

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

<b>Resolution No.</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Intro</b>	<b>Date of Presentation</b>	<b>Date Adopted</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Referred to</b>	<b>PUBLIC HEARING DATE</b>	<b>DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED</b>	<b>NOTES</b>
191-37 (COR)	Roy A. B. Quinata	Relative to recognizing and congratulating Doris Dueñas Bukikosa on her retirement from the Guam Department of Education - Education Support and Community Learning; and commending her for her thirty-four (34) years of outstanding service to the government of Guam.	9/14/23 10:17 a.m.	9/29/23 12:00 p.m.	9/18/23 3:53 p.m.					

Resolution No. 191-37 (COR)

Introduced by:

Roy A. B. Quinata

Chris Barnett	William A. Packenson
Frank Blas, Jr.	Sabina Flores Perez
Jaime Brown	Jose S. San Agustin
Christopher M. Dueñas	Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas
Thomas J. Fisher	Amanda L. Shelton
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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, it is the sense and custom of I Liheslaturan Guåhan to commend members of the community such as Doris Dueñas Bukikosa whose diligent service has considerably contributed to the well-being of the public; and

WHEREAS, Doris Dueñas Bukikosa (familian Burack) is married to John Leon Guerrero Bukikosa (familian Alimásak); and together, they have three (3) children: Jordan Kyle, Cana Nicole, and Luke Anthony. Doris is an alumna of the Guam Community College - Vocational High School, obtaining a diploma with a specialty in Computer Science; and she attended the University of Guam, where she graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology in 1990; and soon thereafter, she began working at the University of Guam and the Guam Community College; and

WHEREAS, in 1995, Doris began her public service career in the Guam Department of Education working as a Social Worker with the Parent-Family Community Outreach Program, where she assisted at-risk students and school-aged children and their families to meet the holistic needs of the student; and she provided information for the family to utilize towards improving the quality of their lives; and

WHEREAS, in 2014, Doris was promoted to the capacity of Social Services Supervisor for the Parent-Family Community Outreach Program, where she continued in her service of supervising the social services program of the district and evaluating the effectiveness of the case work plan and treatment programs; and

WHEREAS, in 2016, Doris became the Project Lead person for the Guam Department of Education School Climate Culture and Engagement Project with the goal of offering social service support, student interventions, and teaching a healthier lifestyle. She leads a team of social workers, community program aides, and coaches who make up the Social Service and Outreach Teams, the Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports, which help schools plan and execute strategies to improve students' behavior; and the Positive Learning Centers, which are classes where teachers provide students who have behavioral needs with academic and social support; and

WHEREAS, during the COVID-19 pandemic and shutdown, Doris was instrumental in taking on the enormous task of ensuring emergency federal funds were used to procure personal protective equipment and supplies for all Guam Department of Education schools to ensure the safety of student, faculty, and staff. As schools began to open in 2021, she led a group of social workers and other staff, in coordination with village mayors, to locate and administer home visits to over two thousand (2,000) students who were unaccounted for, allowing for significant strides in bringing the education system back to normal; and

WHEREAS, during her career, Doris had coordinated large-scale tasks, often spanning over the forty-one (41) public schools in the Guam Department of Education system; and some of the large-scale projects included: assistance with contacting parents in regards to active tuberculosis exposures in schools; coordinating various forms of typhoon assistance as it relates to school needs; and making thousands of phone calls related to contact tracing for exposed students during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, Doris has been a proven leader, often using her knowledge of the inner workings of the Guam Department of Education and its many departments to give guidance to the staff; and her supportive nature and firm, but fair leadership style, has benefited the people of Guam through the receiving of consolidated grants in which she assisted with developing, as well as the guidance and knowledge she has given to her staff; now therefore, it be

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guåhan and the people of Guam, recognize and congratulate Doris Dueñas Bukikosa on her retirement from the Guam Department of Education - Education Support and Community Learning; and commend her for her thirty-four (34) years of outstanding service to the government 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 Mrs. Doris Dueñas Bukikosa; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, I Maga'hågan Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 18<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2023.

AMANDA L. SHELTON  
Acting Speaker

CHRIS BARNETT  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

CHRIS BARNETT  
Acting Legislative Secretary



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***I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2023 (FIRST) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 191-37 (COR)**

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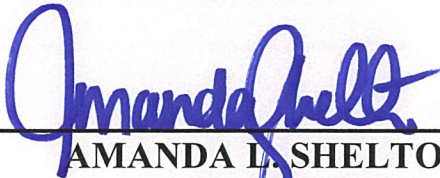
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**AMANDA L. SHELTON**  
Acting Speaker



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**CHRIS BARNETT**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules



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Acting Legislative Secretary



# COMMITTEE ON RULES

Chris Barnett, Chairperson, Committee on Rules

*I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*

37<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

## COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

**Resolution No. 191-37 (COR) - Roy A. B. Quinata. - "Relative to recognizing and congratulating Doris Dueñas Bukikosa on her retirement from the Guam Department of Education - Education Support and Community Learning; and commending her for her thirty-four (34) years of outstanding service to the government of Guam."**

	INITIAL	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Chris Barnett Chairperson	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Senator Sabina Flores Perez Vice Chairperson	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Speaker Therese M. Terlaje Member	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes Member					
Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton Member	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Senator William A. Parkinson Member	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Senator Roy A. B. Quinata Member	<i>RQ</i>	09/18/23	✓		
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Senator Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas Member	E-VOTE	09/15/23	✓		
Senator Joanne Brown Minority Member	E-VOTE	09/18/23	✓		
Senator Christopher M. Dueñas Minority Member	E-VOTE	09/18/23	✓		
Senator Thomas J. Fisher Minority Member	E-VOTE	09/18/23	✓		
Senator Telo T. Taitague Minority Member					
For Sponsor's Office Use Only					
Sponsor Signature: <i>Roy A. B. Quinata</i>					
Staff Contact Person: Genese Morrison					
For COR/Clerk's Office Use Only					
<u>11</u> Certified _____ Returned					
Name: Joaquin 'Quin' P. Taitague					
Date: September 18, 2023 at 3:53 p.m.					
Notes:					





OFFICE OF SENATOR

# ROY A. B. QUINATA

*I Mina' trentai Siette na Liheslaturan Guåhan* | 37th Guam Legislature

Committee on Infrastructure, Economic Development, Simon Sanchez High School, Disabilities Services,  
Self-Determination and Historic Preservation, Housing, Public Accountability, and the Guam Buildup

September 21, 2023

## MEMORANDUM

**To:** All Members of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*

**From:** Senator Roy A. B. Quinata 

**Subject:** Notice of Presentation - Resolution No. 191-37 (COR)

*Buenas yan Håfa Adai!*

Please join me in presenting Resolution No. 191-37 (COR) - "Relative to recognizing and congratulating Doris Dueñas Bukikosa on her retirement from the Guam Department of Education - Education Support and Community Learning; and commending her for her thirty-four (34) years of outstanding service to the government of Guam."

The presentation will occur on Friday, September 29, 2023, at 12:00 p.m. at the Guam Department of Education, Building C - 1st Floor Conference Room, Tiyan.

I look forward to your attendance and participation.

*Si Yu'os Ma'åse'*