MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN CHN & CH Reso 2005 (FIRST) Regular Session Resolution No. LBS (

Introduced by:

Edward J.B. Calvo *M* Mark Forbes A.R. Unpingco

Relative to commending and honoring Ms. Kim Bottcher on her election as the incoming president of the Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam during their twelfth (12<sup>th</sup>) anniversary celebration, and to further extending a sincere appreciation to Mr. Robert Kao, outgoing president of the organization, for the contributions he has made for the betterment of our island community.

BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, Ms. Kim Bottcher, a long-time educator, is also a very respected leader in the Vietnamese Community of Guam and who has worked diligently to provide guidance, assistance, and support to former residents and their families originally from Vietnam and other countries in Southeast Asia and the Pacific, all of whom have made the island of Guam their new home; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kim Bottcher was recently elected to serve as the President of the Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam and is cognizant of the needs of our island and her desire to positively contribute to the ever-



growing relationship between the people of Guam and the people of other countries throughout Asia and the Pacific; and

WHEREAS, with the election of Ms. Kim Bottcher as the Incoming President of the Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam, it is also appropriate that the Outgoing President, Mr. Robert Kao, be recognized for the contributions he as made as an active member of the organization; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Robert Kao, together with his lovely wife, Mrs. Annie Kao, own the popular Genghis Khan Furniture Store in Harmon, a successful business venture that has helped Mr. and Mrs. Kao continue their invaluable contributions to charitable and philanthropic organizations such as the Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam; and

WHEREAS, through the leadership of Mr. Robert Kao, the Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam has and continues to participate in various community projects aimed at providing valuable assistance to island residents requiring financial, health, and emotional support; and, now therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the members of *I Mina' Bente Ocho' na Liheslaturan Guåhan* commend and honor Ms. Kim Bottcher on her election as the Incoming President of the Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam during their twelfth (12<sup>th</sup>) anniversary celebration, and further extend a sincere appreciation to Mr. Robert Kao, Outgoing President of the organization, for the contributions he has made for the betterment of our island community; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature

attests to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms. Kim Bottcher, Incoming President, Federation of Asian and Pacific People; to Mr. Robert Kao, Outgoing President, Federation of Asian and Pacific People of Guam; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

## DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2005.

MARK FORBES Speaker EDWARD J. B. CALVO Senator and Secretary of the Legislature