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

Resolution No. 484-30 (LS)

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Relative to honoring and commending the late Honorable Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon Guerrero, also known as Maria Leon Guerrero-Cruz, former Assistant Commissioner of *Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon*, for her many accomplishments, her invaluable contributions, and her tireless dedication to serving the people of Guam; and to extending sincere condolences to her family on her passing.

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN

- 2 GUÅHAN:
- 3 WHEREAS, communities thrive under the dedicated leadership of
- 4 public servants, and being a small island community, these leaders are more
- 5 important on Guam; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Maria San Nicolas Leon Guerrero, also
- 7 known as Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon Guerrero-Cruz, was born on
- 8 August 6, 1921, to Juan Guerrero and Rosa Delgado San Nicolas (familian
- 9 Hilario), and was called from this life on November 9, 2010; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Maria San Nicolas Leon Guerrero was
- 11 the first female person on Guam to be elected to serve as an Assistant
- 12 Commissioner (now Vice-Mayor); and
- 13 WHEREAS, from 1969 to 1977, the late Honorable Maria Delgado San
- 14 Nicolas Leon Guerrero served as the Assistant Commissioner of Tamuning-
- 15 Tumon-Harmon, where she focused on improving the lives of the youth of her
- 16 village; and
- 17 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon
- 18 Guerrero had also served as the first Residential Manager of Guma' Trankilidat,
- 19 holding that position for many years; and
- WHEREAS, as an employee of the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal
- 21 Authority (GHURA), the late Honorable Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon

1 Guerrero strived to help Guam residents struggling with the dream of

2 homeownership; and

WHEREAS, her public service also extended to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, where she had worked in the Offices of former Speakers, the Honorable Thomas V.C. Tanaka, and the late Honorable Antonio R. Unpingco; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to this island was also felt in the religious community, where she served in the Christian Mothers of *Tamuning*; and

WHEREAS, the late Honorable Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon Guerrero, fondly known as Auntie Mary and *Tita'n Hilario*, is survived by her husband, Roman J. Cruz; she is additionally survived by her five (5) children and their spouses: John William and Marsha Johnston Leon Guerrero; Charles Raymond and Julie Franquez Leon Guerrero Perez; Joseph Victor and Barbara (Bobbi) Perez Leon Guerrero; Carmen Lou and Chat Penaranda; and Gloria Jean and Alex Santos Achivida; and she will also be missed by her seventeen (17) grandchildren, and her thirteen (13) great-grandchildren; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, honor and commend the late Honorable Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon Guerrero, also known as Maria Delgado San Nicolas Leon Guerrero-Cruz, former Assistant Commissioner of *Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon*, for her many accomplishments, her invaluable contributions,

- 1 and her tireless dedication to serving the people of Guam; and does further
- 2 extend sincere condolences to her family on her passing; and be it further
- 3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary
- 4 attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter
- 5 transmitted to Roman J. Cruz; to the family of the late Honorable Maria
- 6 Delgado San Nicolas Leon Guerrero; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I
- 7 Maga'lahen Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2010.

JUDITH P. **UTHERTZ**, DPA

Acting Speaker

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Acting Legislative Secretary