

I Mina Trentai Tres Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
Resolutions Log Sheet

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Referred	Committee / Ofc Referred	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	Date Adopted
125-33 (COR)	FRANK B. AGUON, JR.	Relative to recognizing and memorializing the late Roque Tenorio Mantanona for his invaluable contributions to the people of Guam; and to further extending sincere condolences to his family on his passing.	06/02/15 12:01 p.m.	06/04/15 7:30 p.m.					06/03/15

I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2015 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 125-33 (COR)

Introduced by:

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Relative to recognizing and memorializing the late Roque Tenorio Mantanona for his invaluable contributions to the people of Guam; and to further extending sincere condolences to his family on his passing.

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I***
2 ***MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3 **WHEREAS**, Roque Tenorio Mantanona was born on November 9, 1931; and
4 he was raised in the beautiful southern village of *Inarajan*. He married †Antonia
5 Francisco Mantanona on November 22, 1952; and they moved to village of *Mangilao*
6 where together they raised ten (10) children: Ramon, †Carmelita, Larry, Marie,

1 Joseph, †David, Peter, Rosie, †Joaquin, and Ann. *Tun* Roque and *Tan* Antonia
2 Mantanona were also blessed with forty-five (45) grandchildren, fifty-seven (57) great
3 grandchildren, and a great-great grandchild; and

4 **WHEREAS**, *Tun* Roque is a Veteran who enlisted in the United States Army
5 and served in the Korean War. While serving in the Army, he was assigned to the
6 Fortieth (40th) Infantry Division; and he was a member of the U.S. Army Golden
7 Gloves Boxing Team and won the United States Army Golden Gloves Boxing
8 Championship in Santa Monica, California, in 1950; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Roque “Rocky” Mantanona, which he is known by the boxing
10 community because of his similarity to former boxing Heavyweight Champion of the
11 World Rocky Marciano, brought his love of boxing back home and he opened a
12 boxing gym at the *Paseo de Susana*, which is now known as the *Paseo* Stadium, and
13 trained some of Guam’s most well known boxers; and

14 **WHEREAS**, *Tun* Roque started working at the Department of Corrections
15 (DOC) on October 20, 1969; and he left the Department of Corrections to become a
16 boxing coach with the Department of Parks and Recreation on September 4, 1979. He
17 decided to return to the Department of Corrections on August 10, 1981; and he later
18 retired from the DOC as a Captain on January 31, 1991; and

19 **WHEREAS**, *Tun* Roque always had a love for writing poetry, and many of his
20 poems depicted his way of life and how it was for him growing up on the beautiful
21 island of Guam. However, writing songs was his forte and he started making albums
22 with Johnny Sablan in 1976; and

23 **WHEREAS**, *Tun* Roque, who is known for his love of *Chamorro* music, began
24 composing songs for many aspiring local musical artists, such as JD Crutch, including
25 the songs, “*Guinaifen Manglo*,” “*Madandan I Kampana*,” and “*Asaguahu Na*
26 *Palaoan*” - which he wrote for his lovely wife, Antonia, after Typhoon Pamela in

1 1976, as he watched how hard she worked to care for their children; he had also
2 composed the song, “*Puti Tai Nobio*” for Johnny Sablan and Flora Baza Quan; and he
3 composed songs for many other artists, such as Bobbie Degracia, Sally Dueñas, Linda
4 Guerrero and Francis Guerrero; and

5 **WHEREAS**, *Tun* Roque is fondly known by his loved ones and those close to
6 him for his broad sense of humor, his toughness, the love he had for his family, and
7 the desire to keep *Chamorro* music alive; now therefore, be it

8 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Tres Na*
9 *Lihselaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihselaturan Guåhan* and the people
10 of Guam, recognize and memorialize the late Roque Tenorio Mantanona for his
11 invaluable contributions to the people of Guam; and does further extend sincere
12 condolences to his family on his passing; and be it further

13 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
14 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
15 the same be thereafter transmitted to the family of the late Roque Tenorio Mantanona;
16 and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahren Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 3RD DAY OF
JUNE 2015.**



JUDITH T. WONPAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



THOMAS C. ADA
Acting 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>Emailed</i>	<i>6/3/15</i>	✓		
Senator Thomas C. Ada Vice-Chairperson	<i>Emailed</i>	<i>6/3/15</i>	✓		
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