

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

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**Resolution No. 33-31(457)**

Introduced by:

R. J. Respicio *[Signature]*  
T. C. Ada *[Signature]*  
Judith P. Guthertz, DPA *[Signature]*

**Relative to commending and congratulating Lourdes (Lou) A. Leon Guerrero on being named the Guam Business Magazine's 2010 "Executive of the Year"; and to extending a most sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for her continuing service to the people of Guam.**

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

**WHEREAS**, following her graduation from the Academy of Our Lady of Guam, Lourdes A. (Lou) Leon Guerrero continued her education, earning her Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing at California State University, and a Masters Degree in Public Health at the University of California, Los Angeles, prior to beginning her first career as a health care professional; and

**WHEREAS**, Lou Leon Guerrero's service to our island and people began in 1980, when she held the position of Staff Development Coordinator at the Guam Memorial Hospital (GMH), going on to spend the next fourteen (14) years providing healthcare services to the community through various positions, both at GMH and at FHP; and

1       **WHEREAS**, in 1994, Lou Leon Guerrero made the conscientious decision to  
2 do more for the people of Guam and she successfully sought a seat in the 23<sup>rd</sup> Guam  
3 Legislature, going on to serve a total of five (5) terms as a Guam Senator, holding  
4 various distinguished positions, including Majority Leader; Chairperson of the  
5 Committee on Rules; Chairperson of the Committee on Health, Welfare, and Senior  
6 Citizens; Assistant Majority Leader; and she was a Member of the Committees on  
7 Health & Human Services, Natural Resources, Utilities & Micronesian Affairs, and  
8 General & Omnibus Matters; and

9       **WHEREAS**, always wanting to do more, Lou Leon Guerrero served as a Board  
10 Member for the Bank of Guam from 1991 to 1998, and again from 2001 to 2004,  
11 when she was named as Vice-Chairperson of the Board, a position she held until  
12 named as Chairperson in 2006, the position she currently holds, in addition to her role  
13 as the President and Chief Executive Officer for the Bank of Guam; and

14       **WHEREAS**, her thirst for knowledge and education unquenched, Lou Leon  
15 Guerrero returned to school in 2009, graduating with a diploma from the Pacific Coast  
16 Banking School in Seattle, Washington; and

17       **WHEREAS**, no matter how many hats Lou Leon Guerrero has worn, her will  
18 to serve remains unhindered, as she continues to be very engaged and involved with  
19 our island community, serving as a Board Member for the Guam Telephone  
20 Authority; the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority; the *Ayuda* Foundation; the  
21 GuamPedia; and the Guam Chamber of Commerce; and also as the Chairperson for  
22 the Pacific Youth Center; as the Vice-Chairperson for the Guam Humanities Council;  
23 and as a member of the PEACE Council; and

24       **WHEREAS**, Lou Leon Guerrero has also held numerous officer and  
25 membership positions in the Guam Humanities Council; Mercy Action of the  
26 Marianas; the Guam Nurses Association; the American Cancer Society; the Guam

1 Heart Association; the Guam Health Coordinating Council; and the Medical Quality  
2 Review Co. - District II; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Lou Leon Guerrero's numerous contributions to the community  
4 have not gone unnoticed, as she was selected to be in the Academy of Our Lady of  
5 Guam's Hall of Fame, and more recently, she was named as the Guam Business  
6 Magazine's 2010 "Executive of the Year"; the Guam Business Executive of the Year  
7 being an individual noted for: "Success and reputation in the business community,  
8 personal business creativity and entrepreneurship, leadership ability, business  
9 expansion, and community involvement;" and

10 **WHEREAS**, in recognition of Lou Leon Guerrero's achievements, countless  
11 contributions and years of service, including as a Member on the Board of Trustees of  
12 the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority as the Hospital received its first accreditation  
13 in almost thirty (30) years, high praise and honor are rightfully bestowed on the  
14 woman who has made seeking a better way of life for the entire island of Guam and  
15 its people, her life's mission; now, therefore, be it

16 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,  
17 on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, commend and  
18 congratulate Lourdes (Lou) A. Leon Guerrero on being named the Guam Business  
19 Magazine's 2010 "Executive of the Year"; and does further extend a most sincere *Un*  
20 *Dangkolo na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for her continuing service to Guam and its  
21 people; and be it further

22 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify and the Legislative Secretary attest to,  
23 the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs.  
24 Lourdes (Lou) A. Leon Guerrero; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I*  
25 *Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN* ON THE DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2011.**

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

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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
**Legislative Secretary**