## I MINA BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2006 (Second) Regular Session

Executive Committee Resolution No. 134 Ec

Introduced by:

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L.F. Kasperbauer Ray Tenorio Mike Cruz

Relative to observing the University of Guam's Charter Day Celebration and to commending the UOG president, faculty, staff, students and Board of Regents and the 2006 Charter Day Committee for their work in continuing the traditional celebration of this auspicious and historic event.

## Be it Resolved by I Mina Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan:

2 Whereas, on March 14, 2006, the University of Guam ("the University"), a 3 land grant institution, will observe its Charter Day, marking its founding; and 4 Whereas, Harold L. Allen, Ph.D., President of the university appointed the 5 2006 Charter Day Committee to organize this year's activities, whose 6 membership includes: Pedro R. Martinez, Chairman; Kimberly N. Ada; Pacita 7 "Patty" Aguon; Joanie Barcinas; Peter R. Barcinas; Christopher F. Bejado; Joseph 8 M.U. Blas; June L.G. Calvo; Victor P. Camacho; Ric R. Castro; Dolores "Loling" 9 Cepeda; Daisy Cruz; Nancy U. Cueto; Sahara J. Defensor; Swingly Dismas; Mark 10 A. Duarte; Pamela Eastlick; Joseph Fernandez; Frances "Fran" A. Guerrero; 11 Gerard "Gerry" Guerrero; Susan Kuartei; Brenda C. Leon Guererro; Michele O. 12 Limtiaco; Christine M.K. Mabayag; Dr. Ronald L. McNinch-Su; Cathleen Moore-13 Linn; Leah-Beth Naholowaa; Joaquin "Kin" Ninete; Peter R. Onedera; Doreen F. 14 Pangelinan; Julie J. Pangelinan; John B. Perez; Dallas Pocaigue; Connie M.C. Quinata; Tom Quinanta; Therese P. Roberto; Jesse B. Rosario; Diana R. Sablan; 15 16 Janet L.B. San Nicolas; Joey M. Santos; Jesse A. Tedpahogo; Kristina Louise C.

- 1 Torres; Louise Toves; Darlene "Seven" Vigil; Suzanne de C. Wilkins; and Monica
- 2 Wintterle; and
- Whereas, the Territorial College of Guam, which was founded in 1952,
- 4 offering limited classes at the old George Washington High School campus in
- 5 Mongmong, was developed from a two-year teacher-training institution to a
- 6 land grant university that offers a full range of undergraduate programs and
- 7 graduate studies, relocated to its present one hundred (100) acre campus over-
- 8 looking Pago Bay in Mangilao in 1961; and
- 9 Whereas, the Territorial College of Guam was renamed the "University of
- 10 Guam" by the 9th Guam Legislature after being accredited for the maximum
- period by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges ("WASC") in 1968;
- 12 and
- Whereas, the University of Guam's first Charter Day was proclaimed on
- December 17, 1968 by the Honorable Governor Manuel F.L. Guerrero through
- 15 Executive Order 74-09; and
- Whereas, while the University pursues its mission of providing resident
- instruction and research to the people of Guam, it also provides our neighbors
- throughout Micronesia the opportunity to achieve higher education; and
- Whereas, the University of Guam, in its quest to maintain its tradition of
- 20 excellence, continues to contribute to the Island's social, cultural, political and
- 21 economic advancement; and
- Whereas, the theme for this year "Inina yan Sinaonao: Lini'e Todu I
- 23 Tano", ("To Enlighten and Involve: Global Perspectives") reflects the vision
- 24 and revised mission of the University's governing Board of Regents and the
- 25 President to provide higher education and opportunities for the people of Guam,
- the islands of the Western Pacific, and the Asian Pacific Rim nations; and

1	Whereas, the 2006 Charter Day activities will showcase Guam's cultural,
2	social, educational and recreational activities by inviting the people of Guam to
3	visit the Mangilao campus during the week and share in these experiences; now
4	therefore, be it
5	Resolved, that I Mina Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on
6	behalf of the people of Guam, join in the celebration of the University of Guam
7	Charter Day and does commend the president, faculty, staff and students and
8	Board of Regents in continuing to make this annual event a tradition; and be it
9	further.
10	Resolved, that the Speaker certify to and the Legislative Secretary attest
11	the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms.
12	Sahara Defensor, President, UOG Student Government Association; to Dr.
13	Harold L. Allen, President of the University; to Mr. Ronald Leach, Chairman of
14	the UOG Board of Regents; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I Maga Lahen
15	Guåhan.
	Duly and regularly adopted on the of February, 2006.
	MARK FORBES Speaker Speaker EDDIE BAZA CALVO Senator and Legislative Secretary