

I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN***
2 ***GUÁHAN*:**

3 **WHEREAS**, on October 10, 2014, the people of Taiwan will celebrate the One
4 Hundred Third (103rd) “Double-Tenth National Day” of the establishment of the
5 Republic of China (Taiwan), a day that commemorates the triumph over the Ching
6 Dynasty, and the beginning of the Republic of China under the leadership of Dr. Sun
7 Yat-Sen; and

1 **WHEREAS**, since 1973, the people of Guam have shared a special Sister-City
2 bond with the people of Taipei City that has benefited Guam and Taiwan through its
3 cultural exchanges and economic investments; and

4 **WHEREAS**, this strong Sister-City relationship, that has lasted for more than
5 four (4) decades, has translated into millions of dollars in investments on Guam,
6 which the people of Guam are grateful for; and

7 **WHEREAS**, following Japan and Korea with the third largest number of
8 tourists to visit Guam, around fifty thousand (50,000) visitors from Taiwan have come
9 to visit Guam last fiscal year, fostering the growth of tourism, which is one of Guam's
10 primary industries; and

11 **WHEREAS**, prior to 2009, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* has adopted legislative
12 resolutions commending the efforts of Taiwan to promote World Health, and the
13 endorsement of Taiwan to observer status in the World Health Assembly, the supreme
14 governing body of the World Health Organization; as well as to support the inclusion
15 of the Republic of China (Taiwan), minimally as an observer, in the United Nations
16 specialized agencies, such as the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)
17 and the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change; and

18 **WHEREAS**, on April 29, 2009, Taiwan was invited to take part as an observer
19 in the World Health Assembly; and in September 2013, Taiwan's delegation had been
20 invited as guests of the President of the ICAO Council, Robert Gonzalez, to attend the
21 38th assembly of the ICAO in Montreal, two (2) major breakthroughs for Taiwan's
22 persistent campaign for more active participation in international activities; and

23 **WHEREAS**, recognize their efforts to further strengthen the economic and
24 trade relations between Taiwan and United States, especially in the field of bilateral
25 investments, in joining the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) and the Bilateral
26 Investment Agreement (BIA) with the United States; and

27 **WHEREAS**, the Chinese Community of Guam, including the United Chinese
28 Association of Guam, the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Guam, the Confucius

1 Society of Guam, and the Chinese Ladies Association of Guam, continue to be at the
2 forefront of various worthwhile community projects throughout Guam; and the people
3 of Guam are grateful for the generosity the Chinese Community of Guam has
4 extended to the community; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the people of Guam, both from the government and the private
6 sectors, recognize the continued humanitarian efforts, determination, commitments
7 and labor that the various Chinese organizations contribute to Guam and its residents;
8 now therefore, be it

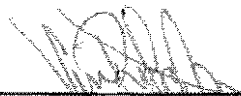
9 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
10 on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate the Republic of China (Taiwan) on the
11 occasion of the One Hundred Third (103rd) "Double-Tenth National Day"; does
12 recognize and commend the Chinese Community of Guam for its many invaluable
13 contributions to Guam; and does further extend *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to
14 the Chinese Community of Guam for its efforts in fostering a closer relationship with
15 the people of Guam; and be it further

16 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and Legislative Secretary attest to, the
17 adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the Honorable
18 Ken C.P. Hu, Director General of Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Guam; to
19 Mr. Michael Randall, President of the United Chinese Association of Guam; and to
20 the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE *I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 30th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2014.



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
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