



SENATOR FRANK F. BLAS JR.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES
AND HOMELAND SECURITY

I' MINA BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN



November 17, 2009

MEMORANDUM

To: Clerk of the Legislature

From: **FRANK F. BLAS, JR.**

Subject: Resolution Presentation

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Håfa Adai! This is to inform you that the attached COR resolution is scheduled for presentation on Sunday, November 22, 2009, at 1:00 pm at the Asan Community Center.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact my office at 472-2527.

Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!

cc: The Protocol Officer
Clerks Office

**I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GU HAN
2009 (FIRST) Regular Session**

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Resolution No. 247-30 (COR)

Introduced by:

F. F. Blas, Jr. 

Relative to congratulating and commending Mr. Gerald C. Paulsen for his dedication and commitment to public service and for his positive impact and contribution towards bettering the lives of Guam's veterans and other veterans within the region to succeed in their endeavors.

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

3 **WHEREAS**, Gerald Paulsen, President/CEO of Paulsen Productions, is an
4 internationally recognized expert in the field of professional development and a
5 published author. Mr. Paulsen has been designing, developing and conducting
6 presentation skills management and leadership programs throughout the United States,
7 Brazil, Canada, Puerto Rico, Mexico and Europe since 1994. Paulsen Productions
8 currently has offices in the United States, Brazil, China and Guam; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Armed with over 20 years of research and experience, Jerry
10 delivers his messages clearly and profoundly. Jerry also walks his talk, always looking
11 polished and professional. A former non-commissioned officer, Jerry learned from
12 personal experience how image can define a career; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Gerald Paulsen has worked with federal and state governments,
14 Fortune 500's, and hundreds of small and emerging companies worldwide. Prior to
15 founding his business, he served with distinction in law enforcement for fifteen years,
16 receiving numerous commendations both as a patrol officer and a detective and
17 received the honor of Police Officer of the Year in 1993. He is most proud of his
18 service to his country as an Army veteran, serving in numerous assignments which
19 included CoA/2BN/129th Infantry Division, USAREC and the 12th Special Forces
20 Group (ABN); and

21 **WHEREAS**, as a veteran business owner, Mr. Paulsen is a highly recognized
22 and respected veteran business owner, traveling extensively throughout the United

1 States speaking in support of veteran legislation and helping to educate veterans in the
2 federal procurement arena and related veteran business issues. In addition to his
3 worldwide corporate clients, he has taken his copy written methodology and
4 developed a special program for assisting service - disabled veterans who are engaged
5 in vocational rehabilitation. Jerry's work, care and dedication for assisting his fellow
6 veterans are highly regarded and he is constantly sought after to speak in both the
7 veteran and civilian communities across the country; and

8 **WHEREAS**, Jerry's credentials are unquestionable, having spoken at national
9 conferences and conventions throughout the United States and abroad. He has worked
10 with the corporate world for more than 15 years, where he delivers a keynote speech,
11 and follows up with breakout sessions where participants are a part of the program in
12 his unique highly interactive sessions. With an impressive list of clients including
13 American Express Financial Services, the United States Army, U.S. Small Business
14 Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Astra Zeneca, Marcus & Millichap,
15 Deloitte & Touche, and Price Waterhouse Coopers. Jerry has clearly left his mark on
16 thousands the world over; and

17 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Paulsen has received many awards and accolades, including
18 being recognized by former President George H. Bush for his active role in the war
19 against drugs, the Outstanding Person of Illinois award from Illinois Governor Jim
20 Edgar and the Illinois Jaycees, the Award of Excellence from the United States
21 Department of Defense, is a two time recipient of the Lions Club International
22 Distinguished Citizen Award and is in the Who's Who of Entrepreneurs. He is also
23 the recipient of the 2008 Veteran Small Business Champion of the Year Award for
24 Region 5 of the United States Small Business Administration; and .

25 **WHEREAS**, Jerry has grown Paulsen Productions to 3 divisions: Presentation
26 Skills DynamicsTM, Education ImpressionsSM and Motivation ConceptsSM. He
27 continues to inspire and lead and empower people worldwide; now, therefore, be it

28 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan*
29 *Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam,
30 commend and congratulate Mr. Gerald C. Paulsen for his dedication and commitment
31 to public service, and his positive impact and contributions towards bettering the lives
32 of disabled veterans, especially those who are engaged in vocational rehabilitation.
33 Gerald Paulsen's work, care and dedication for assisting his fellow veterans are highly
34 regarded; and be it further

35 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
36 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
37 the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Gerald C. Paulsen, to the Honorable
38 Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Guam's Delegate to the United States Congress; and to the
39 Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahren Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUHAN ON THE __TH DAY OF
NOVEMBER 2009.**

JUDITH T.WON PAT, Ed.D.

Speaker

RORY J. RESPICIO

Chairperson, Committee on Rules

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES

Legislative Secretary