

***I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2012 (SECOND) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 577-31 (COR)**

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**Relative to recognizing and commending the late Arthur Walter "Bill" Neilsen, Jr., for his invaluable contributions to the people of Guam; and to further extending sincere condolences to his family and friends on his passing.**

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

3        **WHEREAS**, the motorcycle community of Guam mourns the loss of a great  
4        man and fellow motorcycle rider. Over the years, Arthur Walter "Bill" Neilsen, Jr.,  
5        had helped his fellow bikers during their time of need. Bill, as he was affectionately  
6        known, will always be remembered for his loyalty, sincerity, humor, and sense of  
7        style; and

1       **WHEREAS**, Bill Neilsen is the owner of the Guam Harley-Davidson  
2 dealership, and he passed away on Wednesday, October 17, 2012; and the news of his  
3 death shocked his family and friends, who had developed a close relationship with Bill  
4 over the years; and

5       **WHEREAS**, under Bill's leadership, the Guam Harley-Davidson was  
6 established as the only authorized Harley-Davidson full line dealership within the  
7 Mariana Islands region. The Guam Harley-Davidson provided a complete line of  
8 genuine Harley-Davidson motorcycles, parts, accessories, clothing, and collectibles;  
9 and

10       **WHEREAS**, Bill was affectionately known by his family and friends to have a  
11 heart of gold. Bill was a piper in caring for our community; he was a man who  
12 never said no to the community, and he continued to give and didn't want anything in  
13 return; and

14       **WHEREAS**, Bill and the Guam Harley-Davidson had always contributed to the  
15 Salvation Army, the Guam Memorial Hospital, the Naval Hospital, the Saint  
16 Dominic's Senior Care Home, the Fisher House, the Special Olympics, and the *Alee*  
17 Shelter; and one thing his friends say is that Bill never said no to fundraisers - he was  
18 always there helping out, and calling Guam his home; and

19       **WHEREAS**, another display of Bill's compassion for the community was his  
20 unselfish decision to allow vendors to sell their items in the parking lot surrounding  
21 the Harley Davidson shop free of charge; Bill was a man who gave a lot; and

1       **WHEREAS**, through one of his community outreach programs, Bill helped to  
2 establish the H.O.G. Mariana Islands Chapter Associated, with the Guam Harley-  
3 Davidson. Through Bill's efforts, the group conducted many fundraisers and donated  
4 to local and off-island charities; and on the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) Sunday of each month, the  
5 group conducted a variety of activities to promote goodwill in the community, and  
6 fellowship among Harley riders; and

7       **WHEREAS**, on the day that Bill passed away, the sounds of Harley Davidson  
8 motorcycles roared at the overpass along Route 16 near the spot where Bill had lost  
9 his life, as his family and friends gathered at the site and placed a wreath in his honor;  
10 and

11       **WHEREAS**, Bill was loved by many people, and he will be greatly missed by  
12 all who knew him; 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, recognize and honor the late Arthur Walter "Bill" Neilsen, Jr., for his  
16 invaluable contributions to the people of Guam, and extend *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os*  
17 *Ma'åse'* to him for his commitment and compassion for the community; and does  
18 further express sincere condolences to his family and friends on his passing; and be it  
19 further

1       **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*  
2 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people  
3 of Guam, recognize and commend the Guam Pharmacists Association on the  
4 celebration of "American Pharmacists Month" during October 2012; and does further  
5 extend a sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'ásé* to them for their service and  
6 commitment to the people of Guam; and be it further

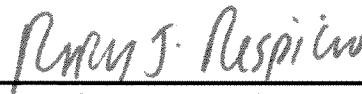
7       **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules  
8 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
9 the same be thereafter transmitted to Marilyn Florendo, President of the Guam  
10 Pharmacists Association; to Karen Song, immediate past-President of the Guam  
11 Pharmacists Association; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahren*  
12 *Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THIS 26<sup>TH</sup> DAY  
OF OCTOBER 2012.**



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**JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.**  
Speaker



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**RORY J. RESPICIO**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules



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