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## I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2007 (FIRST) REGULAR SESSION

Executive Committee Resolution No. <u>105</u>

Introduced by:

Ray Tenorio

Relative to commending and congratulating Mr. Franklin A. Perez, Police Officer III, Guam Police Department; Recipient of the Guam Police Department's "2007 Police Officer of the Year" Award.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I

## 2 LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

- 3 **WHEREAS**, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez was born on January
- 4 16, 1965 and raised in the village of Santa Rita; and is married to his high
- 5 school sweetheart Mary Jane Torres and are proud parents of three (3)
- 6 children, Verronica Lorissa, Naedine Renae, and Matthew James; and
- 7 WHEREAS, in October 1985, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez
- 8 enlisted in the United States Marine Corps (USMC) and proudly served our
- 9 country for four (4) years before being honorably discharged on September
- 10 16, 1989; and

1 WHEREAS, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez returned back to his

2 island home and began his professional career with the Guam Police

3 Department (GPD) after graduating from the Police Academy on May 12,

4 1991; and

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5 **WHEREAS**, from 1991-1994, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez was

6 assigned to various precincts of the Neighborhood Patrol Division and in

7 September 1994 was transferred to the Traffic Investigation Section, now

8 known as the Highway Patrol Division; and

9 WHEREAS, in November 1999, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez

resigned his position with GPD to further expand his skills and training

and seek other opportunities abroad; and

WHEREAS, in December 2001, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez

continued his law enforcement career with Dyncorp International serving

as an International Civilian Police Officer in Kosovo under the United

Nations. After serving as a patrol officer for one (1) month, Police Officer

16 III Franklin A. Perez was assigned to a new unit to assist in the

17 development and implementation of the Kosovo Organized Crime Bureau.

18 Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez ended his tour with Dyncorp

19 International in December 2003; and

20 WHEREAS, Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez returned home in

21 January 2004 and continued his law enforcement career, once again, with

- 1 the Guam Police Department where he his presently assigned to the
- 2 Highway Patrol Division as a Crash Homicide
- 3 Investigator/Reconstructionist; now, therefore, be it
- 4 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina' Bente Nuebi Na*
- 5 Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guåhan and the
- 6 people of Guam, join in commending and congratulating Police Officer III
- 7 Franklin A. Perez in recognition of him receiving the Guam Police
- 8 Department's "2007 Police Officer of the Year" award bestowed upon him
- 9 on May 18th, 2007; and be it further
- 10 **RESOLVED,** the Executive Committee of I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na
- 11 Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guåhan,
- 12 recognizes that Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez has brought great honor
- 13 and distinction to himself, the Guam Police Department and the island
- 14 community by his commitment and dedication in ensuring that our island
- and community is safe and secure; and be it further
- 16 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive
- 17 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attests to, the
- adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to
- 19 Police Officer III Franklin A. Perez; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho,
- 20 I Maga'Lahen Guåhan.

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Speaker and
Chairman, Executive Committee

Ray Tenorio Senator and Secretary of the Legislature