

***I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
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Introduced by:

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**Relative to commending and congratulating Technical Sergeant Edward R. A. Biacan on his selection as the "Non-Commissioned Officer of the Year 2009" for the Guam Air National Guard and to thanking him for his service to our island and nation.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY *I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*:**

**Whereas**, Edward R. A. Biacan enlisted into military service in the summer of 1989 and was assigned as a Medical Specialist at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; and

**Whereas**, Technical Sergeant Biacan attended the Basic Military Training School in August of 1989 at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas and completed three years while pursuing a BS in Psychology from Saint Luis University, Baguio City, Philippines in 1997, in 1998, he was enrolled at the University of Manoa, Hawaii on a HIFI scholarship under the Food and Beverage Cost Control program, in 2001, he attended the United States Air Force (USAF) Supply Logistics Training at Lackland Air Force Base and the USAF Airman Leadership School at Anderson Air Force Base (AAFB), Guam in 2003; and

**Whereas**, Technical Sergeant Biacan has since worked his way up the rank most recently in his current grade effective 12 July 2008 from his prior rank of Staff Sergeant, promoted on 2 July 2003; and

**Whereas**, Technical Sergeant Biacan's duty assignments include: Aug. 1989 to Jan 1990, - student, Basic Military Training, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; Jan. 2003 to Jan. 2004, temporary Active Guard Reserve (AGR), Guam Air National Guard, Andersen Air Force Base, Guam; Feb. 2003 to Mar. 2003, DFT Support, Camp Darby, Italy; Jan. 2004 to Aug. 2004 36WRM Support, 36CES, AAFB, Guam; Oct. 2004 to Apr. 2005, 13 AF,

1 Quality Assurance Evaluator, Wake Island; Aug. 2004 to Sept 2004, 254CES UCI  
2 support, Guam Air National Guard (GUANG), AAFB, Guam; Apr. 2008 to present,  
3 Supply Technician, GUANG, AAFB, Guam ; and

4 **Whereas**, among other awards earned, Technical Sergeant Biacan was awarded  
5 the Air Force Commendation Medal with 1 Device, the Air Force Achievement Medal,  
6 the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with 1 Device, the Air Reserve Forces  
7 Meritorious Medal with 1 Device, the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War  
8 on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, the USAF NCO PME Graduation Ribbon and the  
9 Air Force Training Ribbon; and

10 **Whereas**, testimony to his selfless dedication to the task at hand, Technical  
11 Sergeant Biacan was nominated and earned the prestigious distinction and honor as the  
12 Outstanding Non-Commissioned Officer of the Year for 2009; now, therefore, be it

13 **Resolved**, that *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I*  
14 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam commend and congratulate Technical  
15 Sergeant Edward R. A. Biacan on his nomination and selection as the "Outstanding  
16 Non-Commissioned Officer of the Year 2009" for the Guam Air National Guard and  
17 thank him for his service to our island and nation as a member of the United States  
18 Armed Forces; and, be it further

19 **Resolved**, that the Speaker certify to and the Secretary of the Legislature attest  
20 the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be transmitted to Technical Sergeant  
21 Edward R. A. Biacan and family; to Major General Donald J. Goldhorn, Adjutant  
22 General of the Guam National Guard; to the Honorable Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Guam  
23 Delegate to the United States Congress; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I*  
24 *Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

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1 DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN*  
2 *GUÅHAN* ON THE \_\_\_\_ DAY OF FEBRUARY 2009.

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5 **JUDITH T. WON PAT**  
6 **Speaker**

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**TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES**  
**Secretary of the Legislature**

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9 **Rory J. Respicio**  
10 **Chairman, Committee on Rules**

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**Judith Paulette Guthertz, DPA**  
**Senator and Sponsor**