

I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN  
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Executive Committee  
Resolution No. 60

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Relative to recognizing the dedication of the late Fred Manuel Ada Castro, and to extending humble and sincere condolences to his family on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam.

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I  
2 *MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*:

3 WHEREAS, Fred Manuel Ada Castro was born on April 20, 1950 to  
4 Wenefreda Ada Castro, *Familian Haniu/Balaku* and Jesus Duenas Castro,  
5 *Familian Santiago/Pepero* ; and

6 WHEREAS, Fred is the eldest brother of Gerald, James, Jesse and  
7 Kenneth; and

1           **WHEREAS**, Fred graduated from Father Duenas Memorial School in  
2 1968 and earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Engineering Operations from  
3 Iowa State University in 1972; and

4           **WHEREAS**, Fred honorably served as a Commissioned Officer in the  
5 United States Air Force from 1975 to September 1985; and

6           **WHEREAS**, during his tenure with the U.S. Air Force, Fred earned  
7 numerous awards and decorations, such as the Reserves Officers' Association  
8 Cadet of the Year Award; the Humanitarian Service Award; the Small Arms  
9 Expert Ribbon; the Combat Readiness Medal with One Oak Leaf; the United  
10 States Navy Outstanding Unit Award from the Commander-in-Chief Pacific;  
11 the United States Air Force Outstanding Unit Award; the United States  
12 Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal with One Oak Leaf; the Joint Services  
13 Commendation Medal; and the Air Force Commendation Medal with 3 Oak  
14 Leaf Cluster; and

15           **WHEREAS**, on December 4, 1975, Fred married Ms. Kayoon (Kay)  
16 Chalermsein, who remained his life partner for thirty (30) years; and

17           **WHEREAS**; Fred and Kay were blessed with the opportunity to raise  
18 their reared son, Lam Pimsri; and

19           **WHEREAS**, Fred began a distinguished career in public service to the  
20 people of Guam as the Deputy Director of the Public Utilities Agency of  
21 Guam from 1987 to 1988; and

22           **WHEREAS**, during the administration of Governor Joseph F. Ada and  
23 Lt. Governor Frank F. Blas, Fred served as the Administrator of the Guam  
24 Environmental Protection Agency (GEPA) from 1989 until 1994; and

1           **WHEREAS**, in recognition of Fred’s environmental stewardship, under  
2 the administration of Governor Felix P. Camacho and Lt. Governor Kaleo S.  
3 Moylan, he once again served as the Agency’s Administrator from January  
4 2003 until his untimely passing, leaving an environmental legacy as one of the  
5 longest serving Administrators of Guam EPA. Fred believed in the  
6 importance of environmental stewardship, serving as a mentor to his Guam  
7 EPA staff and encouraging them to persist in the mission of protecting our  
8 island’s natural resources; and

9           **WHEREAS**, Fred’s environmental participation extended to the  
10 international arena as a Delegate to the United Nations Global Conference on  
11 Environment and Development (NCED), “Earth Summit”, held in Rio de  
12 Janeiro in 1992, and also as the Point of Contact to the United Nations  
13 Economic and Social Commission for Asia/Pacific; and

14           **WHEREAS**, Fred also served as the Chief Guam Delegate to the United  
15 Nations Conference on Sustainable Development of Small Island States in  
16 1994; and

17           **WHEREAS**, Fred was an active member of the Andersen Air Force Base  
18 Restoration Advisory Board since 1994, and has served as the Co-Chairman of  
19 the Board for the past four (4) years; and

20           **WHEREAS**, Fred joined the Navy’s Tiyan Restoration Advisory Board  
21 in 1997 to address the environmental cleanup of formerly used military sites  
22 on Guam; and

23           **WHEREAS**, Fred served as a staff consultant to Senator Joanne M.S.  
24 Brown during the 23<sup>rd</sup> Guam Legislature; as the Chief of Staff and policy  
25 analyst for Vice Speaker Anthony Blaz during the 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> Guam

1 Legislatures; and as finance budget officer for Senator Kaleo S. Moylan during  
2 the 26<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Fred served as the Chairman of the Republican Party of  
4 Guam from 1996 to 1999, and leading the Guam Delegation to the Republican  
5 National Convention in San Francisco, and also served as National  
6 Committeeman from 2000 to 2004; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Fred served as the Secretary to the Guam Statehood  
8 Organization; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Fred will be dearly missed for his numerous contributions  
10 and dedicated service to his family, friends, his staff at the Guam  
11 Environmental Protection Agency, and the people of Guam ; and

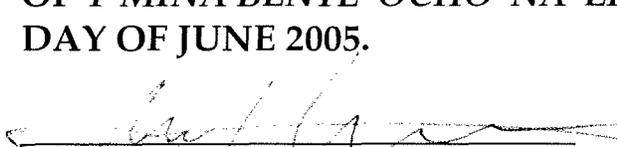
12 **WHEREAS**, Fred excelled in a personal enrichment seminar and made a  
13 difference in the lives of people by allowing the use of the Family Beach at  
14 *Jinapsan* for the advanced course of the Mastering Aeries Seminar and Deans  
15 and Associates; now, therefore, be it

16 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina' Bente Ocho Na*  
17 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the  
18 people of Guam, recognize the outstanding contributions of the late Fred  
19 Manuel Ada Castro, and extends humble and sincere condolences to his  
20 family on the passing of their son, husband and brother; and be it further

21 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive  
22 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption  
23 hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to his wife, Ms.  
24 Kayoon (Kay) Castro; to his reared son, Lam Pimsri; to his mother, Ms.  
25 Wenefreda A. Castro; to his brothers, Mr. Gerald J. Castro, Mr. James P.

1 Castro, Mr. Jesse D. Castro, and Mr. Kenneth G. Castro; to the Guam  
2 Environmental Protection Agency Board of Directors; to Mr. Wayne Natri,  
3 Regional Administrator, United States Environmental Protection Agency,  
4 Region IX; to Mr. John McCarroll, Pacific Island Office Manager, United States  
5 Environmental Protection Agency Region IX; and to the Honorable Felix P.  
6 Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
OF *I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 30<sup>TH</sup>  
DAY OF JUNE 2005.**

	
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Speaker and Chairman, Executive Committee	Senator and Secretary of the Legislature