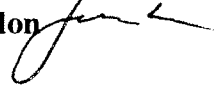


I MINA 'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2008 (Second) REGULAR SESSION

Executive Committee Resolution No. 197

Introduced by:

J.V. Espaldon 

Relative to recognizing and congratulating the Simon Sanchez High School Lodging Management Program Class on their Overall 2nd Place showing at the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute National Lodging Management Program Competition held April 9-11, 2008 in Orlando Florida.

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

3 **WHEREAS,** the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute National Lodging
4 Management Program (LMP) Competition was held on April 9-11, 2008 at the Shades of Green
5 Resort on the property of the Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, Florida; and

6 **WHEREAS,** the competition is meant to expose and challenge students to the real-life work
7 experiences they would face in a hotel; and

8 **WHEREAS,** the competition is put on by the Educational Institute, using funding provided
9 by the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Foundation and tasked teams of students to display
10 their proficiency while competing in three contests: Hotel Operations, The Hospitality Project, and
11 The Knowledge Bowl; and

12 **WHEREAS,** LMP is a national educational program for high school juniors and seniors that
13 covers topics in the program including lodging management, front office and housekeeping
14 management, leadership skills, marketing and sales, and food and beverage service;

15 **WHEREAS,** the Guam Community College established its Lodging Management Program
16 in 1997 and has conducted the program in each of Guam's public high schools, hosting its own local
17 competition to decide the Guam representative to the national LMP competition held annually in
18 Orlando, Florida; and

19 **WHEREAS,** the Guam representative for 2008 was the team from Simon Sanchez High
20 School comprised of members Rosewin Marasigan, Sherry Gozum, Lerio Abinales, and Persha
21 Amparo, under the guidance of Instructor Norman Aguilar; and

1 **WHEREAS**, in all, 13 teams competed, representing schools in Arkansas, Florida, New
2 Hampshire, New York, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Texas, Arizona, Hawaii, Ohio,
3 and Washington, D.C., as well as from Guam; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Simon Sanchez High School team is the 1st group from Guam to place in
5 the top three at the National Lodging Management Competition, including placing 2nd in the Overall
6 Competition, taking 2nd Place in the Knowledge Bowl, and earning 2nd Place in the Hospitality
7 Project.; now, therefore, be it

8 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina 'Bente Nuebi na Liheslaturan*
9 *Guåhan*, on behalf of the people of Guam, does hereby recognize the Simon Sanchez High School
10 LMP team as the first team representing our island to place in the top three of the American Hotel &
11 Lodging Educational Institute National Lodging Management Program Competition; and, be it
12 further

13 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina 'Bente Nuebi na Liheslaturan*
14 *Guåhan*, on behalf of the people of Guam, extends its congratulations to the team and its instructor
15 for their placing 2nd in the Overall Competition, taking 2nd Place in the Knowledge Bowl, and
16 earning 2nd Place in the Hospitality Project; and, be it further

17 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive Committee certify, and
18 the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be
19 thereafter transmitted to Simon Sanchez High School LMP team members Miss Rosewin Marasigan,
20 Miss Sherry Gozum, Miss Lerio Abinales, and Miss Persha Amparo; to Mr. Norman Aguilar, LMP
21 Instructor, Simon Sanchez High School; to Mr. Barry L. Mead, Assistant Professor, Department
22 Chair, Tourism and Hospitality Department, Guam Community College; and, to the Honorable Felix
23 P. Camacho, *I Maga 'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I
MINA 'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE ___TH DAY OF MAY 2008.**