

***I MINA'TRENTAI UNU LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
2011 (FIRST) SESSION***

Resolution No. 282-31(COR)

Introduced by

Sam Mabini, Ph.D. *SM*

Relative to recognizing, commending and extending an *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'ase* to Florita Someros Oberiano for her service and contribution to the community of Guam on her Eightieth (80th) Birthday Celebration.

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

3 **WHEREAS**, Florita P. Someros was born on November 24, 1931 to Eusebio
4 Catedrilla Someros and Lucina P. Someros; and

5 **WHEREAS**, on July 18th, 1964, Florita married Victorio “Vic” Sobrevega
6 Oberiano (+), who was a part of Camp Roxas as an electrician for the U.S. Navy
7 during the post-World War II reconstruction of Guam; and

8 **WHEREAS**, Florita came to Guam on September 1964, following her
9 husband Vic, and in 1966 with the birth of her first child established Guam as her
10 home and now, more than fifty (50) years later, she still resides in Santa Rita; and

11 **WHEREAS**, shortly after the World War II, Florita she graduated from
12 *Collegio de Sagrado de Corazon de Jesus* (College of Sacred Heart of Jesus) with

1 two majors and minor, later she attended Western Visayas College of Science &
2 Technology for enrichments classes; and

3 **WHEREAS**, she aimed to spread the desire for education and knowledge to
4 her students serving as an educator both in the Philippines and in Guam; working
5 passionately as an elementary teacher at Agat Elementary School and advocating
6 higher education as a former member of the Western Visayas College of Science &
7 Technology Alumini Association; and

8 **WHEREAS**, she retired from the Guam Department of Education in the
9 early ninties; and

10 **WHEREAS**, despite relocating to Guam, she maintain her pride in her
11 Filipino culture by making contributions to the local Filipino community, both as
12 an individual and as a member of the Iloilo Association of Guam and as former
13 secretary of the Panaynon Association of Guam; and

14 **WHEREAS**, when Florita’s virtues were spoken of, her children noted
15 *“What is most admired of our mom is her strong faith in God, and her love for*
16 *Jesus and Mother Mary!”*; and

17 **WHEREAS**, due to her values in both education and her faith that she
18 served as a former CCD teacher at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Santa Rita
19 and also helped form and was former president for the Legion of Mary for the
20 Santa Rita parish.

21 **WHEREAS**, the children (and spouses) of Florita and Vic are: Mary Lou &
22 Tom Wilson; Ramon (+) & Marlyn Oberiano; Rita & Ronie Gumban; Luz Someros
23 Oberiano and Army Majoy Lily & Delbert Bay-Asen; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the grandchildren of Florita and Vic are: Miranda Gabrielle;
2 Kristin Renee; Kevin Vincent; Marielle Victoria; Brandon Mykol; Mia Isabelle;
3 Ciera Nikol; Alexander James; Bennett Charles; Chole Marie and Rayden Ron; and

4 **WHEREAS**, Florita is described by her children and grandchildren as being
5 a devoted mother and grandmother; generous with her time and putting family
6 first, her children’s words of love for her is a reflection of their gratitude for
7 everything she has done for them and of the strength and compassion that she has
8 taught; and

9 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina trenta I Uno Na*
10 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognizes
11 and commends Florita Someros Oberiano, a passionate educator and devoted
12 mother and grandmother, for her service and contribution to the island of Guam on
13 the occasion of her Eightieth (80th) Birthday Celebration and be it further

14 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Committee on Rules
15 certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof and that
16 copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mrs. Florita Someros Oberiano and
17 to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga’lahan Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON
RULES OF I MINA’TRENTA I UNO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON
THIS _____ DAY OF JUNE 2011.**

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D
Speaker

RORY J. RESPICIO
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary



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Memorandum

To: All Senators
From: Senator Sam A. Mabini *SM*
Date: 12/7/2011
Re: Resolution No. _____ Presentation

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Buenas yan Hafa Adai!

Please join me in presenting Resolution No. 282-31 (COR)
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On Sunday, December 11th, 2011 at Hyatt Regency Hotel
Presentation Time is 11:30am.

I look forward to your attendance and participation

Si Yu'os Ma'ase.

Senseramente,

Senator Sam Mabini, PhD.

Cc: Clerk of the Legislature
Sergeant at Arms
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