


***I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***

**2012(SECOND) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 663-31 (COR)**

**Introduced by:**

**Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.** 

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**Relative to recognizing and commending Ms. Teresita Quichocho Matanane on the occasion of her retirement from Naval Hospital Guam; and extending a sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* for her service to the island community.**

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

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

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Teresita Quichocho Matanane born in Guam on July 6, 1946. She attended Barrigada Elementary School and later graduated from John F. Kennedy High in 1965; and

**WHEREAS**, Tess has been married to Ed for forty-seven (47) years and together they have two (2) children, Eddie and Tracy. She is also the grandmother of four (4), Amanda, Alex, Amelia and Marvin; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Matanane worked her first federal job for Public Center at the Guam, Naval Station as a clerk typist. She then worked as a time keeper at the Ship Repair Facility, Guam and then at the Third Consolidated Industrial Relation Office (CIRO) now known as HRO; and

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1       **WHEREAS**, Tess later relocated to San Diego, California to join her  
2 husband who was stationed at Naval Station, San Diego. While there, she worked  
3 for Fleet Accounting San Diego as an accounting clerk; and

4       **WHEREAS**, Ms. Matanane was then promoted to Procurement Clerk GS-4  
5 and subsequently moved to Naval Air Station North Island; and

6       **WHEREAS**, from 1977 to 1980 her husband worked at NAS Moffied  
7 Field, California and she worked for Naval Supply Center in Oakland, California  
8 as a Purchasing Agent GS-5 worked herself up to GS-9; and

9       **WHEREAS**, from 1980 to 1984 Tess' husband worked in Guam for Naval  
10 Hospital, Guam as Secretary/GS-4 for PWC Engineering. Tess also started as GS-5  
11 Purchasing Agent and moved to GS- 9 Purchasing Agent and was involved in the  
12 process of getting Naval Hospital Guam its own buying authority; and

13       **WHEREAS**, then from 1984 to 1988 Ms. Matanane worked at Naval  
14 Supply Depot, Guam as Contracting Officer, Small Business Specialist and moved  
15 to large contracts as Contract Specialist. In 1988 Tess followed her husband to  
16 Chicago where she worked at Defense Contract Agency Region as GS-7  
17 Purchasing Agent. From 1988 to 1989 Tess worked at Naval Hospital, San Diego  
18 as Contract Administrative Officer and Contracting Officer; and

19       **WHEREAS**, when her husband was transferred in 1989, Tess followed him  
20 to Subic Bay, Philippines where she worked for Morale Welfare and Recreation for  
21 Subic as Purchasing Agent and Contracting Officer until 1993. Later from 1993 to  
22 1996 she lived on Guam and worked for Public Work Center as a Contracting  
23 Officer, and lastly worked from March 1997 to December 2012 as a Contracting  
24 Officer at Naval Hospital Guam; and

1           **WHEREAS**, in addition working in the Naval Hospital, Tess also has a  
2   passion for helping others, volunteering and gardening. She loves to plant and has  
3   planted more than 200 bettle nut plants, numerous flowers, hot peppers, taro,  
4   sweet potatoes and many other vegetables; and

5           **WHEREAS**, she is a Eucharistic Minister who gives weekly communion to  
6   sick and ministers at Santa Teresita Church and Naval Hospital. Ms. Matanane  
7   also visits, prays and reads the bible with females in Post 8 at the Department of  
8   Corrections. She also does the same and assists in mass for those at the  
9   Department of Youth Affairs. In addition, Tess is the Past President and Treasurer  
10   for the Sr. Legion of Mary and the President for Jr. Legion of Mary meeting with  
11   twenty-five (25) children ranging from 7 to 17 years old every Friday night. She  
12   also visits and prays the rosary with different families at their homes in Mangilao  
13   throughout the week; and now, therefore be it

14          **RESOLVED**, the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Una Na I*  
15   *Liheslaturan Guåhan*, does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the  
16   people of Guam, recognize and commend Ms. Teresita Quichocho Matanane on  
17   the occasion of her retirement from Naval Hospital Guam and extend a sincere *Un*  
18   *Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* for her service to the island community; and be it  
19   further

20          **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on  
21   Rules certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to the adoption hereof, and  
22   that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms. Teresita Quichocho  
23   Matanane; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

24   **DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**  
25   **OF I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE \_\_\_\_\_**  
26   **DAY OF DECEMBER, 2012.**

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

**Speaker**

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**RORY RESPICIO**

**Chairman, Committee on Rules**

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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**

**Legislative Secretary**