

**I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTIONS**

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
155-35 (COR)	Tina Rose Muña Barnes	Relative to posthumously recognizing the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem, Speaker of the Pohnpei Legislature and President of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures for his many outstanding accomplishments and contributions to Micronesia and the Pacific region; and to further extending sincere condolences to his family on his passing, on behalf of <i>I Liheslaturan Guåhan</i> and the people of Guam.	6/10/19 2:41 p.m.		6/14/19 10:41 a.m.					

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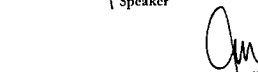
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN:

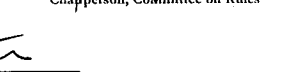
WHEREAS, Speaker Fernando Scaliem was born on December 7, 1960; and is the son of Gays and Mariana Else Scaliem; and
 WHEREAS, Speaker Fernando Scaliem was called to his eternal rest by the Holy Father on May 30, 2019; and will be joining his son, Christopher Scaliem, in the afterlife; and
 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem is survived by his wife, Mayleen Shomber Scaliem; his two (2) older sons, Fermin Scaliem and Berny Scaliem; his nine (9) grandchildren; and his twelve (12) siblings; and
 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem had received his education in Pohnpei, graduating from Our Lady of Mercy School in 1974; he then went on to receive his diploma of completion from the Pohnpei Island Central School in 1978; and afterwards, he received his Associate of Arts Degree in General Studies from Hartnell College in California; and
 WHEREAS, after the completion of his formal schooling, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem began his career in the field of education when he became a teacher for the Pohnpei Upward Bound, concurrently serving as a community liaison for the then thriving program from 1982 to June 1985; and
 WHEREAS, in September 1985, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem became the Assistant Coordinator for the Continuing Education Division of the Community College of Micronesia, a position he held until January 1996; and
 WHEREAS, in January 1989, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem was elected to serve on the Kolonia Town Council, where he was chosen to be the Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Relations; and he served for two (2) consecutive terms until he won a seat in the Fourth (4th) Pohnpei Legislature on January 8, 1996; and
 WHEREAS, in his first term with the Legislature, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem was appointed from among his colleagues to serve as the Chairman of the Committee on Public Works, Transportation and Communication, during a time period when a multitude of public works projects were being implemented by newly-established public corporations; and
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 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem captured the respect of his peers in the body of the Pohnpei Legislature through demonstrating a character of endurance in his early days in the Legislature, and he exhibited a mind of intellect for the rules and procedures required of such an assembly; and because of their confidence in him, in January 2002, his colleagues in the Fifth (5th) Pohnpei Legislature appointed the former Chairman of the Committee on Public Works, Transportation and Communication to serve as the Parliamentarian/Floor Leader, an office which he continued to hold until January 2011; and
 WHEREAS, in January 2012, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem was nominated from among his peers of the Eighth (8th) Pohnpei Legislature to become the Vice Speaker of that Legislature; and
 WHEREAS, just two (2) years later, in January of 2014, with the reorganization of the same Legislature, the late Honorable Fernando became the Speaker of the Eighth (8th) Pohnpei Legislature; and
 WHEREAS, as a well-respected and tenured member of the Pohnpei Legislature, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem was appointed to represent the Pohnpei Legislature on the Board of Directors of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures (APII); and
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 WHEREAS, during his long and illustrious tenure with the APII, the late Speaker Fernando Scaliem saw the creation of the Pacific Islands Development Bank, the establishment of the *Ayuda* Foundation, the making of the Friendship of the Digital Society Foundation, the formation of the sister-organization relationship with the Micronesian Conservation Trust, and the development and advancement of other programs through which the people of Pohnpei have received; and
 WHEREAS, in January of 2019, the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem was elected by the representatives of the parliaments and legislative assemblies all across our region of the Pacific to be the President of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures, a position that he enthusiastically held until his untimely passing; and
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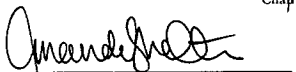
RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guahan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* and the people of Guam, posthumously recognize the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem, Speaker of the Pohnpei Legislature and President of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures for his many outstanding accomplishments and contributions to Micronesia and the Pacific region; and does further extend sincere condolences to his family on his passing, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* and the people of Guam; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the family of the late Honorable Speaker Fernando Scaliem; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Magsabagan Guahan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE 14TH DAY OF JUNE 2019.


 TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
 Speaker


 RÉGINE BISCOE LEE
 Chairperson, Committee on Rules


 AMANDA L. SHELTON
 Legislative Secretary



Stephanie Lorenzo
 6/18/19

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Buenas yan Hafa Adai Clerks,

Please see attached document for resolution for introduction. The final resolution will be mailed offisland to the late Honorable Fernando Scaliem's family.



Sinsenru yan Minagåhet,

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I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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OF JUNE 2019.**



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Speaker



RÉGINE BISCOE LEE
Chairperson, Committee on Rules



AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary

