

I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Executive Committee
Resolution No. 96

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Relative to commending and congratulating Dr. Patrick Norris Grover, M.D., for his valuable contributions to the military families and veterans of Guam as a surgeon at Naval Hospital Guam.

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

3 **WHEREAS, Cmdr. Patrick Norris Grover, M.D., U.S.N., is married to**
4 **Denise Michelle Grover, and the couple is blessed with three (3) sons, Hunter,**
5 **Connor and Colin and a lovely daughter named Hannah Grace. Dr. Grover**
6 **was born in Wisconsin and earned his Bachelor of Science from the United**

1 States Naval Academy in 1991, where he graduated with Merit. Dr. Grover
2 graduated from the Georgetown University Medical School in 1995, and was
3 selected a member of Alpha Omega Alpha. From 1995 to 1996, Dr. Grover
4 interned at Portsmouth Naval Hospital, Virginia; and

5 **WHEREAS**, from 1996 to 1998, Dr. Grover served as the General Medical
6 Officer on board the U.S.S. Enterprise, and from 1998 to 2001, was assigned to
7 Oceana Branch Medical Clinic as the General Medical Officer. In 2004, Dr.
8 Grover completed his residency in Family Medicine at Naval Hospital
9 Jacksonville, Florida. From 2004 to 2007, Dr. Grover was in charge of the
10 Department Head Branch Medical Clinic COMNAVMAR, Guam; and

11 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Grover's military awards include two (2) Navy
12 Commendation Medal Awards and two (2) Navy and Marine Corp
13 Achievement Awards; and

14 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Grover has treated many members of Guam's military
15 families and veterans, who wholeheartedly appreciate all Dr. Grover has done
16 to assure that his patients get the best healthcare; and

17 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Grover has been the personal physician for Anabelle
18 Therese Castro "*Princess*" and Cecilia Gabrielle Castro Evangelista. His
19 exceptional level of care and compassion opened doors, providing a brighter
20 future for Princess. Dr. Grover's care, kindness and respect for Princess, who
21 was born with Down's syndrome, has not only improved the quality of life,
22 but has also instilled greater hope in her family; and

23 **WHEREAS**, after nine (9) years of Cecilia's being told not to worry
24 about a birthmark on her scalp, Dr. Grover took it a step further, to the

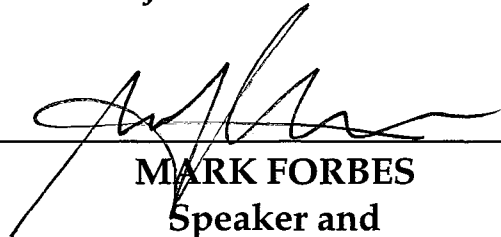
1 operating room, where he surgically removed this birthmark because it was
2 cancerous, thus saving Cecilia's life; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Grover epitomizes the ideal of both a military man and
4 a community servant, demonstrated by his numerous significant and
5 unselfish contributions to the people of Guam; now, therefore, be it

6 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na*
7 *Lihsaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihsaturan Guåhan* and the
8 people of Guam, the Castro and the Evangelista families, commend Dr.
9 Patrick Norris Grover for his unselfish efforts to assist our military families
10 and veterans and wishes Dr. Grover and his family, "Fair Winds and
11 Following Seas" to their next duty station; and be it further

12 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive
13 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption
14 hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Dr. Patrick
15 Norris Grover and Mrs. Denise Michelle Grover; to the Honorable Madeleine
16 Z. Bordallo, Guam's Delegate to the United States Congress; and to the
17 Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 8TH
DAY OF JUNE 2007.**



MARK FORBES
Speaker and
Chairman, Executive Committee



RAY TENORIO
Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature