

I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2007 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 61 (LS)

As amended.

Introduced by:

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Relative to congratulating the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo on his selection as the "Guam Chamber of Commerce's 2007 Laureate of the Year" and to further extending him a sincere appreciation for his contributions to the betterment of our Island community.

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

3 **WHEREAS,** the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo was born July 25,
4 1934 in *Hagåtña*, Guam as the eldest of three (3) sons of the late Honorable
5 †Eduardo Torres Calvo and Veronica Mariano McDonald Calvo; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo married Rosa Herrero
2 Baza, daughter of the late †Antonio and †Dolores Herrero Baza, on July 28,
3 1956 and they celebrated their Golden Anniversary in 2006; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald and Mrs. Rosa Baza Calvo
5 have been blessed with eight (8) children, twenty-three (23) grandchildren,
6 and one (1) great grandchild: Vera Calvo and Fabian Garces (Pablo, Fabian Jr.,
7 and Julia); Kathy Calvo and Peter Sgro (Christopher, Matthew, Katarina, and
8 Maria); Paul Calvo, Jr. (Paul Daniel Calvo and Joy Lujan (Pauly), †Mason,
9 Brittany and Danny); Eddie Calvo and Christine Sonido (Eddie, Vinson,
10 Rosae, Paul Jerome, Melva, and Celine); Barbara Calvo and Mark Damron
11 (Matthew Shannon, and Rose Elyse); Marie Calvo and Mike Benito (Aubrey,
12 Alyssa, Brianna, and Michael Jake); Reyna Calvo; and Clare Calvo; and

13 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo attended public
14 elementary and junior high school on Guam; graduated from Peacock Military
15 Academy (high school), San Antonio, Texas in 1954; earned a Bachelor of
16 Science in Commerce degree from the University of Santa Clara, Santa Clara,
17 California, 1958; and received his Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters
18 from the University of Guam, December 2004; and

19 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo was elected by the
20 people of Guam, garnering the top vote-getter designation, for three (3) terms
21 as a Senator of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* in 1964 (8th), serving as Vice-Chairman of
22 the Committee on Crime and Corruption and as a Member of the Committee
23 on Rules, Committee on Economic Development, and the Committee on
24 Water and Utilities. The Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo served as Minority

1 Leader in 1970 and 1972 (11th and 12th) and as Chairman of the Committee on
2 Finance and Taxation; and

3 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo served as Governor of
4 Guam from 1979 to 1983; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo was spearheaded
6 various regional organizations in Micronesia, serving for three (3) terms as
7 Chairman of the Association of Chief Executives of the Pacific Basin, whose
8 members were the respective Governors of Guam, the Commonwealth of the
9 Northern Marianas, Ponape, Kosrae, Yap, Chuuk, as well as the Presidents of
10 the Republics of Palau and of the Marshall Islands, and Nauru, and also
11 served as a Charter Member and Vice Chairman of the Pacific Basin
12 Development Council whose membership includes the Governors of Hawaii,
13 American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
14 (CNMI) and Guam; and

15 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo continues to
16 contribute towards the prosperous growth of our Island as a successful
17 entrepreneur. Mr. Paul McDonald Calvo is the President and Chairman of the
18 Board of Calvo Enterprises Inc., which operates a variety of businesses that
19 employ hundreds of local residents. Calvo Enterprises Inc., provides essential
20 consumable, healthcare, and financial services to the people of Guam. Calvo
21 Enterprises Inc., comprised of Calvo's Insurance Underwriters, Pacific
22 Construction Company, Mid-Pacific Liquor Distributing Company, Pepsi
23 Cola Bottling Company of Guam, Payless Supermarkets, Market Wholesale
24 Inc., KUAM, Calvo Finance Company and Calvo Realty Management; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo is also a member of
2 several fraternal, civic and business associations, including the Elks Lodge,
3 Rotary Club of Guam, Guam Jaycees, Young Men’s League of Guam, Knights
4 of Columbus, Holy Name Society, Guam Chamber of Commerce, Civilian
5 Advisory Council for Andersen Air Force Base, Republican Inner Circle, the
6 *Hagåtña* Restoration and Redevelopment Board and the *Dulce Nombre de Maria*
7 *Hagåtña* Cathedral-Basilica church choir; and

8 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo is a past Chairman of
9 the Territorial Party of Guam, a past State Chairman of the Republican Party
10 of Guam and former member of the Guam delegation to the GOP Presidential
11 Nominating Conventions in 1972, 1976 and 1980. The Honorable Paul
12 McDonald Calvo is listed in “Who's Who in American Politics” and was the
13 first Republican Governor to endorse Governor Ronald Reagan for the
14 Presidency in 1980; and

15 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo’s active involvement
16 in our island’s political and social sectors based on his family’s belief that
17 Guam’s future rests on a foundation of responsibility, character and family;
18 and

19 **WHEREAS**, in his personal and professional life, the Honorable Paul
20 McDonald Calvo has stressed integrity and respect for others and has been a
21 source of inspiration to his colleagues, friends, and family, to whom he has
22 always encouraged spiritual, personal, and professional growth; and

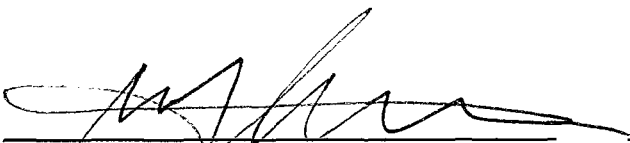
1 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo has devoted much of
2 his time to the People of Guam through his innumerable contributions to
3 civic, community, and religious activities; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo joins his father, the
5 late Honorable †Eduardo Torres Calvo, who was among the first to be
6 inducted into the Guam Business Hall of Fame in 1992; and also his brother
7 the late Honorable †Edward McDonald Calvo, who was the “2005 Laureate of
8 the Year”, now, therefore, be it


9 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina’Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does
10 hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate the Honorable Paul
11 McDonald Calvo on his nomination as the Guam Chamber of Commerce’s
12 2007 Laureate and his entry into the Guam Business Hall of Fame, and further
13 extend to him a sincere *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu’os Ma’åse’* for his outstanding
14 contributions to the island community; and be it further

15 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the
16 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be
17 thereafter transmitted to the Honorable Paul McDonald Calvo; to the Guam
18 Chamber of Commerce; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga’lahen*
19 *Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 2ND DAY OF MAY 2007.



MARK FORBES
Speaker



RAY TENORIO
Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature