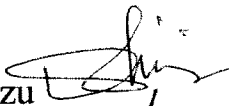
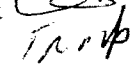



**I MINA' BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
**2008 (SECOND) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 194(LS)**

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**Relative to congratulating the Republic of China (Taiwan) on its Ninety-Seventh (97<sup>th</sup>) “Double-Tenth National Day” and commending the Chinese Community of Guam for its gratified contributions and determinations to seek solidified relations with the People of Guam.**

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

2 **WHEREAS**, on October 10, 2008, the People of Taiwan will celebrate the  
3 Ninety-Seventh (97<sup>th</sup>) ‘Double-Tenth National Day’ of the Republic of China  
4 (Taiwan), a day that commemorates the triumph over Manchu Qing Dynasty and the  
5 beginning of the Republic of China under the leadership of Dr. Sun Yat-Sen; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the people of Guam along with the people of Taipei city, have  
7 shared a special Sister-City bond that has benefited the people of Guam through its  
8 cultural exchanges and economic investments since 1973; and

9 **WHEREAS**, with the strong Sister-city connection, that has lasted for more  
10 than three decades, has translated tens of millions of dollars in investments on island  
11 which the people of Guam are grateful for; and

12 **WHEREAS**, more than twenty-three thousand (23,000) people from Taiwan  
13 have come to visit our island this year, fostering the growth of our primary industry,  
14 tourism; and

1           **WHEREAS**, the Chinese Community on Guam continue to be at the heart of  
2 various community projects throughout our island under the United Chinese  
3 Association of Guam, the Chinese Merchants' Association of Guam, the Confucius  
4 Society of Guam, and the Chinese Ladies Association of Guam in which our island  
5 has embraced the Chinese culture and the generosity the Chinese Community of  
6 Guam has extend our people; and

7           **WHEREAS**, we the People of Guam, both from the Government workforce  
8 and Private sectors recognize the continued efforts, determination, commitments and  
9 labor the various Chinese organizations contribute to the Island and its families; now  
10 therefore, be it

11           **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina' Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,  
12 on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate The Republic of China (Taiwan) on the  
13 occasion of its Ninety-Seventh (97<sup>th</sup>) 'Double-Tenth National Day'; and be it further

14           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature  
15 attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to,  
16 His Excellency Ying-jeou Ma, President of the Republic of China (Taiwan); to  
17 the Honorable , Francisco Ou' Minister of Foreign Affairs; to the Honorable  
18 Jason Yuan, Representative, Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative  
19 Office in Washington, D.C.; to the Honorable Lung-bin Hau, Mayor of Taipei;  
20 to the Honorable Bi-Chu Wu, Speaker, Taipei City Council; to the Honorable  
21 Vince Tsai, Director-General, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Guam; to  
22 Mr. Joseph Hsu, President of the United Chinese Association of Guam ; and to  
23 the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahren Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA  
LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN ON THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2008.**

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**JUDITH T. WON PAT**

**Speaker**

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**TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES**

**Senator and**

**Secretary of the Legislature**