MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2009 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 135 (cor)

Introduced by:

RELATIVE TO COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING BERNADITA "BENNET" BORJA NARCIS ON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE GUAM PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM AND TO FURTHER EXTENDING APPRECIATION FOR HER SERVICE AND COMMITMENT TO THE EDUCATION PROFESSION ON GUAM AND TO THE PEOPLE OF GUAM.

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN

- 2 GUÅHAN:
- 3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bernadita "Bennet" Borja Narcis was born in Guam on
- 4 July 8, 1952 to Antonio and Anna Duenas Borja and; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Narcis is married to Danzel Narcis and the couple
- 6 reside in the village of Yigo. They have three (3) children and five (5)
- 7 grandchildren.; and
- 8 **WHEREAS**, she graduated for George Washington High School in 1970
- 9 and subsequently received her degree in education from the University of
- 10 Guam in 1974; and
- WHEREAS, she first gained employment with the Guam Department of
- 12 Education (DOE) and was assigned to Pedro C. Lujan Elementary School in
- 13 Barrigada. In addition to being a classroom teacher, Mrs. Narcis was a teacher
- 14 for the Department of Education Extended Day (D.E.E.D.) Program and the

- 1 Summer Program And Community Enrichment (SPACE) Program. She also
- 2 assumed the role of Master Teacher for several education majors from the
- 3 University of Guam; and
- 4 WHEREAS, over the years, Mrs. Narcis has served Pedro C. Lujan
- 5 Elementary School in numerous capacities including Representative to the
- 6 Guam Federation of Teachers; Equal Employment Opportunity Officer; Fifth
- 7 Grade Student Council Advisor; and Member of the Effective Schools
- 8 Committee, the Textbook and Adoption Committee, and the Accreditation
- 9 Committee; and
- 10 WHEREAS, while at Pedro C. Lujan Elementary School, Mrs. Narcis
- 11 was an identified teacher for the Education For All Program and the Drug
- 12 Free School Program and was responsible for coordinating the Saturday
- 13 Scholars Program. She also oversaw the finances, and served as mistress of
- 14 ceremonies, for all fifth grade promotional exercises; and
- WHEREAS, Mrs. Bennet Narcis has served the island of Guam in the
- 16 area of education for forty-one (41) years, thus demonstrating her
- 17 commitment to the well-being of the people of Guam; now, therefore, be it
- 18 **RESOLVED**, that *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the
- 19 people of Guam, recognize the educational and societal contributions of Mrs.
- 20 Bennet Narcis to the island of Guam and its residents; and be it further
- 21 **RESOLVED**, that *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the
- 22 people of Guam, commend and congratulate Mrs. Bennet Narcis on her
- 23 retirement from the Guam Public School System; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, that I Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of the 2 people of Guam, extend its sincere appreciation to Mrs. Bennet Narcis for her 3 forty-one (41) years of dedicated service to the island of Guam; and be it further 4 RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify and the Secretary of the 5 Legislature attest to the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be 6 7 thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Bernadita "Bennet" Borja Narcis and the 8 Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I Maga'låhen Guåhan.

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