

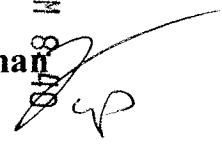
**I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN  
2010 (Second) REGULAR SESSION**

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Resolution No. <sup>431-30</sup> \_\_\_ (COR)

Introduced by:

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RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING THE  
GUAM ORCHID AND EXOTIC CLUB ON THEIR 10<sup>TH</sup>  
ANNIVERSARY.

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

2       **WHEREAS**, the Guam Orchid and Exotic Club (Club) was established in  
3 August, 2000; and

4       **WHEREAS**, the Club was formed to inspire interest in plant cultivation  
5 through educational and informational programs; and

6       **WHEREAS**, the Club seeks to foster goodwill and camaraderie among its  
7 members and the general public; and

8       **WHEREAS**, the Club exhibits members' and other plant enthusiasts'  
9 collections of orchids & exotic plants for public enjoyment through plant shows; and

10       **WHEREAS**, the Club provides opportunities for members to further their  
11 knowledge and appreciation of plants through off-island tours of botanical gardens  
12 and nurseries specializing in orchid and exotics; and

13       **WHEREAS**, the Club visits the country of Thailand to attend plant shows twice  
14 a year to collect orchids & exotic plants as well as learn new and improved  
15 horticulture methods; and

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1           **WHEREAS**, the Club encourages others to join the association to show unity  
2 and a common interest in promoting the cultivation of orchids and exotic plants and  
3 share knowledge and experiences in growing these plants; and

4           **WHEREAS**, the Club seeks to promote communication among plant growers,  
5 the general public, the government and the retail and wholesale plant industry in  
6 dealing with various issues that may affect horticulture on Guam; and

7           **WHEREAS**, the Club members range from beginners to seasoned planters and  
8 its membership is through word of mouth; and

9           **WHEREAS**, the Club's membership started with fifteen (15) members and is  
10 currently forty (40) members strong; and

11           **WHEREAS**, the Club wishes to bring awareness of the beauty and enjoyment  
12 of orchids and exotic plants through various workshops and welcomes members and  
13 non-members; and

14           **WHEREAS**, the Club provides annual scholarship with money raised from  
15 flower sales to two (2) students enrolled at the University of Guam of Five Hundred  
16 Dollars (\$500) each; and

17           **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Lourdes San Agustin has been the Club's president for the  
18 past nine (9) years; therefore be it

19           **RESOLVED**, that the Guam Orchid and Exotic Club is celebrating its tenth  
20 (10) Anniversary; and be it further;

21           **RESOLVED**, *I Liheslaturan Guahan* and the People of Guam recognize the  
22 contributions of the Guam Orchid and Exotic Club to plant lovers in the community of  
23 Guam and the beautiful array of unique orchids and exotic plants that are displayed at  
24 plant shows organized by the Guam Orchid and Exotic Club throughout the year;  
25 therefore be it further

1           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature  
2 attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to  
3 the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.  
4 **DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I**  
5 **MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY**  
6 **OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2010.**

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**JUDITH WON PAT**  
Speaker

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**RORY J. RESPICIO**  
Chairman, Committee on Rules

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**TINA MUNA BARNES**  
Legislative Secretary