

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

Resolution No. 18-31 (COR)

Introduced by:

Committee on Rules

Relative to approving the expenditure of Four
Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars (\$4,900.00)
from the Central Operations Budget of *I
Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* for
the purchase of computer hardware, software
and video production equipment for the
enhancement of production capabilities for the
Legislature Television Channel.

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

3 WHEREAS, Guam's local cable companies Marianas Cable Vision (MCV)
4 and GTA Teleguam (GTA) provide public cable services to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to
5 air Legislative Sessions, Public Hearings and Special Legislative events on MCV
6 Channel 13 and GTA Channel 21; and

7 WHEREAS, both MCV and GTA have agreed to continue to provide *I*
8 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* exclusive use of these channels to enhance public access to
9 legislative and governmental activities for greater government transparency of the
10 government; and

11 WHEREAS, the Legislature Channel offers the simplest means for
12 government officials, the local media and the general public to obtain information on
13 their government and the work of their elected public representatives; and

14 WHEREAS, all members of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* agree that the Legislature
15 Channel can be further developed to provide the community more timely information
16 on public hearings, schedules and government meetings to further increase

1 government transparency; and

2 **WHEREAS**, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* does not currently have the required
3 hardware, software and video production equipment to adequately produce messages
4 and information using this technology; now, therefore, be it

5 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Unu Na I*
6 *Liheslaturan Guåhan*, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam,
7 does hereby approve the expenditure of Four Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars
8 (\$4,900.00) from the Central Operations Budget of *I Mina'trentai Unu Na*
9 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* for the purchase of computer hardware, software and video
10 production equipment for the enhancement of production capabilities for the
11 Legislature Channel; and be it further

12 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
13 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
14 the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Vincent P. Arriola, Executive Director, *I*
15 *Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*; and to the Honorable Eddie Baza Calvo, *I*
16 *Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

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

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker

RORY J. RESPICIO
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary