I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

Resolutions Log Sheet

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Resolution				Date of	Date	Ofc	
No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Presentation	Referred	Referred	Date Adopted
392-32 (COR)	Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.	Relative to recognizing and congratulating Atkins Kroll	5/29/14	6/3/14			06/03/14
		(AK) Guam on the occasion of its One Hundredth	3:18 p.m.	3:30 p.m.			
		(100th) Year Anniversary; to extending a warm and					
		sincere Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse' to the					
		company for being a significant partner in the growth					
		of Guam's economic prosperity; and to further					
		acknowledging the dedicated AK workforce for					
		"Leading the Way, Every Day" with their exemplary					
		customer service.					

I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2014 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No. 392-32 (COR)

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Relative to recognizing and congratulating Atkins Kroll (AK) Guam on the occasion of its One Hundredth (100th) Year Anniversary; to extending a warm and sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to the company for being a significant partner in the growth of Guam's economic prosperity; and to further acknowledging the dedicated AK workforce for "Leading the Way, Every Day" with their exemplary customer service.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I

- 2 MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:
- 3 WHEREAS, in 1906, G.H. (David) Atkins and Clifton Kroll established
- 4 Atkins, Kroll and Co., Ltd. in San Francisco, California, and began trading operations

between the United States and Australia. This business extended to the Pacific Islands

and in 1914, Atkins Kroll was established on Guam to coordinate the growing copra

3 trade in the Marianas. Due to the positive impact Atkins Kroll had on our island, other

subsidiary companies were subsequently established in the Philippines, Saipan, and

Singapore; and

WHEREAS, Atkins Kroll's operations in the Pacific region were then interrupted by the onset of World War II. However, after the war, company officials returned to Guam and discovered that loyal Guamanian employees had secretly preserved the company's records. This enabled the company to continue on with their success. Not only did the company prosper after the war, but Guam's economy also prospered due to the major role Atkins Kroll had in rebuilding and developing our island; and

WHEREAS, in 1974, Atkins Kroll joined the Inchcape Group, an international motors distributor headquartered in London. Atkins Kroll and Inchcape's core values intertwined with one another: *always* putting the customer at the center of everything they do, bringing them only the very best automobiles and services in the industry; and

WHEREAS, a few years later, in 1981, it became apparent that the hub of Atkins Kroll's business was in the Pacific, mainly on Guam. The services that AK provided on our island exceeded the company's expectations; although the company had started in California, the San Francisco office was closed down and trading operations were concentrated in the Guam-Micronesia region; and

WHEREAS, today, Atkins Kroll, Inc. is the leading distributor of vehicles in this part of the world, and it is the oldest corporation on our island. By creating a network of outlets throughout Guam, the Northern Marianas, and Micronesia, Atkins

1 Kroll is able to reach a vast community in hopes of providing a full range of motoring

2 services to this region. Atkins Kroll believes that its longevity and business success is

due to the company's efforts in providing quality products and services that customers

4 value; and

WHEREAS, Atkins Kroll is a major brand in the local business community, and is the leading automotive dealership on Guam representing Toyota, Scion, Chevrolet, Lexus, and AC Delco. Aside from their vehicles and automotive products, AK's main essence is customer service. The mission statement of the company revolves around the people of Guam: "Alongside the technology and innovation of our products, and the pride and reputation of our local people, it is our mission to provide customer service excellence...every day." Atkins Kroll is the brand that customers can rely on first and foremost for their automotive needs; and

WHEREAS, AK's corporate theme, "Here for Guam. Here for life," reflects highly on their acts of kindness to not only consumers, but also to the vulnerable people of our island community. Atkins Kroll is highly involved with the people of Guam through their generous donations, which includes, but is not limited to, the Make-A-Wish Foundation, the American Red Cross, the Guam Memorial Hospital Volunteers Association, and the United Service Organizations; and

WHEREAS, Atkins Kroll exists to provide the community of Guam absolute customer service excellence while maintaining their highly valued reputation on our island. Atkins Kroll believes in the importance of providing customers with the best products and services in the automotive industry. The company hires only qualified associates who can perform to the highest standard of quality and service in order to be aligned with Atkins Kroll's goals. Atkins Kroll associates believe that the truest

1 strength of the company is customer service, while providing quality products.

2 Customers appreciate every effort made towards customer service; and

WHEREAS, Atkins Kroll continues to make a difference in our community through their commitment to corporate partnership and service to our island. Decade after decade, AK has provided quality automotive products, while continuing to donate their time and resources to great causes. In honor of Atkins Kroll's 100th Year Anniversary, the company decided to donate twenty-five (25) vehicles to help support efforts against crime-related issues, such as burglaries, drugs/substance abuse, and other village concerns. Additionally, Atkins Kroll will donate \$1,914 every month this year to local charities and non-profit organizations. Since the very beginning, Atkins Kroll is committed to ensuring that it continues to have a positive impact on Guam; and

WHEREAS, over the past century, AK has employed many of Guam's residents who provide quality customer service to the people of Guam, and who continue to this day to contribute to the betterment of our island community; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Atkins Kroll (AK) Guam on the occasion of its One Hundredth (100th) Year Anniversary; does extend a warm and sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to the company for being a significant partner in the growth of Guam's economic prosperity; and does further acknowledge the dedicated AK workforce for "Leading the Way, Every Day" with their exemplary customer service; and be it further

- 1 **RESOLVED,** that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
- 2 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
- 3 the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Des Graham, Atkins Kroll Guam President;
- 4 and to the Honorable 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 THE 3RD DAY OF JUNE 2014.

JUDITH T. WON PAT. Ed.D.

Speaker

RORY J. RESPICIO

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

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