

Republic of the Philippines
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RESOLUTION NO. 27

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING
THE POWERLIFTING ASSOCIATION OF THE
PHILIPPINES FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING
PERFORMANCE IN THE 2022 SOUTHEAST
ASIAN CUP

WHEREAS, Article XIV, Section 19 of the Constitution states that "the State shall promote physical education and encourage sports programs, league competitions, and amateur sports, including training for international competitions, to foster self-discipline, teamwork, and excellence for the development of a healthy and alert citizenry";

WHEREAS, it is in recognition of this policy that the Senate recognizes and honors the significant achievements of

our countrymen in the field of sports to encourage and incentivize excellence among our athletes;

WHEREAS, the Senate has recognized and given commendation to outstanding Filipino athletes for bringing pride and honor to the country by representing and winning in international sports events;

WHEREAS, the Powerlifting Association of the Philippines represented our nation in the 2022 Southeast Asian Cup held in Johor Baru, Malaysia, competing in both Men's and Women's divisions, dominating the competition;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Men's Team won a total of 49 medals, completely dominating their competition, winning the Philippines 23 gold medals, 13 silver medals and 13 bronze medals and setting 3 new Asian records;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Women's Team also gave a similar performance, finishing strong and bagging a total of 29 medals, 21 of which are gold, 4 are silver and 4 are bronze, while also setting 7 new Asian records;

WHEREAS, the Philippine team from the Powerlifting Association of the Philippines won the following:

Men's Open: 18 Medals – 6 Gold, 7 Silver and 5 Bronze

1. Rafael Renzo Cahilig – 120KG Open – 4 Gold
2. Nestor Redulla Jr. – 93KG Open – 1 Gold, 2 Silver
3. Francis Oliver Retardo – 66KG Open – 1 Silver,
3 Bronze
4. Emilio Lorenzo Florendo – 105KG Open – 1 Gold,
2 Silver

Men's Junior: 27 Medals – 13 Gold, 6 Silver and 8 Bronze

1. James Emmanuel Sy – 74KG Junior – 3 Gold,
1 Bronze
2. Johan Chan – 83KG Junior – 1 Gold, 2 Bronze
3. Ross Emanuel Teodosio – 120KG Junior – 4 Gold

4. Maphi Daniel Polvora – 66KG Junior – 1 Gold,
1 Silver, 2 Bronze
5. Jalen Cytienne Cruz – 105 KG Junior – 1 Silver,
3 Bronze
6. Lance Gabriel Laquian – 59KG Junior – 4 Gold
7. Rhodison Jay Esmundo – 105KG Junior – 3 Silver,
1 Bronze

Men's Master: 4 Medals – All Gold

1. Merwin Torres – 74KG Master – 4 Gold

Women's Open: 21 Medals – 14 Gold, 3 Silver and 4 Bronze

1. Joyce Gail Reboton – 76KG Open – 4 Gold
2. Ma. Angelica Savillo – 57KG Open – 3 Gold,
1 Silver
3. Jeremy Reign Bautista – 57KG Open – 2 Bronze
4. Christine Erine Alejandro – 63KG Open – 4 Gold
5. Charlene Raye Tugade – 84KG Open – 1 Silver,
2 Bronze
6. April Iris Williams – 84KG Open – 1 Bronze
7. Rikki Dianne Saul – 69KG Open – 3 Gold, 1 Silver

Women's Junior: 8 Medals – 7 Gold and 1 Silver

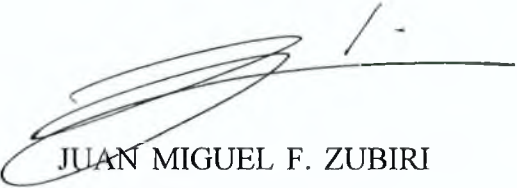
1. Jeremy Reign Bautista – 57KG Junior – 3 Gold,
1 Silver
2. Bea Piedad – 84+KG Junior – 4 Gold

WHEREAS, the Philippine Team bagged a total of 78 medals in the cup, and to top off their dominant run, they also set a total of 10 New Asian Records, both in the Men's and Women's Division, in different categories;

WHEREAS, the exemplary performance of Team Philippines in the 2022 Southeast Asian Cup deserves the highest praise, recognition and commendation for bringing pride and honor to our country through the sport of powerlifting: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, To congratulate and commend the Powerlifting Association of the Philippines for their outstanding performance in the 2022 Southeast Asian Cup.

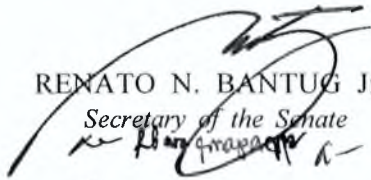
Adopted,



JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI

President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on November 28, 2022.



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Secretary of the Senate

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