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

Resolution No. 183-30 (Cov)

Introduced by:

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v.c. Pangelinan
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RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE LATE FORMER SENATOR OF GUAM JOSE "PING" DUENAS AND EXTENDING A MOST SINCERE UN DANGKOLO' NA SI YU'OS MA'ASE TO HIM FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR ISLAND AND TO FURTHER EXTEND CONDOLENCES TO HIS FAMILY ON BEHALF OF I LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN AND THE PEOPLE OF GUAM.

- 1 BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN
- 2 GUÅHAN:
- 3 WHEREAS, Jose "Ping" Duenas was a loving father, grandfather, and
- 4 husband to his wife Ling; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Jose "Ping" Duenas dedicated much of his life and energy as
- 6 a public servant of the people of Guam as a Senator in the Guam Legislature for
- 7 man years; and
- 8 WHEREAS, in 1962, Jose "Ping" Duenas and 18 other government of
- 9 Guam employees courageously deposited \$250 in assets to become the
- 10 Government of Guam Employees Federal Credit Union charter members; and

- 1 WHEREAS, it was Jose "Ping" Duenas and the founding principles of
- 2 the Government of Guam Federal Credit Union who recognized the importance
- 3 of individual savings plans for Guam's working families and dedicated their
- 5 time to educate and build this institution for the benefit of our island; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Jose "Ping" Duenas dedicated his life to serving the
- 7 people of Guam as was a committed community leader and was an influential
- 8 member of Guam's Democratic Party of Guam; now therefore be it
- 9 **RESOLVED,** that I Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan, does
- 10 hereby on behalf of the People of the Territory of Guam recognize and honor
- 11 the late former Senator of Guam, Jose "Ping" Duenas and to extend our most
- 12 sincere Un Dangkolo' Na Si Yu'os Ma'ase to him for his contributions to our
- 13 island and to further extend a humble condolence to his family on his passing
- 14 into eternal life; and be it further

Camacho, I Maga'lahen Guåhan.

RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to his wife Ling Duenas; to the Chairman of the Board of the Government of Guam Employees Federal Credit Union; to former Senator Pilar Lujan, Chairwoman of the Democratic Party of Guam; to the Honorable Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Member of Congress, U.S. House of Representatives; and to the Honorable Felix P.