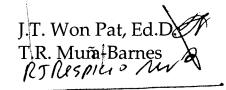
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I MINA'BENTE NUEBLNA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2007 (FIRST) Regular Session

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Introduced by:



RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING MR. RON A. CANOS, A GUAM PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM ART TEACHER AT SIMON SANCHEZ HIGH SCHOOL IN YIGO, ON THE OCCASION OF HIS SELECTION AS THE 2008 GUAM STATE TEACHER OF THE YEAR REPRESENTATIVE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN

- 2 **GU**ÅHAN:
- WHEREAS, Mr. Ron A. Canos was born on May 18, 1975 to Juan B.
- 4 Canos, Jr. and Evelyn S. Canos; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Ron is married to Aileen Ortega Canos, a teacher at F.B. Leon
- 6 Guerrero and a recipient of the 2005 Presidential Award for Excellence in Math
- 7 and Science Teaching; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Ron received his Bachelors Degree in Secondary Education
- 9 from the University of Guam in 1998; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ron returned to the University of Guam to further his
- education and successfully completed a Master of Arts Degree in Education
- 12 Administration and Supervision in 2006; and

WHEREAS, Ron began his teaching career at F.B. Leon Guerrero Middle 1 School's Summer School program in 1998, teaching Art in grade levels 6th to 8th; 2 3 and WHEREAS, In August 1998, Ron began teaching Art at the high school 4 level in Simon Sanchez High School in Yigo, and continues to be a member of the 5 faculty; and 6 WHEREAS, Ron has an extensive professional development portfolio 7 which has contributed to his growth as a teacher, participating in such events as; 8 Simon Sanchez High School Learning Communities - with topics such as Building 9 a Teacher Philosophy and Building Open Communication; Western Association of 10 Schools and Colleges (WASC) Workshop "Focus on Learning"; 2003 NASA 11 Urban and Rural Community Enhancement Program in Oklahoma; 2007 National 12 Science Teachers Association Conference in California; 2007 Association for 13 Supervision and Curriculum Development Conference in Chicago; 2007 14 Educators' Academy - Presenter - "Interactive Student Notebooks"; and many 15 others; and 16 WHEREAS. Ron has been active in extra-curricular activities at Simon 17 Sanchez High School with roles as Coordinator for Accreditation, Student 18 Activities, and the Stanford Achievement Test 9th Edition; Advisor for National 19 Honor Society (NHS), Simon Sanchez High School Soccer Club, and the Simon 20 Sanchez High School Athletics Club; Coach of the Boys and Girls Soccer Team; 21 Organizer of "Sharks Got Talent" Fundraiser; Mentor in the Simon Sanchez 22 23 Mentorship Program; and Department Chairperson; and WHEREAS, Ron, over the course of his teaching career, has amassed an 24 25 impressive number of awards and special recognition to include; Recognized Coach- IIAAG League Champions - Simon Sanchez High School Boy's Soccer 26

- 1 Team (2003, 2005, 2006); Recognized Coach ISL League Champions Simon
- 2 Sanchez High School Boy's Soccer Team (2001, 2002); Recognized Coach -
- 3 League Championships Simon Sanchez High School Girl's Soccer Team (2004);
- 4 Recognized Teacher, Guided student's winning entry to Congressional Art Contest
- 5 for representation of Guam in the United States Congress, Washington, D.C.
- 6 (2000-2004 and 2007); Keynote Speaker Simon Sanchez High School
- 7 Commencement Ceremony (2005 and 2007); Recipient, "Golden Apple Award"
- 8 for Outstanding Teacher of the Year by the University of Guam and ACEI;
- 9 Finalist, Citibank Innovate to Educate grant competitions; and Finalist, 2005 Guam
- 10 Teacher of the Year; and many others; and
- 11 WHEREAS, as a result of his candidacy and selection, it is well known that
- Mr. Canos inspires students of all backgrounds and abilities to learn; has the
- 13 respect and admiration of students, parents, and colleagues; and plays an active and
- useful role in the community as well as in the school; as outlined in the National
- 15 Teacher of the Year nomination guidelines; and
- 16 WHEREAS, a panel of judges from all ranks of education, selected Mr.
- 17 Canos from a final list of six (6) outstanding educators nominated for consideration
- as the 2008 Guam State Teacher of the Year; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the Guam Public School System has announced that Mr. Ron
- A. Canos as the 2008 Guam Teacher of the Year and is proud to boast of Ron's
- 21 abilities and dedication to education and is ready to support his entry into the
- National Program; and now, therefore, be it
- 23 RESOLVED, that I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does
- 24 hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, join in recognizing and congratulating
- 25 Mr. Ron A. Canos, a Guam Public School System Art teacher at Simon Sanchez

- 1 High School in Yigo, on the occasion of his selection as the 2008 Guam State
- 2 Teacher of the Year Representative; and be it further
- 3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature
- 4 attest to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted
- 5 to Mr. Ron A. Canos; to Lourdes San Nicolas, Principal of Simon Sanchez High
- 6 School; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I Maga'lahen Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2007.

MARK FORBES	RAY TENORIO
Speaker	Senator and
	Secretary of the Legislature
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