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

Resolution No. 208(LS)

Introduced by:

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7008 DEC 12 PH 2: 2 Relative to commending and congratulating CTSI Logistics on the construction of a new Airport Facility Warehouse for which they will be breaking ground on December 18, 2008 at the A. B. Won Pat Guam International Airport; and for their nineteen (19) years of service and outstanding contributions to the people of Guam.

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

GUÅHAN: 2

WHEREAS, CTSI Logistics had their beginnings in 1989 as 3 Consolidated Transportation Services Inc., the freight forwarding arm of its 4 5 parent company Tan Holdings, servicing Guam, the Northern Marianas, 6 and Micronesia; and

WHEREAS, in 1991 CTSI built their first warehousing facility in 7 Guam for consolidated freight service operations and for several years 8 focused on freight forwarding as well as on the growing businesses within 9 the Pacific islands, giving CTSI solid experience in cargo consolidation, as 10 well as building a loyal client base for their business; and 11

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WHEREAS, in 1995 CTSI opened an office at the Antonio B. Won Pat
 International Airport to better serve its growing list of customers, and in
 1997 became an agent for foreign shipping line Mariana Express Lines,
 Ltd., (MELL), opening an office at the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial
 Port; and

6 WHEREAS, the rapid expansion and globalization of businesses in 7 the 1990s helped CTSI take its services to the next level, bringing on board 8 a young and dynamic team of Information Technology and Logistics 9 professionals who helped the company evolve into an integrated logistics 10 provider, subsequently re-naming itself CTSI Logistics; and

11 WHEREAS, with their broad knowledge of the industry, strong 12 information technology expertise, and specialized customer service, 13 providing air freight service capabilities and on-land service requirements 14 including trucking, warehouse management and storage, in addition to its 15 ocean freight services; and

16 WHEREAS, CTSI Logistics now encompasses 27 stations in 12
17 countries across North America, Asia and the Pacific, stretching from
18 Vietnam to New York City; and

WHEREAS, CTSI's current operation in Guam continues its growthand expansion, with the groundbreaking of a new Airport Facility

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Warehouse to take place at the Won Pat International Airport on December
 18, 2008; and

WHEREAS, this new facility, especially during a time when
economies worldwide are experiencing a slowdown, demonstrates CTSI
Logistics' commitment to our island and our people; now therefore, be it

6 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does 7 hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, commend and congratulate CTSI 8 Logistics on the construction of a new Airport Facility Warehouse for 9 which they will break ground on December 18, 2008, at the Guam 10 International Airport; and be it further

11 **RESOLVED,** that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does 12 hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, extend its best wishes for success 13 to CTSI Logistics, and express the appreciation of the people of Guam for 14 the company's nineteen (19) years of service and contributions to our 15 island, and for their continued faith in our island's economy and future; 16 and be it further

17 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the 18 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be 19 thereafter transmitted to Dr. Tan Siu Lin, Chairman, CTSI Logistics; to Mr. 20 Willie Tan, Chief Executive Officer, CTSI Logistics; to Mr. Jerry Tan 21 President, CTSI Logistics; to Mr. George Chiu, Executive Vice-President,

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CTSI Logistics; To Martin J. Gerber, Chairman of the Board, Guam
 International Airport Authority; to Carlos H. Salas, Executive Manager,
 Guam International Airport; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I
 Maga'lahen Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTEDBY I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NALIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THEDAY OF DECEMBER, 2008.

JUDITH T. WONPAT Speaker TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

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