

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

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
337-35 (COR)	Telena Cruz Nelson Amanda L. Shelton	Relative to recognizing Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana on the occasion of her retirement after thirty (30) years of outstanding government of Guam service; and commending her for her dedicated service to the Guam Department of Education.	7/1/20 12:01 p.m.	7/24/20 10:00 a.m.	7/20/20 9:08 a.m.					

Resolution No. 337-35 (COR)

Introduced by:

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Amanda L. Shelton

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

**WHEREAS**, Elizabeth Ann Laguana was born on September 16, 1957; and she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Cruz and Isabel Taitingfong Laguana, and was raised in the village of *Maiti*. Elizabeth Ann has a twin sister, Rita, as well as three (3) other sisters and a brother; and

**WHEREAS**, on November 22, 1975, Elizabeth Ann married the late Mr. Joseph N. Apiag, and they raised a loving family of three (3) children – two (2) daughters and a son; and were also blessed with nine (9) grandchildren; and

**WHEREAS**, from 1983 to 1985, Elizabeth Ann worked as a limited-term Substitute Teacher at Jose Rios Middle School in *Piti*, and also served as a Physical Education Teacher at F.B. Leon Guerrero Middle School in *Yigo*; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana was also tasked to spearhead the school's intramural sports program, where the school's administrators noticed her diligent efforts and suggested that she go back to school which she eventually did, and she obtained her Bachelor of Arts degree in Education Health and Physical Education; and

**WHEREAS**, by 1989, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana began serving as a teaching leader at Jose Rios Middle School where she would be nominated several times for the Guam Department of Education's "Teacher of the Year" award. She was also part of the cadre of teachers who helped in identifying priority standards for health education and aligning curriculum with Common Core State Standards; and

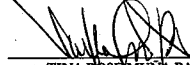
**WHEREAS**, Elizabeth Ann also served as Jose Rios Middle School's Activity Coordinator and Money Committee Member, and ensured that student funds were utilized properly and that Standard Operating Procedures were adhered to. Additionally, Mrs. Laguana handled all morale booster activities and coordinated many events for the students, as well as faculty and staff; and

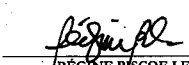
**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana will retire from Jose Rios Middle School on July 31, 2020, with a tenure of over thirty (30) years serving as a Teacher IV with the Guam Department of Education; and after her retirement, she will be relocating to Texas to be with her children and grandchildren; now therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam, recognize Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana on the occasion of her retirement after thirty (30) years of outstanding government of Guam service; and commend her for her dedicated service to the Guam Department of Education; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chair 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 Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hagan Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 20<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JULY 2020.**

  
TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES  
Speaker

  
RÉGINE BISCOE LEE  
Chair, Committee on Rules

  
AMANDA L. SHELTON  
Legislative Secretary



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**2020 (SECOND) Regular Session**

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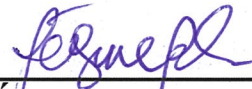
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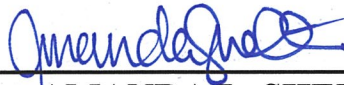
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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
Speaker



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**RÉGINE BISCOE LEE**  
Chair, Committee on Rules



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**AMANDA L. SHELTON**  
Legislative Secretary




# THE OFFICE OF VICE SPEAKER TELENA CRUZ NELSON

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, AIR TRANSPORTATION,  
AND STATISTICS, RESEARCH, AND PLANNING

I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN | 35th GUAM LEGISLATURE

## MEMORANDUM

TO: All Senators, Stakeholders and Media  
FROM: Vice Speaker Telena Cruz Nelson   
RE: Presentation of **Resolution No. 337-35 (COR)**

*Buenas yan Háfa adai:*

Your presence is kindly requested at the presentation of **Resolution No. 337-35 (COR)** by Vice Speaker Telena Cruz Nelson and Senator Amanda Shelton: “Relative to recognizing Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana on the occasion of her retirement after thirty (30) years of outstanding government of Guam service; and commending her for her dedicated service to the Guam Department of Education.”

DATE: Friday, July 24, 2020  
TIME: 10:00 A.M.  
PLACE: Guam Department of Education – Gallery Room  
501 Mariner Avenue, Building B, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
Tiyán, Guam 96913

We look forward to your presence and participation!

CC: Clerks  
Sgt-At-Arms  
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Protocol  
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*Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'áse'!*

Senator Régine Biscoe Lee  
Chair

Senator Amanda L. Shelton  
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Member

Senator Mary Camacho Torres  
Member and Chair, Subcommittee on Protocol

**COMMITTEE ON RULES**  
**I MINA TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
**35TH GUAM LEGISLATURE**

**COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET**

**Resolution No. 337-35 (COR) – Telena Cruz Nelson.** – "Relative to recognizing Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Laguana on the occasion of her retirement after thirty (30) years of outstanding government of Guam service; and commending her for her dedicated service to the Guam Department of Education."

	SIGNATURE	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Régine Biscoe Lee Chair					
Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton Vice Chair					
Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes Member	e-vote	7-20-20	✓		
Vice-Speaker Telena Cruz Nelson Member	<i>Telena Cruz Nelson</i>	7-19-20	✓		
Senator Kelly Marsh (Taitano), PhD Member	e-vote	7-20-20	✓		
Senator Sabina Flores Perez Member					
Senator Clynton E. Ridgell Member					
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member	e-vote	7-17-20	✓		
Senator Jose "Pedro" Terlaje Member					
Senator Therese M. Terlaje Member	e-vote	7-20-20	✓		
Senator James C. Moylan Minority Member	e-vote	7-19-20	✓		
Senator Mary Camacho Torres Minority Member	e-vote	7/15/20	✓		
<b>For Sponsor's Office Use Only</b>					
Sponsor Signature: <i>J. P. Taitague</i>					
Staff Contact Person: <i>Michelle Manlacsagan 969-7696</i>					
<b>For COR/Clerk's Office Use Only</b>					
<u>7</u> Certified _____ Returned _____					
Name: <u>Joaquin P. Taitague</u>					
Date: <u>July 20, 2020 at 9:08 a.m.</u>					
Notes: _____					