

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Relative to welcoming the Desheng Youth String Orchestra to Guam; and to further extending a sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to its members for their services and assistance to the Guam Chinese School.

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

3 **WHEREAS,** the Desheng Youth String Orchestra was established by
4 Kaohsiung Desheng Presbyterian Church in the spring of 2001, and was headed by
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4 Kaohsiung Desheng Presbyterian Church in the spring of 2001, and was headed by
5 Senior Pastor Chong-Ming-Hu; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the Orchestra recruits new members, rehearses, and hosts concerts
7 on a regular basis; and ministers during Sunday services; and

8 **WHEREAS**, the repertoire of the Desheng Youth String Orchestra includes
9 sacred music, classical music, contemporary music and folk music; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the Orchestra is made up of both church members and members
11 of the local community. The group not only focuses on music education, but on the
12 importance of building personal character, as well; and

13 **WHEREAS**, the Desheng Youth String Orchestra expanded into a full
14 orchestra in 2006, and was invited to Japan in July of the same year; and

15 **WHEREAS**, the group uses the concert tours as an opportunity for cultural
16 exchange when visiting other countries; and

17 **WHEREAS**, in 2008, the Orchestra became officially registered as an amateur
18 performing arts group; and was renamed as Desheng Music Ensemble; and

19 **WHEREAS**, the Orchestra provides many opportunities for young musicians,
20 and allows them to help the less fortunate through their musical performances; and

21 **WHEREAS**, the musical group has successfully raised funds for many
22 charities, and contributed to the construction of a new gym for the Singapore
23 Presbyterian High School during their 2010 Tour; and

24 **WHEREAS**, the visiting music group from Taiwan has come to Guam to help
25 raise funds for the construction of a multi-purpose facility for the Guam Chinese
26 School; now therefore, be it

27 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*
28 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people

29 of Guam, welcome the Desheng Youth String Orchestra to Guam, and does recognize
30 and commend its members for their charitable contributions through music; and does
31 further extend a sincere *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'ase* to the Desheng Youth
32 String Orchestra for its services and assistance to the Guam Chinese School; and be it
33 further

34 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
35 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
36 the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms. Huang Hui-Chu, Team Leader; to Mr. Chen
37 Chen-Sheng, Musical Director and Conductor; to Mr. Chen Tsai-Chin, Assistant
38 Conductor; to Ms. Tseng Hsin-Hui, Piano Accompanist; to Ms. Cheng Hsin-Tien,
39 Administrator; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 13th DAY OF
JULY 2012.**



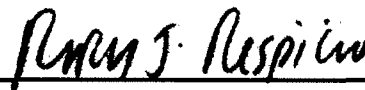
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