I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2009 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 24 (COR)

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Relative to welcoming Arnel Pineda to Guam, and commending him for his willingness to provide world-class entertainment to our island's people.

- 1 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES I
- 2 MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:
- 3 WHEREAS, coming from humble beginnings, Arnel Pineda made his
- 4 mark in the Filipino and international music industry in several bands,

- 1 including, "Yjoz", "Amo", "New Age", "The Rolling Bones", and as a solo
- 2 artist; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Pineda's last band, "The Zoo", made a name for itself in
- 4 the Philippines with high-energy concerts, and excellent covers of songs that
- 5 were posted on the internet from "Survivor", "Aerosmith", "Led Zeppelin",
- 6 "Air Supply", The Eagles", "Kenny Loggins", and "Journey"; and
- WHEREAS, in 2007, a member of "Journey" contacted a friend of Mr.
- 8 Pineda regarding an audition for "Journey"; and
- 9 WHEREAS, in December of that year, Mr. Pineda was announced as the
- 10 new lead singer of "Journey", garnering international media coverage; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mr. Pineda made his debut at a "Journey" Concert in Chile,
- 12 to critical acclaim; and
- 13 WHEREAS, "Journey's " first album with Mr. Pineda, Revelation, debuted
- 14 at Number Five on the Billboard charts, and eventually became a certified
- 15 platinum record; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Mr. Pineda has a foundation in his namesake, which is set up
- 17 to assist needy, homeless, and hungry children in the Philippines; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Mr. Pineda will make his first trip to Guam, for a concert
- 19 with Lani Misalucha on Valentine's Day, with the proceeds to support spouses
- 20 of deployed servicemembers; now, therefore, be it
- 21 **RESOLVED,** that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trenta Na*
- 22 Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guåhan and the

- 1 people of Guam, welcome Arnel Pineda to Guam, and does commend him for
- 2 his willingness to provide world-class entertainment to our island's people;
- 3 and be it further
- 4 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson on the Committee on
- 5 Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and
- 6 that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr Arnel Pineda; to Dennis
- 7 Rodriguez Jr.; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I Maga'lahen Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA'TRENA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 2ND DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2009.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D

Speaker

RORÝ J. RESPICIO

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES

Legislative Secretary