

I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
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I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 207-32 (COR)

Introduced by:

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

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

3 **WHEREAS**, Ms. Teresita R. Dueñas was born on September 24, 1955, and
4 resides in the village of *Ordot* with her loving husband, Jose S. Dueñas. She is a
5 nurturing mother of five (5) children, three (3) sons and two (2) daughters; and she
6 is also blessed with fourteen (14) grandchildren and three (3) great grandchildren;
7 and

1 **WHEREAS**, Teresita is a proud alumna of George Washington High School, and
2 she was initially hired by the Superior Court of Guam, Division of Juvenile Justice
3 on May 21, 1978, serving as an Assistant Clerk II. She was then administratively
4 transferred to the Department of Youth Affairs (DYA) on September 1, 1978, and
5 was later promoted to her current position of Secretary I (Typist); and she was
6 responsible for keying-in and ensuring that all documents relative to the
7 Department's bi-weekly payroll were in proper order; and

8 **WHEREAS**, Teresita was the assigned Petty Cash Custodian for the
9 Department, and she had the major responsibility for the Department's personnel
10 and payroll files; and

11 **WHEREAS**, as a dedicated employee, Teresita had always been ready to
12 perform any and all other related duties assigned to her, and she was consistently
13 going above and beyond the call of duty to help her fellow co-workers in times of
14 need, and had always taken personal initiative in her professional capacity; and

15 **WHEREAS**, throughout her career, Teresita had completed a wide variety of
16 specialized trainings, which included: the 10th Annual Governor's Conference for
17 Women 2001; Certificate of Recognition, Seminar Stress Management and Staying
18 Together/Moving on...Choice 2001; the 2nd Annual Administrative Professional
19 Conference 2001; the Governor's Award of Excellence "Department of the Year"
20 1999; the Guam Payroll Association 1st Annual Payroll Association Conference
21 1997; the Drug-free Work Place Awareness Workshop 1996; Certificate of
22 Completion, Governor's 1991 Clerical/Secretarial Seminar; Certificate of Training,
23 Basic Filing Concepts 1979; Certificate of Training, Evaluation of Office Filing
24 Operations 1979; Certificate of Completion, Records Management Workshop
25 1979; and Certificate of Completion, Records Management Workshop 1981; and

26 **WHEREAS**, Teresita has been awarded and recognized on numerous
27 occasions, to include, a Certificate of Appreciation - Christmas Party Committee

1 2009; a Letter of Appreciation for DYA’s participation in the planning for the
2 Pacific Conference on Youth 1997; a Letter of Appreciation for the DYA New
3 Employee Orientation 1996; Letter of Appreciation - DYA 1990; a Certificate of
4 Appreciation - DYA 1988; a Letter of Appreciation for Volunteer Field Day
5 Activities 1987; a Letter of Appreciation for the DYA Happy Labor Day 1985; a
6 Letter of Appreciation for Happy Labor Day 1984; the DYA American Red Cross
7 Representative 1979; and a Certificate of Merit for the Youth Tutoring Youth
8 Program 1972; and

9 **WHEREAS**, community service is important to Teresita as she has
10 volunteered her services on “Make a Difference Day” in 2006; the disaster
11 recovery efforts in the aftermath of Typhoon Omar in 1992, and Super Typhoon
12 Paka in 1997; and the First Lady's War Against Drugs, "Operation First Day" in
13 1995; and

14 **WHEREAS**, Teresita decided to take advantage of her opportunity to retire
15 on August 30, 2013, after thirty-five (35) years and three (3) months of service to
16 the people of Guam, leaving the Department of Youth Affairs with memories of
17 her positive work ethic, her unflagging dedication, and her great and heartfelt
18 compassion for our island community; and

19 **WHEREAS**, Teresita’s decision to retire, following a long and fruitful career,
20 will leave a vacancy at her department that will be very difficult to fill, her unique
21 combination of hard work, enthusiasm and perseverance placing her head and
22 shoulders above many others; now therefore, be it

23 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na*
24 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the
25 people of Guam, recognize, commend and congratulate Teresita R. Dueñas on the
26 occasion of her retirement from the Guam Department of Youth Affairs, and for
27 her thirty-five (35) years and three (3) months of dedication to her island, and to

1 the youth of Guam; and does further express a most sincere *Un Dângkolo Na Si*
2 *Yu'os Ma'ãse'* to her for her commitment to the people of Guam; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on
4 Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that
5 copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms. Teresita R. Dueñas; to Adonis
6 J. Mendiola, Director, Guam Department of Youth Affairs; and to the Honorable
7 Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON
RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON
THIS 28TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2013.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



RORY J. RESPICIO
Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary



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	SIGNATURE	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
SENATOR RORY J. RESPICIO Chairperson	<i>email</i>		✓		
SENATOR THOMAS C. ADA Vice-Chairperson					
SPEAKER JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D. Member	<i>email</i>		✓		
VICE-SPEAKER BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ Member	<i>email</i>		✓		2013 AUG 28 AM 9:44
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