

***I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN***  
**2011 (FIRST) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 56-31 (COR)**

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**Relative to recognizing and honoring the late William Joseph Camacho for his exemplary service to the people of Guam; to extending a most sincere *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to him for the outstanding contributions he has made for the betterment of the tennis and island community; and to further extending condolences to his family on his passing.**

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

3           **WHEREAS**, the late William Joseph Camacho was born on June 22, 1964, the  
4 eldest of the five (5) children of Jose L.G. and Agnes Manibusan Camacho; and he  
5 was called to his eternal rest on March 15, 2011; and

1           **WHEREAS**, growing up, William attended St. Anthony Catholic School in  
2 *Tamuning*, Guam, and he then went on to attend and graduate from high school in  
3 Lompoc, California. At a very young age, William always expressed a love for tennis,  
4 a sport he excelled in; and

5           **WHEREAS**, after graduating from high school, William attended Hawaii  
6 Pacific University from the mid to the late 1980s, where he nurtured his love for  
7 tennis, playing competitively, not only for Hawaii Pacific University, but for the  
8 University of Hawaii as well; and

9           **WHEREAS**, in 1990, William returned to Guam, and in 1992, he succeeded in  
10 establishing his first business venture, opening “Mecca,” a boutique specializing in the  
11 sale of men’s and women’s clothing and accessories; and

12           **WHEREAS**, in the year 2000, as a testament to his entrepreneurial talents,  
13 William launched into another business venture, founding “Botanica,” a  
14 manufacturing company specializing in the production of soap, candles and various  
15 small gift items, which were distributed to Duty Free Stores and other tourist-oriented  
16 shops; and

17           **WHEREAS**, William, who never lost his passion for the sport of tennis,  
18 became a member of the Guam National Tennis Team in 2006, and competed in the  
19 Micronesian Games; and he also participated in the 2007 Pacific Games; and

20           **WHEREAS**, William remained active in the local tennis community, and in  
21 2008, he became the President of the Guam National Tennis Federation, the governing  
22 body of the sport of tennis on Guam; and he has been a tournament director or one of  
23 the organizers of the majority of the local Guam National Tennis Federation  
24 tournaments; and

1           **WHEREAS**, William was highly inspired in his love of the sport of tennis, and  
2 he was instrumental in the planning and implementation of the 2010 and 2011 Guam  
3 Futures Tournament, and he was also the local organizer for the 2011 Davis Cup; and

4           **WHEREAS**, in addition to his invaluable contributions to the local tennis  
5 community, William also contributed immensely to the local community in his  
6 involvement with the Guam Coral Life Foundation, an organization that provides  
7 HIV/AIDS prevention, education and awareness services, counseling, personal care,  
8 HIV/AIDS testing, outreach and referral services to the local community; and

9           **WHEREAS**, the late William Joseph Camacho is survived by his mother,  
10 Agnes M. Camacho, and his four (4) siblings: John Camacho, Debbie Belanger, Angie  
11 Camacho and Tom Camacho; now, therefore, be it

12           **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*  
13 *Lihe slaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihe slaturan Guåhan* and the people  
14 of Guam, recognize and honor the late William Joseph Camacho for his dedication  
15 and commitment to serving our island of Guam and the tennis community through his  
16 hard work, dedication, and inspiration; does extend a most sincere *Un Dångkolo Na*  
17 *Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to him for his efforts in faithfully serving Guam, its people and the  
18 tennis community through his works; and does further extend condolences to his  
19 family on his passing; and be it further

20           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee of Rules  
21 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
22 the same be thereafter transmitted to the family of the late William Joseph Camacho;  
23 and to the Honorable 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 THE 23<sup>RD</sup> DAY  
OF MARCH 2011.**



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**JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.**  
Speaker



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**JUDITH P. GUTHERTZ, DPA**  
Acting Chairperson, Committee on Rules



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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
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