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Gommittee on Rules Resolution No. 110 (COR)

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A. B. Palacios, Sr. A. Ray Tenorio

Relative to recognizing the week of May 10, 2009 through May 16, 2009 as "Guam Police Week" and to honoring the brave men and women of the Guam Police Department, Port Authority of Guam Law Enforcement, the A.B. Won Pat Guam International Airport Authority Police, the Department of Agriculture Conservation Officers, the Customs and Quarantine Plant Protection and Quarantine Officers, and the Department of Parks and Recreation Park Patrol for protecting our island.

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

2 WHEREAS, National Police Week will be celebrated nationwide from May 10, 2009

through May 16, 2009 as a tribute to the men and women of law enforcement who maintain law and

order in our communities; and

5 WHEREAS, the brave officers of the Guam Police Department, Port Authority of Guam

Law Enforcement, the A.B. Won Pat Guam International Airport Authority Police, the Department

of Agriculture Conservation officers, the Customs and Quarantine Plant Protection and Quarantine

officers, and the Department of Parks and Recreation Park Patrol enforce the laws of our island

every day, placing their lives at risk to defend our people and property; and

WHEREAS, with the mounting number of crimes in our community, our police officers and

law enforcement personnel serve long hours sacrificing their time for the welfare of others; and

WHEREAS, these courageous men and women work with the civilian personnel who

perform essential functions in support of the uniformed officers; and

WHEREAS, many of Guam's police, law enforcement personnel, and peace officers, have died in the line of duty, the ultimate act of selflessness that will be remembered this week; and WHEREAS, the men and women of law enforcement, including those who are retired, deserve public recognition for their unparalleled service to the people of Guam; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, recognize and commend the men and women of the Guam Police Department, Port Authority of Guam Law Enforcement, the A.B. Won Pat Guam International Airport Authority Police, the Department of Agriculture

Conservation officers, the Customs and Quarantine Plant Protection and Quarantine officers, and the

Department of Parks and Recreation Park Patrol for their dedication, courage, service, and

professionalism; and be it further

RESOLVED, that I Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does herby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize the week of May 10, 2009 through May 16, 2009 as "Guam Police Week" and encourages the community of Guam to celebrate, with uniformed and civilian members of the Guam Police Department, the Port Authority of Guam Law Enforcement, the A.B. Won Pat Guam International Airport Authority Police, the Department of Agriculture Conservation officers, the Customs and Quarantine Plant Protection and Quarantine officers, and the Department of Parks and Recreation Park Patrol, in programs designed to encourage the adherence to law, to promote public safety, and to pay tribute to the brave police officers and peace officers of Guam and the nation who have given so much to preserve life and property through the fair and efficient enforcement of law; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter

transmitted to Mr. Paul R. Suba, Chief of Guam Police Department; to Ms. Doris C. Aguero, Chief, 1 Port Authority of Guam Law Enforcement; to Mr. Patrick A. Fejeran, Chief, A.B. Won Pat Guam 2 3 International Airport Authority Law Enforcement; to Mr. Michael A. Reyes, Conservation Officer 4 III, Department of Agriculture Conservation Officers; to Dr. Russell Campbell, Chief 5 Anthropologist, Customs and Quarantine Plant Protection and Quarantine Officers; to Mr. Jose 6 Quinata, Acting Deputy Director, Department of Parks and Recreation Park Patrol; and to the 7 Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I Maga'lahen Guåhan. DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF IMINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THIS DAY OF______, 2009. RORY J. RESPICIO JUDITH T. WON PAT Speaker Chairman, Committee on Rules 1 TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES Secretary of the Legislature