

**I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN  
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**Resolution No. 188-30 (LS)**

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**Relative to congratulating the Guam Football Association on the completion of its second (2<sup>nd</sup>) FIFA Goal Project; to commending the organization on its commitment to improving the standard of football (soccer) on Guam; and to thanking the Federation Internationale de Football Association for its role in this project.**

1           **BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN**

2   **GUÅHAN:**

3           **WHEREAS**, soon after the completion of its first (1<sup>st</sup>) Federation  
4 Internationale de Football Association (FIFA) Goal Project in 2005, the  
5 Guam Football Association (GFA) started planning the next round of  
6 improvements to sports facilities on Guam; and

7           **WHEREAS**, FIFA's goal program promotes the independence and  
8 professionalism of select member associations through the construction of a  
9 "house of football", technical centers, natural and artificial turf pitches, and  
10 football schools; and

11          **WHEREAS**, the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) FIFA Goal Project included the  
12 completion of a two (2)-story building, which houses new offices and a  
13 conference room, a twenty (20) bed dormitory, coaches apartment, a  
14 covered lanai, a one hundred eighty-two (182) stall parking lot, and two (2)  
15 outdoor Futsal courts; and

16          **WHEREAS**, this project also marks a historic event for Guam, as  
17 FIFA Vice-President Reynald Temarii has become the first (1<sup>st</sup>) high-  
18 ranking official in the association to visit the island; and

19          **WHEREAS**, the completion of this project now allows the GFA to  
20 host adult and youth Futsal games, and soon beach soccer; and

1           **WHEREAS**, GFA facilities host youth, men, and women soccer  
2 games; and serve as a training ground for seven (7) national teams, both  
3 men and women; and

4           **WHEREAS**, the association continues to take major steps to increase  
5 not only the participation, but also the quality of the coaches, officials, and  
6 administrators; and

7           **WHEREAS**, a great deal of assistance in professional development  
8 has been provided by FIFA; now, therefore, be it

9           **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,  
10 on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate the Guam Football  
11 Association on the completion of its second (2<sup>nd</sup>) FIFA Goal Project, does  
12 commend the organization on its commitment to improving the standard  
13 of football (soccer) on Guam, and does thank the Federation Internationale  
14 de Football Association (FIFA) for its role in this project; and be it further

15           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary  
16 attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter  
17 transmitted to the Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA);  
18 to the Guam Football Association; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho,  
19 *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN* ON THIS 8<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2009.



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JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D  
Speaker



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TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES  
Legislative Secretary