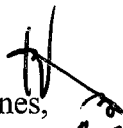

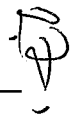


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**PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY 6 - 12, 2007, AS  
“HOSPITAL WEEK” WITH THE THEME “CARE YOU COUNT  
ON, PEOPLE YOU TRUST.”**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY I LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:**

**WHEREAS,** Hospital Week is a time set aside to honor the caring professionals who daily devote their talents to healing the sick. This year National Hospital Week is scheduled for May 6 - 12, 2007, with the official theme “*Care You Count On, People You Trust;*” and

**WHEREAS,** individuals all across our island will be celebrating this time-honored event. The hard working people that compose our hospital deserve universal regard and appreciation for keeping our community healthy. The employees, physicians and volunteers are among the finest healthcare professionals. They are

1 dedicated professionals who strive daily to ensure that our patients receive quality  
2 health care; and

3 **WHEREAS**, our hospital provides all customary acute care services and certain  
4 specialty services; these include adult and pediatric medical services; inpatient and  
5 outpatient surgery; intensive care (neonatal, pediatric and adult); skilled nursing care;  
6 laboratory and comprehensive blood bank services; radiology, nuclear medicine and  
7 CT scan diagnostic services; pharmacy, respiratory care; renal dialysis; physical,  
8 occupational, speech, language pathology and recreational therapy; dietetic services  
9 and 24-hour emergency services; and

10 **WHEREAS**, other modalities available on site includes MRI and a cath lab; the  
11 hospital currently has the capability of tele-radiology for CT scans to allow discussion  
12 of cases with Hawaii physicians via a tele-network. Cardiac diagnostic studies can  
13 also be performed at GMH then reviewed by a cardiac intervention list or surgeon for  
14 possible treatment; today, GMH is presently certified by the Centers for Medicare and  
15 Medicaid Services (CMMS) formally known as the Health Care Financing  
16 Administration (HCFA), and its Blood Bank is accredited by the American  
17 Association of Blood Bank (AABB); and its mammography machine is also certified  
18 by the American College of Radiology; and

19 **WHEREAS**, the American Hospital Association has proclaimed May 6 - 12,  
20 2007, as **National Hospital Week** with the theme "**CARE YOU COUNT ON, PEOPLE**  
21 **YOU TRUST**" the Guam Memorial Hospital has always been *committed to excellence in*  
22 *healing and caring for the people of our community;*" now, therefore, be it

23 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi na Liheslaturan Guåhan*, on behalf of  
24 the people of Guam, commend the hardworking employees of our hospital who  
25 comprise the hard working people that our hospital deserve universal regard and  
26 appreciation for keeping our community healthy; now, therefore, be it

1           **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi na Liheslaturan Guåhan*, on behalf of  
2 the people of Guam and the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority join other hospitals  
3 across the nation to celebrate Hospital week. More importantly, **HOSPITAL WEEK** is a  
4 time to honor our island residents who daily devote their time and talent to healing the  
5 sick. The employees, physicians and volunteers serving Guam's Hospital are among  
6 the finest health care professionals to be found anywhere. **HOSPITAL WEEK** honors all  
7 employees, from those who prepare meals and ensure a healthy environment for  
8 patients to those who develop treatment plans and provide direct patient care; now,  
9 therefore be it

10           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify to and the Secretary of the Legislature  
11 attest to the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to  
12 Guam Memorial Hospital Authority Administrator; to the Chairman of the Board of  
13 Trustees of the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority; to the Guam Memorial Hospital  
14 Employees Association; to the Honorable Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Guam's Delegate to  
15 the United States Congress and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen*  
16 *Guåhan*.