

***MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
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Res. No. 94 (FC)

Introduced by:

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**RELATIVE TO CONGRATULATING THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA (TAIWAN) FOR THEIR NINETY-FOURTH "DOUBLE-TEN NATIONAL DAY" AND TO COMMENDING THEIR EFFORTS IN FOSTERING STONGER RELATIONS WITH THE PEOPLE OF GUAM; AND EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE TO THE CHINESE COMMUNITY OF GUAM FOR THEIR VALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR ISLAND.**

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

3           WHEREAS, on October 10, 2005, the people of Taiwan will commemorate the  
4 overthrow of the Manchu Qing Dynasty and the founding of the Republic of China  
5 under the leadership of Dr. Sun Yat-Sen; and

6           WHEREAS, for thirty-two (32) years, the people of Guam and Taipei City have  
7 shared a special bond through a "sister city" relationship which commenced in 1973  
8 and resulted in cultural exchanges and economic investments that have assisted in  
9 stimulating our economy; and

10           WHEREAS, about twenty-four thousand five hundred (25,500) visitors from  
11 Taiwan visited our island in 2004. Taiwanese visitors assist in diversifying our  
12 tourism market and keeps our primary industry alive; and

13           WHEREAS, the Chinese community on Guam continues to be an integral part  
14 of our island community. Through the numerous community projects of the United  
15 Chinese Association of Guam, the Chinese Merchants' Association of Guam, the

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1 Confucius Society of Guam and the Chinese Ladies Association of Guam, our island  
2 gains a better understanding of the Chinese culture as well as a genuine appreciation  
3 for the generosity they have extended to the people of Guam; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Bente Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby on behalf  
5 of the people of Guam, congratulates the Chinese Community of Guam on the  
6 celebration of the ninety-fourth (94<sup>th</sup>) “Double-Ten National Day” of the Republic of  
7 Chine (Taiwan) and does commend the Republic of China (Taiwan) for its efforts in  
8 fostering a stronger relationship with the people of Guam; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Bente Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on  
10 behalf of the people of Guam, recognize the Chinese Community of Guam for their  
11 outstanding contributions toward the economic and social development of our island;  
12 and be it further

13 RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to,  
14 the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to His  
15 Excellency Shui-bian Chen, President of the Republic of China (Taiwan); to the  
16 Honorable Tan-sun Chen, Minister of Foreign Affairs; to the Honorable Ta-wei Lee,  
17 Representative, Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in Washington,  
18 D.C.; to the Honorable Ying-jeou Ma, Mayor of Taipei; to the Honorable Pearl Bi-  
19 Chu Wu, Speaker, Taipei City Council; to the Honorable Chen-yu Chin, Director-  
20 General, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Guam; to Mr. Fong Wu, President of  
21 the United Chinese Association of Guam; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I*  
22 *Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

