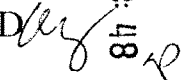


***I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2012 (SECOND) REGULAR SESSION**

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**Resolution No.** 410-31 (COR)

Introduced by:

Aline A. Yamashita, PhD 

**Relative to honoring, commending and thanking Mrs. Marie Doris Cruz Taimanglo for dedicating nearly forty years to building the futures of our children during her lifetime work as an educator.**

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I**

2 ***MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3 **WHEREAS,** Mrs. Marie Doris Cruz Taimanglo was born to Mr.

4 Miguel and Mrs. Francisca Rivera Cruz on 18 January 1948 in the village of

5 Agat, and is the sibling of Johnny Rivera Cruz Sr., Frank Michael Cruz, and

6 Kenneth Marion Cruz; and,

7 **WHEREAS,** Mrs. Taimanglo attended grade school at Mt. Carmel

8 Catholic School, Agat before graduating from Talofoto's Notre Dame High

9 School, a Catholic high school, in 1965; during her time at Notre Dame,

10 Mrs. Taimanglo was inspired to become a teacher by her teachers—the

11 school sisters of Notre Dame, so after receiving her high school diploma, she

12 attended Mount Mary College, a Catholic women's college, in Milwaukee,

13 Wisconsin to obtain a degree in Elementary Education, graduating in 1969,

1 and returning home to Guam to begin her teaching career; and,

2       **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Taimanglo is the center of her family, a supportive  
3 wife, mother and grandmother who instills in her family a great sense of  
4 pride, the importance of education, and the yearn to do something that  
5 improves peoples lives; and,

6       **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Taimanglo began building the futures of students,  
7 when she began teaching second grade in 1971 at Harry S. Truman in the  
8 village of Santa Rita; Mrs. Taimanglo would meet her husband, Mr. Vicente  
9 “Benny” Pablo Taimanglo in 1975, the two would marry a year later in  
10 1976, move to Lompoc, California where Mr. Taimanglo worked as a  
11 carpenter for the civil service at Vandenburg Air Force Base; a year later,  
12 the couple was blessed with the birth of their daughter, Ms. Francine M.C.  
13 Taimanglo, and Mrs. Taimanglo would take a year off from teaching to raise  
14 Francine; and,

15       **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Taimanglo returned to the classroom in 1979  
16 teaching fourth grade in La Purisima Catholic School in Lompoc, California;  
17 but the family would return to Guam in 1985, after Mr. Taimanglo was  
18 transferred to the Naval Ship Repair Facility, Guam and because the couple  
19 missed home; and, the Taimanglos would settle in the village of Talofofo,  
20 where Mrs. Taimanglo would teach third grade for the next twenty-four

1 years from 1985 until her retirement in 2009; and,

2           **WHEREAS**, although Mrs. Taimanglo retired from the Guam Public  
3 School System, she still continued to give back to our children, and this  
4 time, to our children in the private school system where since 2009 she has  
5 taught Theology at St. Francis Catholic School in Yona, helping to mold  
6 First Holy Communicants preparing them to receive the Sacrament, which is  
7 an important step in their Catholic spiritual lives; and,

8           **WHEREAS**, Mrs. and Mr. Taimanglo are the proud and loving  
9 grandparents of Noah Vincent Taimanglo and Naiyah Antoinette Taimanglo;  
10 and, Mrs. Taimanglo taught her own daughter, Francine, that every day is a  
11 lesson to be learned; that no day is the same and one has to work hard in life  
12 to achieve what he or she wants and, personal goals and dreams are always  
13 within reach just as long as you stay focused and determined; and, Mrs.  
14 Taimanglo has inspired her daughter to be the best mother to her children,  
15 raised her to be compassionate, loving, and caring of all people; and,  
16 now, therefore, be it

17           **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules, on behalf of *I*  
18 *Mina'trentai uno Na Liheslaturan Guahan* and the people of Guam do  
19 hereby, honor, commend and thank Mrs. Marie Doris Cruz Taimanglo for  
20 dedicating nearly forty years to building the futures of our children during

1 her lifetime work as an educator; and, be it further  
2 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee  
3 on Rules, and the Secretary of the Legislature attests to, the adoption hereof  
4 and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Marie Doris  
5 Cruz Taimanglo; and to the Honorable Edward J. Calvo, *I Maga'laha*  
6 *Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI UNU***  
***NALIHESLATURAN GUAHAN* ON THIS DAY \_\_\_\_\_ OF**  
**\_\_\_\_\_ 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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**TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES**  
**Legislative Secretary**