

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

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED	NOTES
488-37 (COR)	Therese M. Terlaje	Relative to recognizing Noel Dizon on being nominated by the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association for the "2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year" Award; and commending him for his contributions to our island's hospitality industry and Guam's visitors.	9/4/24 1:28 p.m.	9/8/24 8:00 p.m.	9/6/24 12:07 p.m.					

Resolution No. 488-37 (COR)

Introduced by:

Chen Barnett	William A. Parkinson
Frank Blas, Jr.	Sabina Flores Perez
Joanne M. Brown	Roy A. B. Quinata
Christopher M. Duenias	Joe S. San Agustin
Thomas J. Fisher	Dwayne T.D. San Nicolas
Jesse A. Lapan	Amanda L. Shelton
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**Relative to recognizing Noel Dizon on being nominated by the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association for the "2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year" Award; and commending him for his contributions to our island's hospitality industry and Guam's visitors.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES I MINA TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN:**

**WHEREAS**, it is the sense of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* to recognize the achievements of the dedicated professionals in our hospitality and tourism industry who have committed themselves to serving our community with excellence, upholding the highest standards, and contributing significantly to the well-being and satisfaction of our people and visitors alike; and

**WHEREAS**, Guam's hospitality and tourism industry is a cornerstone of the island's economy, welcoming visitors from around the world to experience the unique beauty, culture, and warmth of the *CHamoru* people; and

**WHEREAS**, housekeepers in Guam's hotels, resorts, and other tourist accommodations play a crucial role in ensuring that visitors experience the highest standards of cleanliness, comfort, and safety during their stay, thereby enhancing the overall reputation of Guam as a premier travel destination; and

**WHEREAS**, the duties of housekeepers extend far beyond routine cleaning, encompassing meticulous attention to detail, the maintenance of guest rooms and common areas, the management of laundry services, and the provision of a welcoming environment that reflects the spirit of hospitality for which Guam is known; and

**WHEREAS**, housekeepers often serve as the frontline ambassadors of Guam's hospitality industry, providing guests with a first impression of the island's commitment to excellence, and frequently going above and beyond to accommodate the diverse needs and preferences of Guam's visitors and residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the dedication and hard work of Guam's housekeepers contribute significantly to the success and sustainability of the island's tourism sector, directly impacting visitor satisfaction, repeat visitation, and positive word-of-mouth promotion that drives economic growth; and

**WHEREAS**, housekeepers in Guam's hospitality industry not only support the visitor experience but also play an integral role in maintaining public health and safety by adhering to rigorous sanitation protocols, especially in the wake of global health challenges, thereby protecting both visitors and the local community; and

**WHEREAS**, the contributions of housekeepers extend beyond the confines of their workplaces, as their efforts help to preserve the cleanliness and appeal of Guam's natural environment, ensuring that the island remains a pristine and attractive destination for generations to come; and

**WHEREAS**, Noel Dizon has faithfully served the guests of the Hilton Guam Resort & Spa for ten (10) years, beginning his career working in the laundry department before transferring to the role of Public Area Cleaner, where he has consistently ensured that the lobby, the restaurant outlets, and the banquet rooms are maintained to the highest standards of cleanliness and hygiene for all patrons and guests; and

**WHEREAS**, Noel's daily dedication to maintaining a clean and safe environment is matched by his warm and welcoming demeanor, as he consistently provides kindness, a friendly smile, and helpfulness to all who visit the hotel, enhancing the guest experience through his positive interactions; and

**WHEREAS**, Noel's great sense of humor and positive attitude have made him a valued team member, where his supportive nature contributes to the daily operations of the housekeeping department, and his commitment to maintaining the public areas reflects his dedication to the overall success of the hotel; and

**WHEREAS**, Noel's outstanding service and commitment to excellence have earned him the recognition as the Hilton Guam Resort & Spa's "2024 MVP Public Area Attendant of the Year," a testament to his hard work, reliability, and the positive impact he has made on his colleagues and the hotel guests he serves; now therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guahan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* and the people of Guam, recognize Noel Dizon on being nominated by the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association for the "2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year" Award; and commend him for his contributions to our island's hospitality industry and Guam's visitors; and be it further

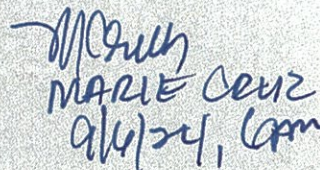
**RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Noel Dizon; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hagan Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE 6TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2024.**

  
 THERESE M. TERLAJE  
 Speaker

  
 CHRIS BARNETT  
 Chairperson, Committee on Rules

  
 AMANDA L. SHELTON  
 Legislative Secretary

  
 MARIE CRUZ  
 9/12/24, Cam



***I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2024 (SECOND) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 488-37 (COR)**

Introduced by:

Therese M. Terlaje  
Chris Barnett  
Frank Blas, Jr.  
Joanne M. Brown  
Christopher M. Dueñas  
Thomas J. Fisher  
Jesse A. Lujan  
Tina Rose Muña Barnes  
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**Relative to recognizing Noel Dizon on being nominated by the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association for the “2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year” Award; and commending him for his contributions to our island’s hospitality industry and Guam’s visitors.**

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2        ***MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*:**

3        **WHEREAS**, it is the sense of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to recognize the  
4        achievements of the dedicated professionals in our hospitality and tourism industry who  
5        have committed themselves to serving our community with excellence, upholding the

1 highest standards, and contributing significantly to the well-being and satisfaction of  
2 our people and visitors alike; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Guam’s hospitality and tourism industry is a cornerstone of the  
4 island’s economy, welcoming visitors from around the world to experience the unique  
5 beauty, culture, and warmth of the *CHamoru* people; and

6 **WHEREAS**, housekeepers in Guam’s hotels, resorts, and other tourist  
7 accommodations play a crucial role in ensuring that visitors experience the highest  
8 standards of cleanliness, comfort, and safety during their stay, thereby enhancing the  
9 overall reputation of Guam as a premier travel destination; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the duties of housekeepers extend far beyond routine cleaning,  
11 encompassing meticulous attention to detail, the maintenance of guest rooms and  
12 common areas, the management of laundry services, and the provision of a welcoming  
13 environment that reflects the spirit of hospitality for which Guam is known; and

14 **WHEREAS**, housekeepers often serve as the frontline ambassadors of Guam’s  
15 hospitality industry, providing guests with a first impression of the island’s commitment  
16 to excellence, and frequently going above and beyond to accommodate the diverse  
17 needs and preferences of Guam’s visitors and residents; and

18 **WHEREAS**, the dedication and hard work of Guam’s housekeepers contribute  
19 significantly to the success and sustainability of the island’s tourism sector, directly  
20 impacting visitor satisfaction, repeat visitation, and positive word-of-mouth promotion  
21 that drives economic growth; and

22 **WHEREAS**, housekeepers in Guam’s hospitality industry not only support the  
23 visitor experience but also play an integral role in maintaining public health and safety  
24 by adhering to rigorous sanitation protocols, especially in the wake of global health  
25 challenges, thereby protecting both visitors and the local community; and

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2 their workplaces, as their efforts help to preserve the cleanliness and appeal of Guam’s  
3 natural environment, ensuring that the island remains a pristine and attractive  
4 destination for generations to come; and

5           **WHEREAS**, Noel Dizon has faithfully served the guests of the Hilton Guam  
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20 *Attendant of the Year*,” a testament to his hard work, reliability, and the positive impact  
21 he has made on his colleagues and the hotel guests he serves; now therefore, be it

22           **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na*  
23 *LiheSlaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I LiheSlaturan Guåhan* and the people  
24 of Guam, recognize Noel Dizon on being nominated by the Guam Hotel and Restaurant  
25 Association for the “*2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year*” Award; and

1 commend him for his contributions to our island's hospitality industry and Guam's  
2 visitors; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules  
4 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
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6 Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

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I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 6<sup>TH</sup> DAY  
OF SEPTEMBER 2024.**



**THERESE M. TERLAJE**

**Speaker**



**CHRIS BARNETT**

**Chairperson, Committee on Rules**



**AMANDA L. SHELTON**

**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. 488-37 (COR)** – Therese M. Terlaje. – “Relative to recognizing Noel Dizon on being nominated by the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association for the ‘2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year’ Award; and commending him for his contributions to our island’s hospitality industry and Guam’s visitors.”

	INITIAL	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
<b>Senator Chris Barnett</b> Chairperson	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator Sabina Flores Perez</b> Vice Chairperson	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Speaker Therese M. Terlaje</b> Member	<i>TMT</i>	9/6/24	X		
<b>Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes</b> Member					
<b>Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton</b> Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator William A. Parkinson</b> Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator Roy A. B. Quinata</b> Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator Joe S. San Agustin</b> Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas</b> Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator Joanne M. Brown</b> Minority Member					
<b>Senator Christopher M. Dueñas</b> Minority Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>Senator Thomas J. Fisher</b> Minority Member					
<b>Senator Telo T. Taitague</b> Minority Member	E-Vote	9/6/24	X		
<b>For Sponsor’s Office Use Only</b>					
Sponsor Signature: <i>Therese M. Terlaje</i>					
Staff Contact Person: Marie Cruz					
<b>For COR/Clerk’s Office Use Only</b>					
____ 10 ____ Certified _____ Returned					
Name: Marie Crisostomo					
Date: September 6, 2024 12:07 p.m.					
Notes:					



Office of the Speaker  
**THERESE M. TERLAJE**

*I Mina'trentai Siette na Liheslaturan Guåhan* | 37th Guam Legislature  
Committee on Health, Land, Justice, and Culture

September 6, 2024

**MEMORANDUM**

To: All Senators, Stakeholders  
From: Speaker Therese M. Terlaje *TMT*  
Subject: **Notice of Presentation - Resolution Nos. 484-489, 491-522, and 524-37 (COR)**

*Buenas yan Håfa Adai!*

Please join us for the presentations of **Resolution Nos. 484-489, 491-522, and 524-37 (COR)** - “Relative to recognizing and congratulating the nominees of the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association “2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year” Award; and to commend their contribution to our island’s hospitality industry and Guam’s visitors.”

**Presentation Information:**

Date: Sunday, September 8, 2024  
Event Start Time: 6:00 p.m.  
Presentation Time: ~~7:00 p.m.~~ **8:00 p.m.**  
Venue: Dusit Thani Guam Resort

*Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!*

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