## Republic of the Philippines Congress of the Philippines

Senate

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## RESOLUTION No. 84

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE PENTECOSTAL MISSIONARY CHURCH OF CHRIST (4<sup>TH</sup> WATCH) ON THE OCCASION OF ITS 50<sup>TH</sup> CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

WHEREAS, the Pentecostal Missionary Church of Christ (4<sup>th</sup> Watch), Inc. is a Christian denomination founded by Chief Executive Minister Arsenio T. Ferriol in the Philippines and later on recognized under Philippine laws in August 1973;

WHEREAS, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch has launched national and global evangelistic efforts establishing churches in different parts of the country and of the world;

WHEREAS, during the pandemic and crises severely affecting the country and the world, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch remained a source of hope and salvation. By reaching over eight million people across the globe through the broadcasting of the Word of God via uplifting radio and television programs, as well as through intercessory prayers and humanitarian aid, the church has not only facilitated the baptism of over 100,000 individuals but also resolutely continues its commitment to evangelistic and humanitarian work to this day;

WHEREAS, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch actively engages in social work through initiatives in medical assistance, disaster rescue, and educational outreach, and has even established a national network of schools dedicated to quality Christian education. Moreover, in a recent collaboration with the Philippine Red Cross on 8 July 2023, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch conducted a nationwide bloodletting campaign across thirty (30) different locations in the country, successfully collecting a total of 4,023 bags of blood;

WHEREAS, as a result of its worldwide endeavors, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch now has presence in almost every major city and province in the Philippines and in more than seventy (70) countries in various continents of the world;

WHEREAS, the Senate of the Philippines extends its respect and deep admiration to Apostle Arsenio T. Ferriol, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch leader and founder, for guiding the church into its golden years by upholding and preserving not only the teachings of Jesus Christ but also the traditions of the apostles and those of the first-century Christian church, a commitment that has resulted in responsible citizenry in every place where the church is established;

WHEREAS, the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch will be marking its Fiftieth (50<sup>th</sup>) Anniversary on 27 August 2023, an occasion expected to be attended by delegates from all over the country and abroad;

WHEREAS, the entire Senate of the Philippines stands in solidarity with the PMCC 4<sup>th</sup> Watch in its celebration and jubilation: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, To congratulate the Pentecostal Missionary Church of Christ (4<sup>th</sup> Watch) under the leadership of its Chief Executive Minister and the Goodman of the House, Apostle Arsenio T. Ferriol, on the occasion of its 50<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary.

Resolved, further, That copies of this resolution be furnished to the Executive Minister of the Pentecostal Missionary Church of Christ (4<sup>th</sup> Watch), Inc. in its central office in Marikina City.

Adopted,

JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI

President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on August 23, 2023.

BENATO N. BANTUG Jr.

Secretary of the Senate

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