



**JUDICIAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 04-018
RELATIVE TO COMMENDING JOAQUIN C. ARRIOLA, JR.
FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE GUAM BAR ASSOCIATION**



WHEREAS, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. served as the President of the Guam Bar Association from 1997 to 2004;

WHEREAS, as the President of the Guam Bar Association, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. tirelessly defended the interests of the Bar membership;

WHEREAS, as the President of the Guam Bar Association, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. worked to improve Judicial Centers working environment for the Bar membership including the opening of the Guam Bar Room in the Judicial Center;

WHEREAS, as the President of the Guam Bar Association, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. worked to improve the quality of legal services by the Bar membership by hosting numerous Continuous Legal Education workshops and seminars;

WHEREAS, as the President of the Guam Bar Association, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. worked to educate the youth of Guam on the administration of justice and the legal system by strongly supporting the annual high school mock trial competition;

WHEREAS, as the President of the Guam Bar Association, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. worked to improve the relationship among Bar members by hosting many successful and well-attended Guam Bar social events;

WHEREAS, as the President of the Guam Bar Association, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. served on numerous boards and committees related to the Judiciary including the Board of Law Examiners, Public Defender Service Corporation Board of Trustees and the Judicial Council of Guam and the District Court of Guam Criminal Justice Act Plan Standing Committee;

WHEREAS, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. was an outspoken advocate for indigent defense reform and payment of long overdue court-appointed attorneys fees;

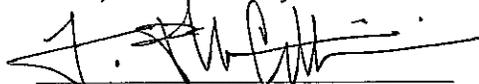
WHEREAS, Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. was an advocate for the reunification of the Judicial Branch and the Organic Act amendment which set forth the Supreme Court of Guam as the head of the Guams Judiciary;

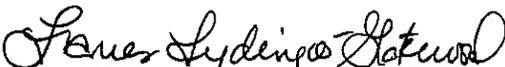
WHEREAS, the Judiciary recognizes that the efforts of Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. have contributed greatly toward the improvement of the administration of justice in our jurisdiction;

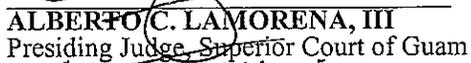
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Judicial Council hereby commends Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. for his selfless dedication to the improvement of the administration of justice as the President of the Guam Bar Association; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Judicial Council hereby thanks Joaquin C. Arriola, Jr. for his service to the Judiciary as a true officer of the court.

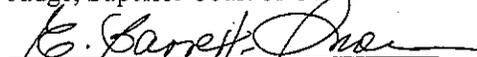
DULY ADOPTED this 20th day of December, 2004 at a duly noticed meeting of the Judicial Council of Guam.

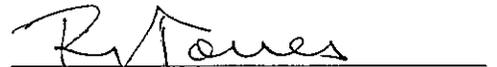

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Chief Justice of Guam

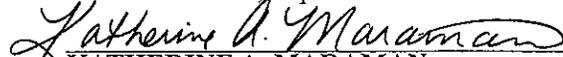

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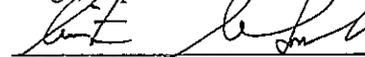

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