

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

Resolution No. 18(LS)

As amended.

Introduced by:

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

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

3 **WHEREAS,** on March 8, 2005 the University of Guam ("the
4 University"), a land grant institution, will observe Charter Day, marking the
5 Fifty-Third (53rd) Anniversary of its founding; and

1 **WHEREAS**, President Dr. Harold L. Allen appointed the Charter Day
2 2005 Committee to organize this year’s activities, whose membership
3 includes: Pedro R. Martinez, Chairman; Peter R. Barcinas, Christopher F.
4 Bejado, Dr. Anita Borja-Enriquez, Stephanie S. Callaway, Victor P. Camacho,
5 Josephfa Castro, Richard R. Castro, Daisy Cruz, Nancy U. Cueto, Edward
6 Dailig, Mark A. Duarte, Pamela Eastlick, Joseph Fernandez, Frances A.
7 Guerrero, Gerard Guerrero, Dana Gutierrez-Reyes, Michael Liberatore,
8 Christine M.K. Mabayag, Dr. Ronald L. McNinch, Cathleen Moore-Linn,
9 Leah-Beth Nahalowaa, Dr. Joe Nededog Jr., Norma C.F. Ngiramolau, Joaquin
10 Ninete, Peter Onedera, Bill Palomo, Julie J. Pangelinan, Juan B. Perez, George
11 F. Pereda, Connie M.C. Quinata, Tom Quinata, Katherine Roberto, Therese
12 Roberto, Jesse B. Rosario, MaryJane Alegre-Rosario, Diana R. Sablan, Dr.
13 Marilyn Salas, Dr. Annette Santos, Joey Santos, Jesse A. Tedpahogo, Maj.
14 Frank Tominez, Kristina Louise C. Torres, Suzanne de C. Wilkins, the Faculty
15 Senate, the Student Government Association, and the UOG Alumni
16 Association; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the Territorial College of Guam, which was founded in
18 1952, offering limited classes at the old George Washington High School
19 campus in Mongmong, developed from a two-year teacher-training institution
20 to a land grant university that offers a full range of undergraduate programs
21 and graduate studies, and was relocated to its present one hundred (100) acre
22 campus over-looking Pago Bay in Mangilao in 1961; and

23 **WHEREAS**, the Territorial College of Guam was renamed the
24 “University of Guam” by the Ninth (9th) Guam Legislature after being

1 accredited for the maximum period by the Western Association of Schools
2 and Colleges (“WASC”) in 1968; and

3 **WHEREAS**, the University of Guam’s first Charter Day was proclaimed
4 on December 17, 1968 by the Honorable Governor Manuel F.L. Guerrero
5 through Executive Order 74-09; and

6 **WHEREAS**, while the University pursues its mission of providing
7 resident instruction and research to the people of Guam, it also provides our
8 neighbors from Micronesia the opportunity to achieve higher education; and

9 **WHEREAS**, the University of Guam, in its quest to maintain its
10 tradition of excellence, continues to contribute to the Island’s social, cultural,
11 political, and economic advancement; and

12 **WHEREAS**, the theme for this year “**Promoting Diversity Through**
13 **Learning and Discovery**” reflects the vision and revised mission of the
14 University’s governing Board of Regents and the President to provide higher
15 education and opportunities for the people of Guam, the islands of the
16 Western Pacific, and the Asian Pacific Rim nations; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the 2005 Charter Day activities will showcase Guam’s
18 cultural, social, educational, and recreational activities by inviting the people
19 of Guam to visit the Mangilao campus during the week to share in these
20 experiences; now, therefore, be it

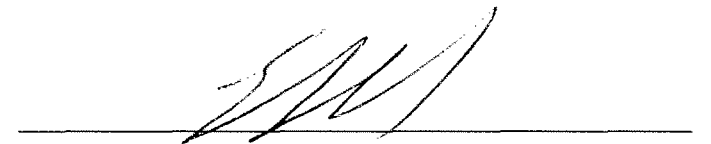
21 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina’ Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
22 on behalf of the people of Guam, join in the celebration of the Fifty-Third (53rd)
23 Anniversary of the University of Guam Charter Day and does commend the

1 president, faculty, staff and students in continuing to make this annual event a
2 tradition; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the
4 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be
5 thereafter transmitted to Mr. Peter Roy Martinez, Chair of the Charter Day
6 2005 Committee; to Ms. Josephfa Castro, President, UOG Student Government
7 Association; to Mr. Ronald Leach, Chairman of the UOG Board of Regents; to
8 Dr. Harold L. Allen, President of the University of Guam; and to the
9 Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 2ND DAY OF FEBRUARY 2005.


MARK FORBES
Speaker


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