

*I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*  
2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

**Resolution No. 336-30 (COR)**

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Relative to honoring Mrs. Radhi Puran Hemlani on being selected to receive the First Hawaiian Bank and Guam Business 2010 *"Lifetime Achievement Award"*, and to further extending a sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to her for the outstanding contributions she has made for the betterment of our island community.

1           **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I**  
2 ***MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3           **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Radhi Puran Hemlani was born in Hyderabad in 1920  
4 | and she lived in Shanghai, China, before the outbreak of World War II and  
5 then moved to Guam with her late spouse, Mr. Puranchand D. Hemlani, to  
6 open their business; and

7           **WHEREAS**, Mr. and Mrs. Hemlani started a fabric shop in 1950, and her  
8 name was chosen as the name of the store in *Hagåtña*. Radhi's was known for  
9 its exceptional fabrics, with raw silk from China as one (1) of its signature  
10 products; and

11           **WHEREAS**, the store also made uniforms for the U.S. Navy, and  
12 Radhi's was *the* place to go to by those who needed custom-tailored topcoats  
13 and suits. In its early operations, Radhi's also sold uniforms for the various  
14 island private schools; and

15           **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Hemlani worked alongside her husband in running  
16 the store for more than fifty (50) years, and she continues to manage it daily in  
17 its present sixtieth (60<sup>th</sup>) year of operation. Mrs. Hemlani has made Radhi's  
18 One Stop Fabric Shop in *Hagåtña* a retail institution for many families on  
19 Guam; and

20           **WHEREAS**, as an active member of our community, Mrs. Radhi Puran  
21 Hemlani has contributed towards the prosperous growth of our island. Mrs.

1 Hemlani is a successful local entrepreneur who employs local residents, while  
2 providing essential clothing materials to the people of Guam; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Radhi Puran Hemlani continues to donate generously  
4 to the American Red Cross, the Guam Memorial Hospital Volunteers  
5 Association, and the Salvation Army through the Radhi's Foundation, a  
6 charitable association founded in 1990 by her and her late husband; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) Annual Businesswoman of the Year  
8 *Maga'haga* Award program, sponsored by First Hawaiian Bank and Guam  
9 Business, brings recognition to businesswomen who have made significant  
10 contributions to their industries and have demonstrated a strong commitment  
11 to their community; and

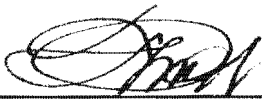
12 **WHEREAS**, for the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) year, First Hawaiian Bank and Guam  
13 Business are presenting *Lifetime Achievement Awards* to honor businesswomen  
14 who are pioneers in their fields, who work tirelessly in the community to  
15 improve the quality of life on the island, and who serve as role models for the  
16 businesswomen of today; now, therefore, be it

17 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trenta Na*  
18 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, and the  
19 people of Guam, honor Mrs. Radhi P. Hemlani on being selected as a recipient  
20 of the First Hawaiian Bank-Guam Business 2010 "*Lifetime Achievement Award*",  
21 and does further extend a sincere *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for

1 the outstanding contributions she has made for the betterment of our island  
2 community; and, be it further

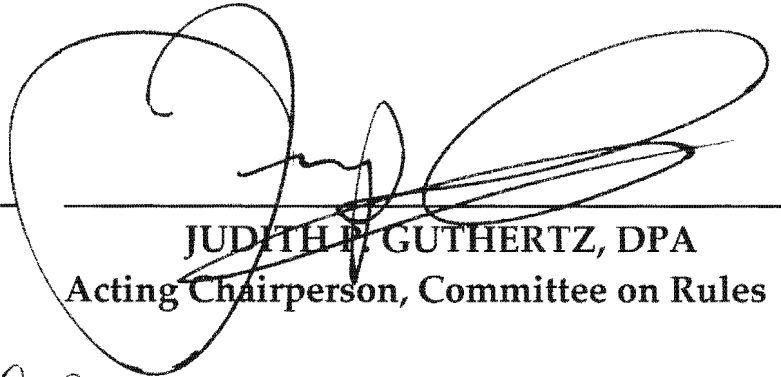
3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on  
4 Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof and  
5 that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Radhi P. Hemlani; to  
6 First Hawaiian Bank; to Guam Business Magazine; and to the Honorable Felix  
7 P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES  
OF I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 23<sup>RD</sup> DAY  
OF APRIL, 2010.**



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**JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.**  
Speaker



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**JUDITH P. GUTHERTZ, DPA**  
Acting Chairperson, Committee on Rules



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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
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