

**I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
**2012(SECOND) Regular Session**

**Resolution No.** 469-31 (Cor)

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**Introduced by:**

**Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.** 

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**Relative to recognizing and commending Dr. Kaaren Zvonik on her retirement from Marianas Physician Group and to extend a sincere *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* for her nineteen years of medical service for the people of Guam.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF**

***I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Kaaren Zvonik was born on December 23, 1945. She lived and went to school in Manhattan, New York, graduating from Hunter College High School in 1963; and

**WHEREAS**, Kaaren then attended college at the University of Rochester in Rochester, New York and graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Biology (Pre-Med) in 1967; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1972, Dr. Zvonik graduated from Down State Medical College State University of New York, working in labor and delivery units doing newborn circumcisions and deliveries; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Zvonik completed her internship at the University of California Irvine in Orange, California in 1973 and traveled across the United States, Mexico and Canada; and

1           **WHEREAS**, she later went back to school for her OB/GYN residency at  
2 State University of New York Downstate Medical Center and Kings County  
3 Hospital in Brooklyn, New York. Dr. Zvonik finished her residency in 1978 after  
4 completing thousands of deliveries and cesareans; and

5           **WHEREAS**, Dr. Zvonik served at the Fort Defiance Indian Hospital in  
6 Arizona from 1978 to 1980 and then worked with the Alaska Native Medical  
7 Center, serving the villages of Nome, Kotzebue, Dillingham, Kanak Kanak,  
8 Barrow and Bethel from 1980 to 1984; and

9           **WHEREAS**, she then joined FHP Utah and practiced in Utah for ten (10)  
10 years until FHP offered to send her to Guam for two (2) years ; and

11           **WHEREAS**, after her two (2) years at FHP, Dr. Zvonik decided to stay on  
12 island and then worked at The Doctors Clinic, PMC and lastly, Marianas  
13 Physicians Group; and now, therefore be it

14           **RESOLVED**, the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Una Na I*  
15 *Lihe slaturan Guåhan*, does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihe slaturan Guåhan* and the  
16 people of Guam, recognize and commend Dr. Kaaren Zvonik on her retirement  
17 from Marianas Physicians Group and extend a sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os*  
18 *Ma'åse'* for her nineteen years of medical service, delivering babies for the  
19 community of Guam and extend a sincere *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* for;  
20 and be it further

21           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on  
22 Rules certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to the adoption hereof, and  
23 that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Dr. Kaaren Zvonik; and to the  
24 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 GUÁHAN* ON THE \_\_\_\_\_  
DAY OF JULY, 2012.**

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

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**RORY RESPICIO**  
Chairman, Committee on Rules

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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
Legislative Secretary