

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
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Relative to recognizing and honoring Pastor Edmund Kalau for his exemplary service to the people of Guam and the Pacific; to extending a sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'áse'* to him for the outstanding contributions he has made for the betterment of our island community; and to further encouraging him in his worthwhile efforts for our island and the Pacific, on the occasion of the Third (3rd) Annual MARC and Charter Day Event.

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I***
2 ***MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN:***

3 **WHEREAS,** Pastor Edmund Kalau has served the people of Guam and
4 Micronesia for over sixty (60) years, and has contributed to the medical, cultural and
5 historical well-being of our people in a myriad of ways; and

1 **WHEREAS**, Pastor Kalau founded the Pacific Missionary Aviation, and has
2 provided essential medical services on Guam and Micronesia for over thirty-five (35)
3 years; and

4 **WHEREAS**, after his retirement from the Pacific Missionary Aviation, Pastor
5 Kalau established the Micronesian Youth and Family Services, a non-profit group
6 whose aim is to help immigrants from the Federated States of Micronesia successfully
7 integrate into the Guam community; and

8 **WHEREAS**, Pastor Edmund Kalau has contributed greatly to the cultural
9 preservation of our region through his role as a Historian and Anthropology Recorder
10 for Micronesia, wherein he collects and documents critical information for the
11 preservation of our Pacific cultures; and

12 **WHEREAS**, Pastor Kalau has been a vital player in the diverse historical and
13 cultural preservation and perpetuation in Micronesia, not only with his duties at the
14 Pacific Missionary Aviation and the Micronesian Youth and Family Services, but also
15 in his everyday life and his personal efforts; and

16 **WHEREAS**, the Micronesian Area Research Center has chosen to
17 acknowledge Pastor Edmund Kalau for the invaluable contributions he has made to
18 improve our community; now, therefore, be it

19 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*
20 *Lihselaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihselaturan Guåhan* and the people
21 of Guam, recognize and commend Pastor Edmund Kalau for his service and
22 dedication to the people of Guam and Micronesia; and does further extend a sincere
23 *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to him for his important undertakings in the
24 cultural preservation of our region; and be it further

25 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
26 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of

- 1 the same be thereafter transmitted to Pastor Edmund Kalau; and to the Honorable
- 2 Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON 11TH THE DAY
OF MARCH 2011.**



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Speaker



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Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary