


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

Resolution No. 69 (LS)
As amended.

Introduced by:

L. F. Kasperbauer 

Relative to recognizing and commemorating the impact and lasting impression offered by the late Mary Rita Untalan, an educator's educator, in the realm of education through her work as a teacher and a Cooperative participant with the University of Guam's School of Education.

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN
2 GUÅHAN:

3 WHEREAS, the late Mary Rita Untalan was born in 1953 to the late Luis
4 P. and Rosario F. Untalan; and

5 WHEREAS, recognizing early on that she would dedicate a majority
6 of her adult life to education, Mary made a lifelong commitment to education
7 and educating; and

8 WHEREAS, she is fondly remembered as an Educator's Educator and
9 described as one of the "Best Cooperative Teachers" the University of Guam
10 School of Education has had the pleasure of partnering with; and

11 WHEREAS, many-a-student teachers taken under her wing were but
12 tiny and awkward caterpillars who've blossomed into beautiful butterflies
13 and have spread their wings as far and as wide as the realm of education
14 allows; and

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1 **WHEREAS**, classroom teachers whom have had the experience and
2 opportunity of being under Mary Rita Untalan’s tutelage are among the top
3 educators in the teaching of youngsters in the elementary grades in today’s
4 classrooms; and

5 **WHEREAS**, today, her family will proudly begin the “Mary R. Untalan
6 Teacher’s Scholarship;” offering a generous \$1,500 scholarship for the 2005 -
7 2006 school year backed by an indefinite commitment of \$500 per school year
8 thereafter; now, therefore, be it

9 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
10 on behalf of the people of Guam, commend and pay tribute posthumous to
11 the late Mary Rita Untalan and congratulate and thank her family for their
12 generosity to the University of Guam in the name of Mary; and be it further

13 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the
14 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be
15 thereafter transmitted to family of the Late Mary Rita Untalan and to
16 University of Guam School of Education, and to the Honorable Felix P.
17 Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA
LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE _____ DAY OF APRIL 2005.**

MARK FORBES
Speaker

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

