

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Relative to recognizing and congratulating Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag on the occasion of her retirement from the Department of Education; to commending her for a lifetime of distinguished service as an academic, consummate professional, volunteer, and businesswoman; and to further extending *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for her selfless and tenured commitment to serving our youth, women, and families in their personal, educational, and professional development.

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

3 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag is an academic, consummate
4 professional, and volunteer whose distinguished career spans service in public and
5 private education, private industry, and as an entrepreneur; and

6 **WHEREAS**, over the course of fifty-four (54) years, Dr. Josephine Cenzone
7 Caluag has contributed a lifetime of service that has touched the lives of countless
8 numbers of students and families, as well as having enriched the communities, and the
9 organizations of which she was a member; and

10 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag began her career in June of 1958, as
11 an English teacher at St. Theresa's College in Manila, Philippines, and a High School
12 Professional Catechist (Public School) under the Brothers of De La Salle Christian
13 School; and

14 **WHEREAS**, in June 1960, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag worked for De La
15 Salle Grade School, Taft Avenue, Manila, as a department chairperson and guidance
16 counselor, where she performed psychological testing, student assessment, individual
17 and group counseling, and developed parental involvement programs; and

18 **WHEREAS**, in June 1972, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag continued on as the
19 department chairperson and guidance counselor with La Salle High School,
20 Greenhills, Mandaluyong, Rizal, where she also taught and concurrently served as
21 adjunct faculty of the Graduate Guidance Department; and

22 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag advanced in her teaching track, and
23 in June of 1975, she was promoted to Associate Professor and Guidance Counselor,
24 on top of her duties as the Department Chairperson at De La Salle University, Manila,
25 Philippines, where she was responsible for the design and implementation of multi-

1 disciplinary programs; career guidance; teaching in college, graduate school, and
2 continuing education programs for parents and faculty; research and textbook writing;
3 college thesis mentoring; continuing staff development and training and evaluation;
4 and where, within a couple of years, she participated in an Observation/Consultation
5 Tour in the United States relative to community programs from California to New
6 York that subsequently led to her starting a campus ministry program at De La Salle
7 University; and

8 **WHEREAS**, in October of 1980, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag pursued a
9 position with Malayan Insurance Company as the Personnel and Human Resource
10 Manager, with responsibility of over one thousand (1,000) employees and ten (10)
11 active employee unions, where she conducted employee assessments; career and
12 vocational counseling; on the job training for quality control; and training in
13 leadership excellence, time management, cost reduction programs, contract bargaining
14 agreements, improving work performance, and effective work habits; and

15 **WHEREAS**, from October 1982 to June 1993, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag
16 served as the president of a private firm for effectiveness training and management
17 consultancy, where she conducted vocational programs for “out of school” youth
18 under the Office of the President of the Philippines, and as subsidized by the World
19 Bank. Such programs included training for managers, supervisors and employees;
20 vocational and career counseling; training on effective work habits, values and
21 attitudes, team building, supervision, improving employee performance, and
22 organizational assessments, thereby earning the firm national recognition for ten (10)
23 years as a Top Training Institution in the Philippines; and

24 **WHEREAS**, from October 1993 to June 1996, Dr. Caluag served as a
25 Guidance Counselor at St. Anthony Catholic School, *Tamuning*, Guam, where she
26 provided individual and group counseling; taught seventh (7th) grade classes;

1 conducted psychological testing and assessments of referred students; group guidance
2 activities; student leadership training; workshops on conflict resolution and anger
3 management; and where she was also a Rainbows Facilitator for training about sex
4 education, as well as conducting staff development and a parenting skills program;
5 and,

6 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag conducted community outreach in
7 collaboration with *Ina'fa Maolek*, the Alee Shelter, the Department of Youth Affairs,
8 and numerous other organizations on Guam; and

9 **WHEREAS**, from October 1993 to June 1998, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag
10 served as the Director of Family and Youth Ministry for the Archdiocese of *Agana*,
11 where she conducted research, planned programs, trained, implemented and evaluated
12 programs relative to family and youth in twenty-four (24) parishes of the Archdiocese;
13 and

14 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag further faithfully served our youth
15 by conducting leadership training for youth; organized World Youth Day Events
16 locally and internationally; and initiated the Teen Abstinence program, as well as
17 other programs for individual, couple, and family counseling; and

18 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag was involved and successful in
19 grant writing, where she secured a five (5) year grant to the Archdiocese of *Agana*,
20 Guam from the Catholic Extension Society of Chicago for the development and
21 implementation of programs for Family and Youth projects for the twenty-four (24)
22 parishes in the Archdiocese, in addition to securing a grant from the Institute of
23 Parenting for Peace and Justice Network in St. Louis Missouri; and

24 **WHEREAS**, from August 1998 to the present, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag
25 served as a Guidance Counselor for the Guam Department of Education at Maria A.
26 Ulloa Elementary School, where she conducted psychological testing and assessment

1 of referrals; individual and group counseling of children referred for behavior and
2 learning problems; provided support programs for teachers and parents (Helping the
3 Disruptive Child, Skills Training for Children with Behavior Problems, Training For
4 Remediation and Intervention, Behavior Modification Programs, Peacemaking
5 Program for Safe Home-School Community), Chairing Child Study Team Meetings,
6 Retention and Promotion assessments, SAT 9 interpretation workshops for
7 administration, teachers, and parents, and other intervention programs as seen helpful
8 for the school community; and,

9 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag was instrumental in the design and
10 implementation of home-school community outreach programs; authoring of the
11 school leadership improvement plan grant; the Department of Education extended day
12 program; and for other administrator and teacher programs, and

13 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag has accomplished a tenured and
14 distinguished career as a professional; entrepreneur; advocate for youth, women, and
15 families; and as a citizen volunteer working to improve the living and learning
16 conditions of men and women in her profession, education, and in her place of
17 worship. She has, with dignity, class, and a profound degree of success, established a
18 standard of excellence for many to follow; now therefore, be it

19 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*
20 *Lihaslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihaslaturan Guåhan* and the people
21 of Guam, recognize and congratulate Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag on the occasion of
22 her retirement from the Department of Education; does commend her for a lifetime of
23 distinguished service as an academic, consummate professional, volunteer, and
24 businesswoman; and does further extend *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for
25 her selfless and tenured commitment to serving our youth, women, and families in
26 their personal, educational, and professional development; and be it further

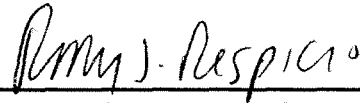
1 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
2 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
3 the same be thereafter transmitted to Dr. Josephine Cenzone Caluag; and to the
4 Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 18TH DAY
OF SEPTEMBER 2012.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.

Speaker



RORY J. RESPICIO

Chairperson, Committee on Rules


TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES.

Legislative Secretary