentieth (20<sup>th</sup>) Annual P.I.C. International Road Race will 4 be held on Sunday, November 13, 2011, with participants from all over the Asia-5 Pacific Region; and 1 WHEREAS, what began as a 5K and 10K Fun Run in 1991, with only three hundred (300) runners participating, has now become one of Guam's most popular 2 3 and sought after competitive races, attracting the most serious of runners from all 4 over the region; and

WHEREAS, this event was voted by the Guam Visitors Bureau as the Most 5 6 Outstanding Local Tourism Event for the year 2000; and

7 WHEREAS, since 1995, the PIC Road Races have enjoyed a sister-race 8 relationship with the Fujiyoshida Fire Festival Road Race in Japan every August; and WHEREAS, the top male and female finishers of the PIC Races are invited to 9 the Fujiyoshida Race; and in return the top male and female finishers of the 10 11 Fujiyoshida Race are invited to compete in the PIC Road Race; and

WHEREAS, a portion of this year's race proceeds will be donated to the 12 Tourism Education Council (TEC), which was formed in 1988 to educate the 13 14 community about the social and economic benefits that Guam's tourism industry 15 provides; and whose mission is "Promoting the importance of the visitor industry with a special emphasis on the importance of sense of place"; now therefore, be it 16

**RESOLVED**, that I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, 17 18 on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and highly commend the Pacific Islands 19 Club Guam for its invaluable contributions to the people of Guam, and for hosting 20 the PIC International Road Races for the past twenty (20) years; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, 21 22 the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the Pacific Islands Club Guam; to Shiegeru Sato; to Ralph Harrison; and to the Honorable 23 Edward J.B. Calvo, I Maga'lahen Guåhan. 24

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 30<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST 2011.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D. Speaker

ADÓLPHO B. PALÀCIOS, SR. Acting Legislative Secretary