

Republic of the Philippines
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Senate

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RESOLUTION No. 32

RESOLUTION COMMENDING NONITO "THE
FILIPINO FLASH" DONAIRE JR. FOR
WINNING THE WBA BANTAMWEIGHT CROWN
AGAINST WLADIMIR SIDORENKO OF
UKRAINE

WHEREAS, Nonito "The Filipino Flash" Donaire Jr. has brought honor to the country as he showed prowess in his fight against Ukrainian pugilist Wladimir Sidorenko held last December 4, 2010, in Anaheim, California;

WHEREAS, cool and methodical, "The Filipino Flash" dominated the fight from the start, putting the Ukrainian down three times with overwhelming power shots;

WHEREAS, Donaire showed exemplary boxing skills and talent during his fight which resulted in a technical knockout decision on the fourth round of the fight, giving Sidorenko his first knockout loss in his career;

WHEREAS, Donaire, currently a two-division world champion and known for his ability to fight either southpaw or orthodox, is one of the promising Filipino athletes in the world of boxing, having a record of 25 wins, 17 by knockout, in his nine-and-a-half-year career in boxing;

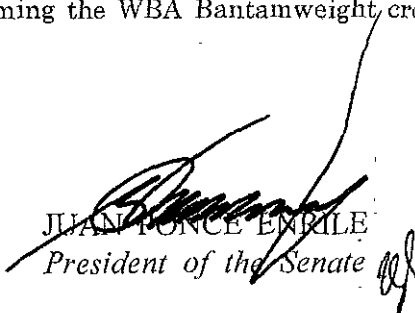

WHEREAS, he is currently rated by *The Ring Boxing Magazine* as the number five pound-for-pound boxer in the world;

WHEREAS, he holds the WBC Continental Americas Bantamweight Title and is the former WBA Super Flyweight Interim World Champion, IBF World Flyweight Champion and IBO World Flyweight Champion;


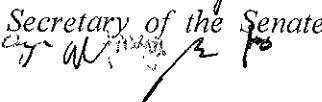
WHEREAS, Donaire's discipline, perseverance, dedication, hard work and sportsmanship should be recognized to set a good example and serve as an inspiration for the Filipino people: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, as it is hereby resolved, That the Senate of the Philippines commend Nonito "The Filipino Flash" Donaire Jr. for successfully claiming the WBA Bantamweight crown.

Adopted,


 JUAN PONCE ENRILE
 President of the Senate 

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on
December 15, 2010.


EMMA LIRIO-REYES
Secretary of the Senate


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