

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

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**Resolution No. 489-31 (LS)**

Introduced by:

Judith P. Guthertz, D.P.A.



**Relative to recognizing eight (8) Guam athletes who made us all proud during the recently completed 2012 London Olympics.**

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

**WHEREAS**, Guam was represented at the 2012 London Olympics by eight (8) strong and determined athletes; and

**WHEREAS**, our athletes performed an exemplary service for our island by their high profile efforts on behalf of all of us; and

**WHEREAS**, Pilar Shimizu finished second in her 100-meter breaststroke heat; and

**WHEREAS**, R. J. Blas distinguished himself and earned a place in Olympic history by winning his first match, becoming the first Guam athlete to advance to the next round of competition through a preliminary round victory; and

**WHEREAS**, Amy Atkinson set a new Guam record for the 800-meter heat; and

**WHEREAS**, swimmers Chris Duenas and Ben Schulte performed persistently in front of a worldwide audience; and

**WHEREAS**, runner Derek Mandell was a strong participant; and

**WHEREAS**, wrestler Maria Dunn competed effectively; and

**WHEREAS**, cyclist Derek Horton entered the Olympic record books; and

**WHEREAS**, the Guam Olympic Committee effectively organized and helped train Guam's eight (8) athletes in preparation for competition in the 2012 Olympics; now, therefore, be it

1           **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*, on behalf of the people  
2 of Guam does hereby, recognize and commend the efforts by organizations and individuals  
3 entailed in this important and long to be remember event; and be it further

4           **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* calls upon all our people  
5 of Guam and particularly young and rising new athletes to emulate the example of these  
6 accomplished persons; and be it further

7           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify,  
8 and the Secretary of the Legislature attests to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be  
9 thereafter transmitted to Guam Olympic Committee; to Ms. Pilar Shimizu; to Mr. R. J. Blas; to  
10 Ms. Amy Atkinson; to Chris Duenas; to Mr. Ben Schulte; to Mr. Derek Mandell; to Ms. Maria  
11 Dunn; to Mr. Derek Horton; to the Honorable Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Guam's Delegate to the  
12 United States Congress; and to the Honorable Eddie Baza Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN***  
***GUÅHAN* ON THE \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2012.**

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

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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
Secretary of the Legislature