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Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Presentation	Referred	Ofc Referred	DATE	REPORT FILED	Date Adopted
463-33 (COR)	FRANK B. AGUON, JR.	Relative to recognizing and congratulating Fina R. Leon	09/22/16	09/26/16					09/23/16
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## I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2016 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No. 463-33 (COR)

Introduced by:

FRANK B. AGUON, JR.
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Relative to recognizing and congratulating Fina R. Leon Guerrero on being awarded with the prestigious 2016 "Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching"; and to further extending Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse' to her for her service and longstanding commitment to providing mentorship, and for her dedication to cultivating a child's natural desire to learn and making a difference in students' lives.

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAL TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

- 3 WHEREAS, Fina Ramirez Leon Guerrero is the daughter of David Zimms and
- 4 Elizabeth Ramirez; and she was born and raised in the village of *Ordot*. Her siblings are:
- 5 Robert Ramirez, David Zimms Jr., Ian Zimms, Tammy Ramirez, and Surina Mohr. She is
- 6 married to John Leon Guerrero; and together they have a son, Ethan; and

WHEREAS, Fina attended Cathedral Grade School, Bishop Baumgartner
Memorial School, and the Academy of Our Lady of Guam. She received her Bachelor's
degree in Elementary Education from the University of Hawaii at Manoa in 2004; and
later, she received her Master's degree in Counseling from the University of Guam in
2010; and

WHEREAS, Fina has been an educator and advocate for her students for the past twelve (12) years; and she has taught a variety of grade levels in both Hawaii and Guam. She was inspired to become a teacher by her father, David, who himself is an educator; and

WHEREAS, other than educating our youth, Fina has volunteered her time and efforts to serving the community with organizations such as, *I Famagu'on-ta*, the Salvation Army, and I Recycle; and

WHEREAS, over the years, Fina has received numerous certificates and awards; and she has contributed immensely to the curriculum development and educational assessments with the Guam Department of Education; and

WHEREAS, for Fina, it was an astounding and exciting moment to receive this prominent Award, which serves as a reflection of the multifaceted efforts of our educators and the island community in engaging our students in lifelong critical thinking and problem solving; and

WHEREAS, the "Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching" (PAEMST) is the nation's highest honor for teachers of Mathematics and Science. Awardees serve as models for their colleagues, as inspiration to their communities, and as leaders in the improvement of education in these fields; and

WHEREAS, Fina is a dedicated, resourceful and spirited educator who strives to help students become persistent learners, while supporting her colleagues and the administration in facilitating each child's social and intellectual growth by creating an atmosphere of mutual respect and open communication; and most importantly, she is an

effective communicator with students and parents, always carrying herself in a caring and diplomatic manner; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Tres Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Fina R. Leon Guerrero on being awarded with the prestigious 2016 "*Presidential Award of Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching*"; and does further extend *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for her service and longstanding commitment to providing mentorship, and for her dedication to cultivating a child's natural desire to learn and making a difference in students' lives; and be it further

**RESOLVED,** that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Fina R. Leon Guerrero, Teacher, M.U. Lujan Elementary School; to Natasha Dela Cruz, Principal, M.U. Lujan Elementary School; to Jon Fernandez, Superintendent, Guam Department of Education; to the Honorable Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Guam Delegate to the United States Congress; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 23<sup>RD</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2016.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.

Speaker.

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THOMAS C. ADA

**Acting Chairperson, Committee on Rules** 

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES Legislative Secretary



## **COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET**

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