

I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED	NOTES
280-37 (COR)	Chris Barnett	Relative to recognizing Gabe Baker, owner of the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy; and commending them on their Twentieth (20th) Year Anniversary in promoting the art of Jiu Jitsu on Guam and inspiring its young athletes.	12/26/23 4:16 p.m.	12/29/23 5:30 p.m.	12/27/23 12:15 p.m.					

Resolution No. 280-37 (COR)

Introduced by:

Chris Barnett

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Joanne Brown	Roy A. B. Quinata
Christopher M. Dueñas	Joe S. San Agustín
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Jesse A. Lagan	Amanda L. Shelton
Tina Rose Nuña Barnes	Tels T. Taingue
William A. Parkinson	Therese M. Terlaje



Chris Barnett
 12/28/23
 2:15pm

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, Gabe Baker is the son of Maria Castro of *Nimitz Hill, Piti*; and he is the father of Ernest Rios; and

WHEREAS, Gabe won the Bronze Medal in the Middle-Weight/Blue Belt Masters Division at the "American National IBJJF Jiu-Jitsu Championship" that was held in Las Vegas, Nevada in 2008; he won the Gold Medal in the Middle-Weight Masters/Advanced Nogi Division, and the Silver Medal in the Open Weight Masters/Advanced Nogi at the "American National IBJJF Jiu-Jitsu Championship" in Las Vegas in 2009; and he won the Bronze Medal in the Middle-Weight/Purple Belt Masters Division of the "American National IBJJF Jiu-Jitsu Championship" held in Los Angeles, California in 2010; and

WHEREAS, Gabe first opened the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy in 2003; and it currently serves two hundred (200) students that are training at the *Anigua* and *Upper Tumon* locations; and

WHEREAS, students of the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy have competed in every local event on Guam, as well as, in events in California, Japan and the Philippines; and

WHEREAS, students of the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy have also won Gold Medals at the Pan Asia Tournament and the Abu Dhabi trials that were held on Guam; and

WHEREAS, Gabe has promoted five (5) students to receive their black belt; and he has instructed over one thousand (1,000) United States service members; and

WHEREAS, Gabe had traveled to Camp Humphreys in South Korea in 2006 to assist as a United States Army Combatives Instructor; and he had also gone to Fort Bliss in El Paso, Texas to assist as a United States Army Combatives Instructor; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, recognize Gabe Baker, owner of the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy; and commend them on their Twentieth (20th) Year Anniversary in promoting the art of Jiu Jitsu on Guam and inspiring its young athletes; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Gabe Baker; and the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2023.

Therese M. Terlaje
 THERESE M. TERLAJE
 Speaker

Chris Barnett
 CHRIS BARNETT
 Chairperson, Committee on Rules

Amanda L. Shelton
 AMANDA L. SHELTON
 Legislative Secretary



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2023 (FIRST) Regular Session

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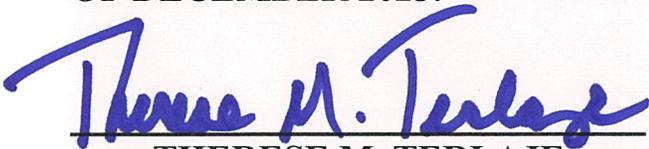
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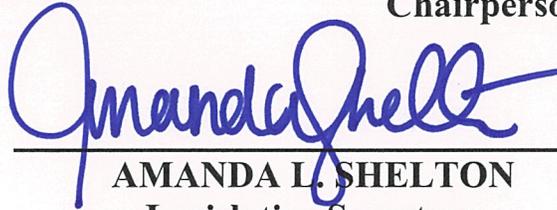
THERESE M. TERLAJE

Speaker



CHRIS BARNETT

Chairperson, Committee on Rules



AMANDA L. SHELTON

Legislative Secretary



COMMITTEE ON RULES

Chris Barnett, Chairperson, Committee on Rules
I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
 37th Guam Legislature

COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

Resolution No. 280-37 (COR) - Chris Barnett. - "Relative to recognizing Gabe Baker, owner of the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy; and commending them on their Twentieth (20th) Year Anniversary in promoting the art of Jiu Jitsu on Guam and inspiring its young athletes."

	INITIAL	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Chris Barnett Chairperson	DCB	12/27/23	✓		
Senator Sabina Flores Perez Vice Chairperson	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Speaker Therese M. Terlaje Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes Member					
Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Senator William A. Parkinson Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Senator Roy A. B. Quinata Member					
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Senator Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Senator Joanne Brown Minority Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Senator Christopher M. Dueñas Minority Member	evote	12/27/23	✓		
Senator Thomas J. Fisher Minority Member					
Senator Telo T. Taitague Minority Member					
For Sponsor's Office Use Only					
Sponsor Signature: 					
Staff Contact Person: Erin M. Grajek					
For COR/Clerk's Office Use Only					
_ 9 _ Certified _____ Returned					
Name: Marie Crisostomo					
Date: December 27, 2023 at 12:15 p.m.					
Notes:					



Senator Chris “Malafunkshun” Barnett

Chairperson

Committee on Education, Public Safety, and the Arts · Committee on Rules
I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

December 27, 2023

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators, Stakeholders, Media
From: Senator Chris “Malafunkshun” Barnett
Re: PRESENTATION NOTICE for Resolution No. 280-37 (COR)

Håfa Adai:

The presentation of **Resolution No. 280-37 (COR)**, “*Relative to recognizing Gabe Baker, owner of the Carlson Gracie Guam Jiu Jitsu Academy; and commending them on their Twentieth (20th) Year Anniversary in promoting the art of Jiu Jitsu on Guam and inspiring its young athletes,*” will take place on Friday, December 29, 2023 at 5:30 pm. The Presentation will be held in the Public Hearing Room of the Guam Congress Building.

We look forward to your attendance and participation.