

I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
RESOLUTIONS

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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN***
2 ***GUÅHAN*:**

3 **WHEREAS**, it is the sense of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to recognize the life and
4 accomplishments of those distinguished citizens of this great island, and it is custom of
5 *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to commend those public servants who have devoted themselves
6 to faithfully serving in the best interests of this community and the needs of its residents;
7 and

8 **WHEREAS**, Customs Officer III Joseph A. Gange has, through his unwavering
9 commitment, safeguarded the interests of the people of Guam, playing an instrumental
10 role in securing the island's Economic, Environmental, Agricultural and Public Health
11 through her enforcement of Customs Laws and Regulations; and

12 **WHEREAS**, Customs Officer III Joseph A. Gange was born on November 2,
13 1965, and is a resident of Sinajana, Guam; he is the son of the late Hugo Galanto and
14 Maria Aguigui Gange; and

15 **WHEREAS**, Customs Officer III Joseph A. Gange's service includes time with
16 the Guam Army National Guard from January 1991 to November 1995, followed by

1 his extensive career with the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency from November
2 1995 to September 2024; and

3 **WHEREAS**, he is supported by his loving wife, Joefer Crisostomo Gange, and
4 together they are blessed with five children: Joseph Mark, Jonathan Michael, Jarod
5 Matthew, Jolianne Fe Marie, and Joliette Fe Michelle; and their grandchildren: Violet
6 Aurora Aguon Ige Gange, Joseph Elias Ige Gange, and Jolijah Fe Viaurora Gange; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency is charged with the
8 vital responsibility of protecting the island's borders, preventing illegal contraband,
9 enforcing import/export regulations, and ensuring the safety and security of the people
10 of Guam; and

11 **WHEREAS**, throughout Customs Officer III Joseph A. Gange's tenure, he has
12 been recognized by his peers and superiors as a highly valued member of the Agency,
13 consistently going above and beyond to ensure the effective enforcement of laws and
14 regulations, while maintaining fairness, diligence, and a commitment to justice; and

15 **WHEREAS**, Customs Officer III Joseph A. Gange has not only contributed to
16 the day-to-day operations of the agency but has also been a mentor, role model, and
17 leader within the customs workforce, inspiring fellow officers through his work ethic,
18 dedication, and sense of duty; and

19 **WHEREAS**, Customs Officer III Joseph A. Gange enjoys fishing and farming,
20 activities that reflect his connection to Guam's culture and natural environment; now
21 therefore, be it

22 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
23 on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize Customs Officer III (CQIII) Joseph A.
24 Gange of the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency, for his professional and faithful
25 service to the people and the government of Guam; and to further extend a sincere

1 appreciation and gratitude and un dangkolo na si Yu'os ma'ase for his dedicated
2 commitment to public service; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the
4 adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Retired
5 Customs Officer Supervisor, Captain Joseph A. Gange; and to the Honorable Lourdes
6 A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hagan Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA
LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE DAY OF OCTOBER 2024.**

THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker

AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary