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RESOLUTION No. 25

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING BEA ROSE SANTIAGO FOR HONORING THE PHILIPPINES WITH THE PRESTIGIOUS MISS INTERNATIONAL 2013 TITLE IN TOKYO, JAPAN, ON 17 DECEMBER 2013

WHEREAS, 23-year old Binibining Pilipinas-International 2013 titleholder Bea Rose Santiago won the 53rd Miss International crown on 17 December 2013, at Shinagawa Prince Hotel Hall in Tokyo, Japan, outshining 66 other candidates from all over the world;

WHEREAS, Bea Rose Santiago cinched the victory with a sincere and insightful response to the final question: "The whole world saw how my country suffered. One by one, other countries helped. You have opened my heart and eyes to what we can do to help each other. I will work to sustain the spirit of sympathy and spirit of hope. As long as we work together, there is hope.";

WHEREAS, Bea Rose Santiago deserves a commendation for being a standard of hope in these times of great difficulty and struggle in the country, particularly in the Visayas region;

WHEREAS, by being crowned this year's Miss International, Bea Rose Santiago gave Filipinos unparalleled pride and showed the world the grace and excellence of Filipino beauty;

WHEREAS, the honor earned by our Filipino beauty queen deserves to be commended: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, as it is hereby resolved, That the Senate of the Philippines congratulate and commend Bea Rose Santiago for honoring the Philippines with the prestigious Miss International 2013 title in Tokyo, Japan on 17 December 2013.

Adopted,

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FRANKLIN M. DRILON President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 22, 2014.

OSCAR G. Secretary the Senate

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