

I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Executive Committee

Resolution No. 124

Introduced by:

Ray Tenorio 

Relative to congratulating the Republic Of China (Taiwan) and the Chinese Community of Guam on the occasion of the Ninety-sixth (96th) Double Tenth National Day of the Republic of China (Taiwan) and commending the Chinese Community of Guam for continuing to promote strong relations between the Republic and the island of Guam.

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

WHEREAS, on October 10, 2007 the people of the Republic of China will commemorate the end of imperial Manchu Qing Dynasty rule, the establishment of the Republic of China under the leadership of Dr. Sun yat-Sen, and the beginning of the system of democracy enjoyed by the people of the Republic today; and

WHEREAS, the people of Guam, along with the people of Taipei city, have shared a special Sister-City bond that has benefited the people of Guam though its cultural exchanges and economic investments since 1973; and

WHEREAS, the people of Guam are grateful for the strong Sister-City relationship with Taipei, a decades long relationship of cultural and economic exchange that has greatly benefited our island; and

WHEREAS, tens of thousands of people from Taiwan visit our island every year, fostering the growth of our primary industry, tourism; and

WHEREAS, the people of Guam greatly value the many contributions to our island from members of our Chinese Community who continue to be at the heart of various community projects throughout our island under the United Chinese Association of Guam, the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Guam, the Confucius Society of Guam, and the Chinese Ladies' Association of Guam; now therefore,

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate the Republic of China (Taiwan) on the occasion of its Ninety-Sixth (96th) 'Double-Tenth National Day' and be it further

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, commend the Chinese Community of Guam for its many worthwhile contributions to our island and for its efforts in fostering stronger relations between the Republic of China (Taiwan) and the island of Guam; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to His Excellency Chen Shui-bian, President of the Republic of China (Taiwan); to the Honorable James C. F. Huang, Minister of Foreign Affairs; to the Honorable Joseph Wu, Representative, Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in Washington, D.C.; to the Honorable Lung-bin Hau, Mayor of Taipei; to the Honorable Pearl Bi-Chu Wu, Speaker, Taipei City Council; to the Honorable James Chin, Director-General, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Guam; to Mr. Joseph Hsu, President of the United Chinese Association of Guam; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'Lahen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF *I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THIS _____ DAY OF OCTOBER 2007.

MARK FORBES
Speaker

EDWARD J. B. CALVO
Senator and Secretary of the Legislature