

I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No. 405-30 (COR)

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Relative to recognizing and congratulating Joseph R. Meno, Police Officer III, on his retirement from the Guam Police Department after dedicating thirty (30) years of loyal and professional public service to the people of Guam; and to further extending *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse* and best wishes to him on his future endeavors.

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

3 **WHEREAS,** Joseph R. Meno was born in Guam on December 12,
4 1960, and is the son of Vicente C. Meno and Carmen M. Meno, from the
5 village of *Malojloj*; and

6 **WHEREAS,** Joseph R. Meno and Laura Marie Reyes are the proud
7 parents of six (6) wonderful children: Carmelita, Joseph Jr., Vincent,
8 Tammy Marie, Therese Marie and Elayne Marie; and

9 **WHEREAS,** Joseph R. Meno enlisted in the United States Army
10 Reserve in 1981, and he was honorably discharged in 1986; and

11 **WHEREAS,** Joseph R. Meno was hired as a Police Officer at the
12 Guam Police Department on February 25, 1985, and he graduated from the
13 Twenty-sixth (26th) Police Academy Cycle of the Guam Police Department
14 in the same year; and

15 **WHEREAS,** in 1987, Joseph R. Meno, Police Officer III, was honored
16 with the Silver Star Award for trying to apprehend two (2) individuals who
17 were attempting to rob the Family Finance Company, and he was shot and
18 wounded in the process. In 1990, he also was honored with the Lifesaving
19 Award for his heroic efforts in talking an unknown, distraught male
20 Filipino out of taking his own life at the Two Lover's Point Overlook. He

1 has also received other Meritorious Service and Commendation Awards
2 during his tenure with the Guam Police Department; and

3 **WHEREAS**, in 1988, Joseph R. Meno, Police Officer III, was named as
4 the Officer of the Quarter for the *Hagåtña* Precinct Command. In 1999, he
5 was selected as the Guam Police Department Police Officer of the Year, and
6 in the year 2000, he was the *Agat* Precinct Command Police Officer of the
7 Year; and

8 **WHEREAS**, Joseph R. Meno, Police Officer III, has served as the Field
9 Supervisor for the Neighborhood Patrol Division in the Operations Bureau;
10 as the Supervisor for the Criminal Investigations Section in the
11 Investigations Bureau; and he has also served in numerous other
12 assignments during his career as a Police Officer; and

13 **WHEREAS**, on Friday, June 18, 2010, Joseph R. Meno, Police Officer
14 III, will be retiring from the Guam Police Department, culminating thirty
15 (30) years of loyal and professional public service to the community; now,
16 therefore, be it

17 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trenta Na*
18 *LiheSlaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I LiheSlaturan Guåhan* and the
19 people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Joseph R. Meno, Police Officer
20 III, on his retirement from the Guam Police Department, and commend him
21 for dedicating thirty (30) years of loyal and professional public service to

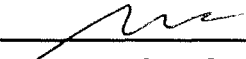
1 the people of Guam; and does further extend *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os*
2 *Ma'ase* and best wishes to him on his future endeavors; and be it further
3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee
4 on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof,
5 and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Joseph R. Meno,
6 Police Officer III; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen*
7 *Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES
OF I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THIS 17TH DAY
OF JUNE, 2010.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.

Speaker



RORY J. RESPICIO

Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES
Legislative Secretary