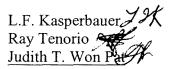
I MINA BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN 2005 (First) Regular Session

Resolution	No.	18	(LS)
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Introduced by:

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Relative to observing the University of Guam's Fifty-Third (53rd) Charter Day Celebration and to commending the president, faculty, staff, students and the Charter Day 2005 Committee for their work in continuing the traditional celebration of this auspicious and historic event.

Be it Resolved by I Mina Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan:

2 Whereas, on March 08, 2005 the University of Guam ("the University"), a land grant institution, will observe its Charter Day, marking the Fifty-Third (53rd) Anniversary 3 4 of its founding; and 5 Whereas, President Dr. Harold L. Allen appointed the Charter Day 2005 6 Committee to organize this year's activities, whose membership includes: Peter Roy 7 Martinez, Chair; Peter Barcinas, Jesse Rosario, Julie Pangelinan, Rick R. Castro, Mike 8 Liberatore, Jess Tedpahago, Kin Ninete, Jerry Guerrero, Joe Fernandez, Joey Santos, Bill 9 Palomo, Therese Roberto, Nancy Cueto, Suzanne Wilkins, Leah Beth Nahalowaa, Tom 10 Quinata, Kristina Torres, John B. Perez, Frances Guerrero, Diana Sablan, Chris Bejado, 11 Pam Eastlick, Peter Onedera, Connie C. Quinata, Daisy Cruz, Edward Dailig, , Katherine 12 Roberto, Stephanie Callaway, Mary Jane Alegre, Mark Duarte, Seph Castro, Cathleen 13 Moore-Linn, Dana Gutierrez-Reyes, Maj. Frank Tominez, Dr. Ron McNinch, Dr. Anita 14 Borja-Enriquez, Dr. Annette Santos, Dr. Marilyn Salas, Dr. Joe Nededog Jr., The Faculty 15 Senate, The Student Government Association, The UOG Alumni Association; and

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Whereas, the Territorial College of Guam, which was founded in 1952, offering limited classes at the old George Washington High School campus in Mongmong, was developed from a two-year teacher-training institution to a land grant university that offers a full range of undergraduate programs and graduate studies, relocated to its present one hundred (100) acre campus over-looking Pago Bay in Mangilao in 1961; and Whereas, the Territorial College of Guam was renamed the "University of Guam" by the 9th Guam Legislature after being accredited for the maximum period by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges ("WASC") in 1968; and Whereas, the University of Guam's first Charter Day was proclaimed on December 17, 1968 by the Honorable Governor Manuel F.L. Guerrero through Executive Order 74-09; and Whereas, while the University pursues its mission of providing resident instruction and research to the people of Guam, it also provides our neighbors from Micronesia the opportunity to achieve higher education; and Whereas, the University of Guam, in its quest to maintain its tradition of excellence, continues to contribute to the Island's social, cultural, political and economic advancement; and Whereas, the theme for this year "Promoting Diversity Through Learning and **Discovery"** reflects the vision and revised mission of the University's governing Board of Regents and the President to provide higher education and opportunities for the people of Guam, the islands of the Western Pacific, and the Asian Pacific Rim nations; and

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Whereas, the 2005 Charter Day activities will showcase Guam's cultural, social, 1 2 educational and recreational activities by inviting the people of Guam to visit the 3 Mangilao campus during the week and share in these experiences; now therefore, be it 4 **Resolved,** that I Mina Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, join in the celebration of the Fifty-Third (53rd) Anniversary 5 6 of the University of Guam Charter Day and does commend the president, faculty, staff 7 and students in continuing to make this annual event a tradition; and be it further. 8 Resolved, that the Speaker certify to and the Legislative Secretary attest the 9 adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Peter Roy 10 Martinez, Chair of the Charter Day 2005 Committee; to the UOG Student Government 11 Association; to Mr. Ronald Leach, Chairman of the UOG Board of Regents; to Dr. 12 Harold L. Allen, President of the University; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I 13 Maga Lahen Guahan 14 Duly and regularly adopted on the of February, 2005. MARK FORBES EDDIE BAZA CALVO Speaker Senator and Legislative Secretary LARRY F. KASPERBAUER

Senator and Sponsor

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