## I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2007 (FIRST) Regular Session

**Executive Committee Resolution No. 88** 

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Relative to commending Chief Warrant Officer Four (CWO4), Steven E. Taylor for over three (3) decades of service to the United States Navy and congratulating him on his retirement.

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I

## MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

- 3 WHEREAS, Chief Warrant Officer Four (CWO4), Steven E. Taylor is
- 4 retiring from the United States Navy on June 1, 2007, ending a distinguished
- 5 career in service to this nation that has spanned more than thirty (30) years;
- 6 and

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- 1 WHEREAS, a native of Towanda, Pennsylvania, Steven E. Taylor
- 2 enlisted in the U.S. Navy on March 24, 1977 as an Airman; and
- 3 WHEREAS, after completion of boot camp at Great Lakes, Illinois,
- 4 Steven E. Taylor attended AT "A" School at Memphis, Tennessee and
- 5 Advanced Electronic Warfare Operator (EWOP) School at Pensacola, Florida;
- 6 and
- 7 WHEREAS, upon completion of Survival, Evasion, Resistance, and
- 8 Escape (SERE) and Deepwater Environmental Survival (DWEST) Training in
- 9 San Diego, California, Steven E. Taylor reported for his first aviation tour with
- 10 the Fleet Air Reconnaissance Squadron One (VQ-1) at NAS, Hagåtna, Guam
- 11 from where he was deployed to Japan, Korea, Thailand, Philippines, Diego
- 12 Garcia, Africa, Muscat Oman, and Masirah; and
- 13 WHEREAS, during his attachment to VQ-1, Steven E. Taylor flew as a
- 14 EWOP and Deepwell Technician, and was designated as a Naval Air
- 15 crewman; and
- 16 WHEREAS, in June 1981, Aviation Technician Second Class Petty
- 17 Officer (AT2) Taylor reported aboard Patron Four (VP-4) Detachment Special
- 18 Projects at NAS Barbers Point, Hawaii, as a EWOP, Radar, and Special
- 19 Systems Operator; and
- 20 WHEREAS, during his tour at NAS Barbers Point, Steven E. Taylor
- 21 worked both organizational and intermediate level maintenance, and in the
- 22 configurations division, made deployments to Alaska, Japan, Korea, Guam,

- 1 Midway Island, Wake Island, Kwajalen, Diego Garcia, Masirah, Djibouti,
- 2 Muscat Oman, Cocos Reeling, and the Philippines. He made modification
- 3 and test and evaluation deployments to Patuxent River, Maryland; NADC
- 4 Warminister, Pennsylvania; Point Mugu and Moffet Field California; and
- 5 WHEREAS, in October 1988, Aviation Electronics Technician Chief
- 6 (ATC) Steven E. Taylor reported to Naval Technical Training Center, Corry
- 7 Field, Pensacola, Florida, where he served as Leading Chief Petty Officer and
- 8 as an EWOP instructor, and earned his Master Training Specialist; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Steven E. Taylor attended Troy State University,
- 10 graduating with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Resources
- 11 Management and a Master of Science in Management Degree; and
- 12 WHEREAS, in October 1991, Aviation Electronics Technician Senior
- 13 Chief (ATCS) Steven E. Taylor reported as Avionics Division Leading Chief
- 14 Petty Officer and Airborne Electronic Supervisor (AES) at VQ-1, NAS Hagåtna,
- 15 Guam; and
- WHEREAS, Steven E. Taylor was designated as Safe to Release Aircraft
- 17 for Flight and NATOPS Instructor for AES, EWOP and Big Look and was
- 18 deployed to Japan, Thailand, Diego Garcia, Bahrain, Masirah, Nellis AFB and
- 19 NAS Fallon, Nevada; and
- WHEREAS, in November 1994, ATCS Steven E. Taylor reported to VQ-1
- 21 Detachment Misawa, Japan, as Command Senior Chief, Maintenance Chief,

- 1 and as an AES, and was deployed to Okinawa, Guam, Thailand, and
- 2 Australia; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Steven E. Taylor has accumulated over seven thousand
- 4 (7,000) flight hours; and
- 5 WHEREAS, in December 1997, Avionics Master Chief (AVCM) Steven
- 6 E. Taylor reported to Naval Air Facility Misawa, Japan, Aircraft Intermediate
- 7 Maintenance Department as Production Control Master Chief. In April 1999,
- 8 he took over as the Command Master Chief, Naval Air Facility, Misawa,
- 9 Japan; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Master Chief Steven E. Taylor was selected for
- 11 advancement to Chief Warrant Officer Three (CWO3) during the Fiscal Year
- 12 2000 CWO/LDO selection board. After completion of his training at
- 13 Pensacola, Florida, Chief Warrant Officer Steven E. Taylor and his family
- 14 proceeded to Helicopter Support Squadron Five (HC-5), at Anderson Air
- 15 Force Base, Guam. He served as a Detachment Maintenance Officer on board
- 16 USNS SPICA, USNS NIAGARA FALLS, and USNS SAN JOSE, wrapping up
- 17 the last year of his tour as squadron Assistant Maintenance Officer (AMO);
- 18 and
- 19 WHEREAS, in July 2002, CWO3 Steven E. Taylor reported to USS
- 20 KITTY HAWK (CV-63) as the AIMD/IM-3 Division/Avionics Officer and was
- 21 promoted to CWO4. He served on the USS KITTY HAWK during Operation
- 22 Iraqi Freedom; and

- WHEREAS, in July 2004, CWO4 Steven Taylor transferred to his present
- 2 command, HSC-25, and deployed on board USNS GY SGT FRED W
- 3 STOCKHAM, USNS FLINT and USNS KISKA; and,
- 4 WHEREAS, after his return, he took over as Homeguard Division
- 5 Officer and concluded his thirty (30) years of Naval Service, 1 June 2007, as
- 6 AMO; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Chief Warrant Officer Four (CWO4), Steven E. Taylor has
- 8 garnered numerous commendations, the Meritorious Service Medal, Navy
- 9 and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (with two (2) gold stars), the Navy
- and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (with three (3) gold stars), and various
- 11 campaign and service medals and ribbons; and
- 12 WHEREAS, for over three (3) decades, Chief Warrant Officer Four
- 13 (CWO4), Steven E. Taylor has exemplified the highest standards of the United
- 14 States Navy and his efforts in this country's behalf deserve his fellow
- 15 citizens' deepest gratitude; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Chief Warrant Officer Four (CWO4), Steven E. Taylor
- 17 has been a devoted husband to his wife Sylvia and a loving father to his
- 18 children, Jeremy and Robert, managing to balance life duties in the
- 19 United States Navy with his family; now, therefore, be it
- 20 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na
- 21 Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guåhan and the
- 22 people of Guam, congratulate Chief Warrant Officer Four (CWO4), Steven E.
- 23 Taylor on his retirement from the United States Navy and extend to him our

- 1 sincere best wishes for continued happiness as he embarks on the next chapter
- 2 of his life; and be it further
- 3 RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive
- 4 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption
- 5 hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Chief Warrant
- 6 Officer Four (CWO4), Steven E. Taylor; to the Helicopter Sea Combat
- 7 Squadron Twenty-five (HSC-25); and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I
- 8 Maga'lahen Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF *I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 31<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF MAY 2007.

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Speaker and

Chairman, Executive Committee

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Senator and

**Secretary of the Legislature**