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

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Resolution No. 169 (LS)

As amended.

Introduced by:

Edward J.B. Calvo Frank F. Blas, Jr. <u>B. J.F. Cruz</u> James V. Espaldon Mark Forbes Judith P. Guthertz, DPA Frank T. Ishizaki J. A. Lujan Tina Rose Muña Barnes A. B. Palacios, Sr. v. c. pangelinan R. J. Respicio Dr. David L.G. Shimizu Ray Tenorio J. T. Won Pat, Ed.D.

Relative to congratulating Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon on his selection as an Umpire of the 2008 Little League Baseball World Series in Williamsport, Pennsylvania, August 15 through 24, 2008, and to further extending to him a sincere appreciation for his time and outstanding dedication in support of Guam's Little League program for the betterment of our Island Community.

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

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon, the third son of six (6) boys and

4 six (6) girls of Mr. Ricardo P. and the late Mrs. Soledad Masnayon, was born

1 on June 7, 1965 in Guam; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon is married to the former Maria
Polk, daughter of Mr. James Polk and the late Mrs. Roquita Camacho, on
April 11, 2005; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Kevin C. and Mrs. Maria Polk Masnayon are residents 6 of Agaña Heights, Guam, and have been blessed with four (4) children: 7 Michael T. P. Sablan, age 19; Mason P. P. Sablan, age 16; Kevin Jr., age 17; and 8 Chelsee, age 13; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Masnayon's father, being a softball player from the 10 Philippines, playing for the Camp Roxas, Masdelco team and the family 11 'sresidence located right behind the Agaña Heights baseball field, he and his 12 siblings grew up playing baseball and softball; and

WHEREAS, growing up seeing softball and baseball games being cancelled due to the lack of umpires and experiencing numerous disappointments because of the cancellations, Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon, at a very early age, decided to learn the trade of umpiring with the hope of giving back to the community; and

18 WHEREAS, Mr. Masnayon's decision, desire and perseverance to learn 19 the trade of umpiring allows for all players, young and old, to continue 20 enjoying the sport that he has grown to love; and

21 WHEREAS, Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon received his General Education 22 from the Guam Community College in 2007; worked as a Security Supervisor 23 at the Pacific Star Hotel for eight (8) years; and twelve (12) years working at 24 the Agaña Heights Mayor's Office; and · .

WHEREAS, Mr. Masnayon has thirteen (13) years of umpiring
experience with the Guam Little League, the Junior, Senior and Big Leagues in
both the regular seasons and during regional tournaments. He also umpired
for the Budweiser Baseball League (former Guam Major League), the Guam
Masters Baseball League, and the occasional softball games; and

6 WHEREAS, major achievements accomplished by Mr. Masnayon 7 include, being an umpire at the Senior League World Series in Bangor, Maine 8 in 2004, and his most recent selection to umpire the 2008 Little League World 9 Series in Williamsport, Pennsylvania. Mr. Masnayon also enjoys playing 10 softball and baseball, dancing, singing and our island's favorite past-time -11 Bar-B-Ques; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon has also spent much of his time
actively helping the people of Guam through his contributions in numerous
civic, community, and religious activities; now, therefore, be it

15 **RESOLVED**, that I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate Mr. Kevin C. 16 17 Masnayon on his selection as an umpire for the 2008 Little League Baseball World Series in Williamsport, Pennsylvania, August 15 through 24, 2008, and 18 does further extend to him a sincere Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse' and 19 appreciation for his time and outstanding dedication in support of Guam's 20 Little League program for the betterment of our Island Community; and be it 21 22 further

23 **RESOLVED,** that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the 24 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Kevin C. Masnayon; to Mr. Ricardo P.
 Masnayon; to the Honorable Paul McDonald, Mayor of Agana Heights; to Mr.
 Andy Konyar, Umpire in Chief, Little League International; to B. H Chow,
 Asia-Pacific Region Director; to Mr. Stephen J. Guerrero, District
 Administrator, Guam Little League; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2008.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed. D. Speaker

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES Senator and Secretary of the Legislature