## Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr. R. Muña Barnes F. Cruz th I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No. (Cor)

Introduced by:

Relative to commending and congratulating the Guam Chapter No. 4837, AARP, Inc. on the occasion of their Sixteenth(16th)Anniversary Celebration and recognizing its Officers and members for their dedicated service to Guam's elderly residents.

- 1 BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN
- GUÅHAN: 2
- WHEREAS, the AARP, INC. is one of the largest organization of 3
- retired persons in the Nation with strong lobbying influence in the nation's 4
- 5 capital; and
- WHEREAS, Guam Chapter No. 4837, AARP, INC. was chartered on 6
- Sept. 9, 1994; and 7
- 8 WHEREAS, members of the Guam Chapter of AARP are dedicated
- 9 to enhancing the quality of life enjoyed by Guam's elderly residents; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the guidelines of the National 1 Association, the Guam Chapter offers membership eligibility to those fifty 2 3 (50) years of age and above; and WHEREAS, the Guam Chapter AARP has served as a catalyst for 4 5 social change and delivered value services to members and other seniors in 6 the community through information, advocacy and service; and WHEREAS, the Guam Chapter, in partnership with the Senior 7 8 Citizens Division of the Department of Public Health and Social Services, has actively assisted Senior Citizens on Guam to age with dignity and to 9 10 make the most of their lives after fifty (50) years of age; and 11 WHEREAS, the Guam Chapter has worked with local businesses to 12 obtain discounts on the cost of services or merchandise of particular importance to elderly consumers; and 13 WHEREAS, there are over thirty eight hundred (3,800) Guam 14 residents that are currently active members of the national AARP; and 15 16 WHEREAS, the Members and Officers of (Guam) Chapter No. 4837 of the AARP will celebrate the occasion of the Sixteenth (16th) Anniversary 17 since it was chartered with a formal banquet, in the *Tåsi* Ballroom of the 18 19 Hotel Nikko, Guam on Sunday, September 12, 2010; now, therefore, be it 20 **RESOLVED**, that I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and commend the members of 21

the Guam Chapter of the AARP on the Sixteenth Anniversary of its

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establishment; and be it further

RESOLVED, that I *Liheslaturan Guåhan* recognize and commends current and past Officers of the Guam Chapter of the AARP for their efforts to establish the Guam Chapter, and to offer the benefits of AARP membership to Guam residents over the past sixteen (16) years and for years to come; and be it further

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

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attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Bert R. Unpingco, President, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mr. Alex Chan, Vice -President, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mrs. Ann Benavente, Secretary of the Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mrs. Rita Okiyama, Treasurer, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mr. Vinancio "Vince" Atalig AARP National Coordinator of the Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mrs. Evelyn Anselmo, Board Member, Guam Chapter of the AARP; Mr. Tomas (Tom) Barcinas, Board Member, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mrs. Nilda D. Constantino, Board Member, Guam Chapter of the AARP to Mrs. Adora (Dory) T. Gonzales, Board Member, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mrs. Frederica "Fredie" Santos, Board Member, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mrs. Janie "Snake Lady" Nauta, Nominating Committee Chair, Guam Chapter of the AARP; to Mr. Mark Chapman, AARP West Senior Regional Advisor; to Mr. Leland White, Regional Vice President, AARP West Region; to Kris Ritualo, Regional Operations Analyst AARP West; to Mr. A. Barry Rand, AARP Chief Executive Officer;

- 1 to Ms. Helen Russ, Volunteer Director, AARP West Region and to the
- 2 Honorable Felix P. Camacho, I Maga'låhen Guåhan.

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JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.	 D	ROI	RY J. RESPICIO	
Speaker		Chairperson, Committee on Rules		
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**Legislative Secretary**