

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

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Resolution No. 497 -30 (LS)

Introduced by:

Committee on Rules

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**RELATIVE TO NEGATING DEFAULT APPROVAL OF ANY  
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, REGULATIONS OR PLANS  
SUBMITTED TO I LIHESLATURA BETWEEN SEPTEMBER  
1, 2010 AND JANUARY 3, 2011.**

1        **BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN**  
2 **GUÅHAN:**

3        **WHEREAS,** *I Liheslatura* finds that rules and regulations, and agency  
4 plans, have been submitted for legislative approval in the last few months  
5 of the term of the *I Mina' Trenta na Liheslaturan Guahån* which have  
6 potential for significant fiscal and welfare impacts to the people of Guam;  
7 and

8        **WHEREAS,** these rules and regulations, and agency plans, require  
9 comprehensive review extending beyond the current legislative term; and

10        **WHEREAS,** a new administration will take office in less than seven  
11 (7) days, and may desire to review and improve upon these proposed rules  
12 and regulations, and agency plans, that their administration would have to  
13 enforce or oversee; and

14        **WHEREAS,** the Administrative Adjudication Law allows for default  
15 approval of rules and regulations if not amended or rejected by the  
16 Legislature within 90 days of transmittal, however given the current

1 circumstances, the default approval of the remaining transmitted rules and  
2 regulations, and agency plans, without further public input and input by  
3 the new administration is contrary to the interests of the public; now  
4 therefore, be it

5 **RESOLVED**, that, notwithstanding the Administrative Adjudication  
6 Law, any default approval of all rules and regulations submitted to *I*  
7 *Liheslatura* pursuant to the Administrative Adjudication Law and all plans  
8 submitted to *I Liheslatura* pursuant to 5 GCA §Article 2 between September  
9 1, 2010 and January 3, 2011 is hereby negated and *shall* not lapse into law  
10 based on the inaction of *I Liheslatura*; and now, therefore, be it

11 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary  
12 attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter  
13 transmitted to Governor-elect Edward JB Calvo; and to the Honorable Felix  
14 P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guahan*.