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commendation: and

MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUĂHAN 2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

Executive Committee

Resolution No. 1/2 (45)

Introduced by:

Ray Tenorio L.F. Kasperbauer Sur R. Klitzkie

memorializing the contributions Relative to accomplishments of the late James Michael Santos Artero, for his years of service to the people of Guam and to his country, and to express the heartfelt condolences of the people of Guam and I Liheslaturan Guåhan to his family.

BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN 1 GUÅHAN: 2 3 WHEREAS, James Michael Santos Artero was born on June 1, 1981 to James Michael Flores Artero and Theresa S. Witt; and 4 5 WHEREAS, James Michael Santos Artero attended school at P.C. Lujan Middle School in Radio Barrigada, Inarajan High School, and graduated in 6 7 1999 from Guam Community College; and 8 WHEREAS, in order to serve his country, James Michael Santos Artero enlisted in the United States Navy in the year 2000; and 9 10 WHEREAS, his fortitude to succeed in his career prompted outstanding

WHEREAS, James Michael Santos was awarded the National Defense

performance evaluations from his superiors, and a number of medals of

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1 Service Medal on September 11, 2001; the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal

2 on February 6, and March 3, 2003; the Global War on Terrorism Award on

3 March 8, 2003; the Sea Service Award on April 6, 2003; a Good Conduct

4 Award on September 9, 2003; and a Navy Unit Commendation on March 3,

5 2004 and May 3, 2004; and

WHEREAS, in the last evaluation given to Michael James Santos Artero, it was recommended by his superior officer that Michael James Santos Artero be Duty Instructor, noted that he was a superb administrator, managing over twenty-five personnel, and a motivating team leader who developed three watch teams consisting of thirty-three junior personnel, enabling the U.S.S.

Tarawa to complete every mission; and now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, memorialize the contributions and accomplishments of Michael James Santos Artero, affectionately known as "Mikie", and express the heartfelt condolences of the people of Guam to his family; and be it further

RESOLVED, by *I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize the family of the late Michael James Santos Artero for their sacrifices and unselfish support during his years of service to his country; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the family of the late Michael James Santos Artero; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 23rd DAY OF NOVEMBER 2005.

MARK FORBES
Speaker and
Chairman, Executive Committee

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