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Sigun gi kinimenda an konggrayulasion para i membro siha gi Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan para i minaolek kontrebusion-ñiha guato gi tinaotao Guâhan gi ukasion i ma establisan inetnon yan i Mina Nubenta na Komplí años-ña.

Relative to commending and congratulating the members of the Young Men's League of Guam for their Outstanding Contributions to the people of Guam on the occasion of the League's Ninetieth (90th) Anniversary of its Establishment

BE IT RESOLVED BY I LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN:

KUMU, desde i tinutuhon-ña "I Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan" gi i Mit nuebi Siento Disisiette, hagas ha' manmetgot na taotâogue gi prinithehi yan i inabâsan i kottura, lengguâhi, irensia, yan i kostumbren I ManChamorrón Guâhan, Mariânas yan gi enteru mundo; yan

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WHEREAS, since its inception in 1917, the Young Men's League of Guam (YMLG) also known as "*I Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan*" has been a strong proponent in the preservation and advancement of the indigenous culture, language, heritage and traditions of the Chamorro People of Guam, the Marianas and throughout the world; and

KUMU, ha silelebra i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan i mina'nubenta años na dinibotu yan hunurâpble na nina'en setbisio yan ayudu para i Kumunidât i Islâta; yan

WHEREAS, the *i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan* celebrates ninety (90) Years of dedicated and honorable volunteer service to our Island Community; and

KUMU, i Kumiten i Nubenta Años (90) na Silibrasion u giniha mo'na i aktebedât siha ; yan

WHEREAS, the 90th Anniversary Celebration Planning Committee organize these events.

KUMU, si Che'lu Jesús Delgado, Ge'helo' i Mina'nubenta Años (90) na Silibrasion yan i membro siha gi kumiteha si Che'lu Ronald T. Laguaña Ge'helo' Kumiten i Misa, Pruklâmasion, Risulasion Liheslatibu. Yan Risulasion Konggresunât ya mañiha yan si Che'lu Tony Perez Rabon, Che'lu Peter Santos, yan si Che'lu Victor Artero, Ge'helo' i Gipot Silibrasion, si Che'lu Antonio M. Palomo, Ge'helo' Puplekasion i Lepblon Nubenta Años na Silibrasion ya u fanmanâ'i kada unu un kopian este na pruklâsion yan un kopia para i inetnon.

WHEREAS, Brother Jesús S. Delgado, Chairperson of the 90th Anniversary Celebration and sub-committee members, Brother Ronald T. Laguaña, Committee Chairperson of Mass, Proclamation, Legislative Resolution and Congressional Resolution with its members: Brother Tony

Perez Rabon, Brother Peter D. V. Santos and Brother Victor T. Artero, Committee Chair for Recognition Dinner, Brother Antonio M. Palomo, Committee Chair on 90th Anniversary Commemorative Publication and are to each receive a copy of this proclamation and one copy to the league.

KUMU, i hinenggen i membron i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan siha na para u ma go'te yan difende i prinsepât i maolek na gubetno, para u ma poksai yan abânsa i espiriton inatungo' inakomprende yan inafa'mâolek entre i membro siha, kumu guaha sensian opblegasion gi kada membro kontra i kumunidât, i Inafa'mâolek yan mâs empottânte i "familia", put i hinengge na i respeton maisa yan respeton otro, ginen i familia (i respetu i fondon i familia); yan

WHEREAS, the precept of the membership of the Young Men's League of Guam is to uphold and defend the principles of good government, fostering and promoting friendship, camaraderie and a closer understanding among their fellow members by instilling a sense of individual obligation to our community, our cultural value system of unity and understanding and most importantly the "family", believing that mutual respect for oneself and others is derived from the family (respect is the foundation of the family); and

KUMU, metgot i hinenggen-ñiha gi familia put i ma abânsan i manhoben, esta mâs di Kuarenta años i Inetnon Lalâhan Guâhan di ha setbe i manhoben i isla gi nisisidât idukasion yan dibuetsion entre âpas eskuela yan kontrebusion-siha; yan sinupotte; yan

KUMU, ma annunsian fotmât na u ma estapblisa nu i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan Fondon Salâppe' Lengguâhi yan Kotturan Chamorro para i mantaotao-ta ni' para u prutehi, abânsa yan na'fâmta' i lengguâhi yan kotturan Chamorro para i manmamaila' siha na hinirasion.

WHEREAS, the Young Men's League of Guam formally announce as part of its 90th Anniversary Celebration the establishment of a Chamorro

Language and Culture Endowment Fund for the protection, advancement, and perpetuation of the Chamorro language and Culture for our future generation.

WHEREAS, imbued in the familial sense of promoting our youth, the Young Men's League of Guam has over Forty (40) years, assisted in our Island youth's educational and recreational need through scholarships, financial contributions, and sponsorships; and

KUMU, fuet kontrebusion-ñiha i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan para u ma na' lamâolek i lina'la' ayu siha i numisisita ayudu taiguihi i taotao ni' manggai achaki put kimason, i mannai gima', i manmalângu, i manma atetende na manâmko gi ya St. Dominic's; yan i inetnon man'a'ayuda giya Guahan; yan

WHEREAS, the Young Men's League of Guam has also contributed immensely towards bettering the lives of those less fortunate, such as fire victims, the homeless, the medically indigent, St. Dominic's Geriatric Care Facility and other charity organizations.

KUMU, put i ma kontenunuha i minalago'-ñiha i ma abansan i irensia, lengguâhi yan i kottura, pinatlinunuyi nu i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan I "Silibrasion Chamoru" gi Kompetasion Sinangan, yan Tinige' siha ; yan

WHEREAS, the Young Men's League of Guam in their continuing efforts to promote and preserve Guam's heritage, language and culture, sponsors the annual "Silabrasion Chamorro" Student Oratorical, Essay, and Writing Competitions.

KUMU, gi maloffan tiempo mañaonao lameggai na membron i Inetnon Lalâhen Guâhan gi kinalamten yan fe'nâña i islan Guâhan desdeki i mafañagu-ña gi Mit Nuebi Siento Disisiette na sâkkan esta pâ'go sigun ginen fine'nana na Ufisiât siha tat kumu si difunto Leon Flores, Prisidente yan i tatan difunto Átso Obispon Felixberto C. Flores; difunto Jose Duenas, Bisa-Prisidente yan che'lon i

difunto as Pale' Jesus Baza Duenas yan tatan i ritirâo na Hues Kotten Destriton Estados Unidos Hunurâpble Cristobal C. Duenas; si Manuel Ulloa, Sikritâriu famao yan âpman di mama'nâ'gue gi i isla; i difunto Adriano M. Cristobal, Trisurâriu yan guellon i prisente Hues Prisidenten Kotten Supiriât Hunurâpble Alberto C. Lamorena, yan i difunto Vicente Arriola, Laibirihan/Hestoriânu yan tatan i estâba Hunurâpble Kuentusadot Joaquin C. Arriola; Fumotma i Akton Otganikon Guâhan si difunto Baltazar J. Bordallo, i difunto Eduardo T. Calvo, yan i otro difunto as Francisco B. Leon Guerrero, todû i Maga'lâhen Guâhan siha ni' lahen Man Chamoru, i difunto Hunurâble Joseph Flores, i difunto Hunurâpble Maga'lâhi Manuel F. L. Guerrero, i difunto Hunurâpble maga'lâhi Carlos G. Camacho, i difunto Hunurâpble Ricardo J. Bordallo, si Hunurâpble maga'lâhi Paul M. Calvo, si Hunurâpble maga'lâhi Joseph F. Ada, si Hunurâpble maga'lâhi Carl T.C. Gutierrez, yan i prisente na Maga'lâhi as Hunurâpble Felix Perez Camacho; i estaba Mandiligâdon Konggresu, si difunto Hunurâpble Antonio B. Won Pat, si Hunurâble Vicente G. "Ben" Blaz, yan si Hunurâpble Robert A. Underwood; Mamfamao na ântes di gera na Kumetsiânte siha, si difunto Pedro Martinez, si difunto Jose Martinez Torres, si difunto Ambrosio T. Shimizu, yan si difunto Pedro M. Ada; Membro siha gi Manrilihosu, si difunto Monsiñor Oscar L. Calvo, difunto Sinot Âtso Obispo Felixberto C. Flores, yan i prisente na Sinot Âtso Obispo Anthony Sablan Apuron; Membro siha gi Manhues, si difunto Hunurâpble Jose C. Manibusan, si difunto Hunurâpble Joaquin C. Perez, si difunto Hunurâpble Vicente C. Reyes, si difunto Hunurâpble Vicente B. Bamba, si difunto Hunurâpble Francisco G. Lujan, yan si difunto Hunurâpble Joaquin V.E. Manibusan; i prisente na Liheslaturan Guâhan siha as Hunurâpble Sinadot Antonio R. Unpingco; yan i prisente na ufisiât siha tat kumu si che'lu Vicente "Ben" Concepcion, Prisidente; si che'lu Fred Mendiola, Bisa-Prisidente; si che'lu Daniel Cruz, Sikritâriu; yan si che'lu Joseph D.M. Bamba, Trisurâriu; Inetnon Konseheron Mañaina siha ni' estaba si Sinadot yan che'lu Antonio "Tony" M. Palomo, si che'lu Norbert "Bert" Reyes Unpingco, âbugao yan che'lu Fred Bordallo, Sr., Mahot yan che'lu Vicente "Ben" Gumataotao, si che'lu Jesus U. Torres, si che'lu Angel Flores, si che'lu Pedro Santos yan ; Inetnon Direktot siha as Doktot yan che'lu Wilfred Leon Guerrero, si che'lu Vicente "Ben" Carbullido,

si che 'lu Bob Pelkey, si che 'lu Edward Chargualaf, si che 'lu Jaime D.S. Paulino, si che 'lu Ronald Tenorio Laguaña yan si che 'lu Andrew Tenorio Laguaña; yan

WHEREAS, over the years, Guam's progress has hand-in-hand been attributed to the active participation of prominent members of the Inetnon Lalåhen Guåhan since its inception in 1917 with its Charter officers: the late Leon Flores – President and father of the late Archbishop Felixberto C. Flores; the late Jose Duenas – Vice President and brother of the late Reverend Father Jesus Baza Duenas and father of retired U.S. District Court Judge Cristobal C. Duenas; Mr. Manuel Ulloa – Secretary, a prominent and a long-time island educator; the late Adriano M. Cristobal – Treasurer and grandfather of Superior Court Presiding Judge Alberto C. Lamorena, and the late Vicente Arriola – Librarian/Historian and father of former Speaker Joaquin C. Arriola; the founding fathers of the Organic Act of Guam – the late Honorable Baltazar J. Bordallo, the late Honorable Eduardo T. Calvo, and the late Honorable Francisco B. Leon Guerrero; all Governors of Guam of Chamorro ancestry – the late Honorable Joseph Flores, the late Honorable Manual F. L. Guerrero, the late Honorable Carlos G. Camacho, the late Honorable Ricardo J. Bordallo, Honorable Paul M. Calvo, Honorable Joseph F. Ada, Honorable Carl T. C. Gutierrez and the current *Maga 'lahen Guahan* Honorable Governor Felix Perez Camacho; former Guam Delegates to the Congress of the United States – the late Honorable Antonio B. Won Pat, Honorable Vicente G. Blaz, and Honorable Robert A. Underwood; prominent pre-war businessmen – the late *Sinot* Pedro Martinez, the late *Sinot* Jose Martinez Torres – the late *Sinot* Ambrosio T. Shimizu, and the late *Sinot* Pedro M. Ada; members of the clergy – the late Reverend Monsignor Oscar L. Calvo, the late Archbishop of Guam, His Excellency, the Most Reverend Felixberto Camacho Flores, and the Archbishop of Guam, His Excellency, the Most Reverend Anthony Sablan Apuron; members of the Judiciary – the late Honorable Jose C. Manibusan, the late Honorable Joaquin C. Perez, the late Honorable Vicente C. Reyes, the late Honorable Vicente B. Bamba, the late Honorable Francisco G. Lujan, and the late Honorable Joaquin V.E. Manibusan;

current members of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, Senator Antonio R. Unpingco.; and current officers of the Young Men's League of Guam: Brother Vicente "Ben" Concepcion– President, Brother Fred Mendiola – Vice President, Brother Daniel Cruz – Secretary, and Brother Joseph D.M. Bamba – Treasurer; the Council of Elders – former Senator and Brother Antonio "Tony" M. Palomo, Brother Norbert "Bert" R. Unpingco, Attorney and Brother Fred Bordallo, Sr., Mayor and Brother Vicente "Ben" Gumataotao, Brother Jesus U. Torres, Brother Angel Flores, Brother Pedro Santos; the Board of Directors – Dr. and Brother Wilfred Leon Guerrero, Brother Vicente "Ben" Carbullido, Brother Bob Pelkey, Brother Jaime D. S. Paulino, Brother Edward Chargualaf, Brother Ronald Tenorio Laguaña, Brother Andrew Tenorio Laguaña; and

MA DITETMINA, na I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan ha nã'i, sigun ginen I taotao Guåhan, kinimenda yan konggrayulasion para I membro siha gi Inetnon Lalåhen para I minaolek Kontribusion-ñiha guatu gi tinaotao Guåhan gi ukasion I ma Establisan I Inetnon yan I Mina'Nubenta na Kompliaños-ñayan guåhu gi ma nã'en "Inora Buena" yan etmås mãolek na diniseha para todú i membron i Inetnon i Lalåhen Guåhan yan i familian-ñiha. In e'epok hamyo para en kontenuha todú i maolek che'cho'-miyu yan todú i kinemplen-miyu, mucho mãs i empeñu ni' para in kontenuha i prinitehi yan inabãnsan i kostumbre, lengguåhi, kottura, irensia yan i manhoben i islã-ta;

MA DITETMINA, I Mina'Bente Nuebe na I Liheslaturan Guåhan ha e'epok taotao kuminidãt para u ma tattiyi i hinenggen I Inetnon Lalåhen Guåhan na para ta fanbrãbu gi i benensen i dinanña' familia kosaki siña ta gosa ta'lo i trangkilu, respetu, yan i chinetton i paraison i islã-ta ni' ma tungo' ni' taotão otro tãno' put i islã-ta, na annok i kostumbren Inafamãolek, yan i respetu i fondasion i familia."

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Bente Nuebe na Liheslaturan Guåhan* urge our community to emulate the Young Men's League of Guam precept of active participation, volunteerism and aggressive promotion of family unity so

we can once again enjoy the tranquility, respect and cohesiveness our island paradise is internationally known for showcasing our “Cultural value system of unity and understanding and that respect is the foundation of the family”.

MA DITETMINA, na I Mina'Bente Nuebi na Liheslaturan Guåhan ha nã'i, sigun ginen I taotao Guåhan, kinimenda yan konggrayulasion para I membro siha gi Inetnon Lalåhen Guåhan para i minaolek kontrebusion-ñiha guatu gi tinaotao Guåhan gi ukasion i ma establisan i inetnon yan i Mina'Nubenta na Kompliaños-ña, yan talo

RESOLVED, that the *Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby on behalf of the people of Guam, commend and congratulates the members of the Young Men's League of Guam for their outstanding contributions to the people of Guam on the occasion of the organization's Ninetieth (90th) Anniversary of its founding; and be it further

MA DITETMINA, na Kuentusadot u settifiha, yan Sikritarian Leheslatura u atesta gi, i inadapta eraki ya kopiha siha u fanma entrega guatu gi presente na ufisiat siha gi i Inetnon Lalåhen Guahan: che'lu Vicente Concepcion Prisedente; che'lu Fred Mendiola Bisa-Prisedente; che'lu Daniel Cruz Sikritariu; yan si che'lu Joseph Bamba Trisurariu; yan para i Hinuraple Felix P. Camacho, I Maga'låhen Guåhan.

RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attests to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the current Officers of the Young Men's League of Guam: Mr. Vicente Concepcion President; Mr. Fred Mendiola Vice President; Mr. Daniel Cruz Secretary; and Mr. Joseph Bamba Treasurer; and to the Honorable Felix Perez Camacho, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan.*

NA U INADAPTA GI DIHA — GI MAIMO 2007.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED ON THE — DAY OF
FEBRUARY, 2007.

MARK FORBES

Kuentusadot

Speaker

RAY TENORIO

Sinadot yan Sikritarion Liheslatibu

Senator and Secretary of the Legislature