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RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE JESUS IS LORD CHURCH WORLDWIDE FOR 45 REMARKABLE YEARS OF SUCCESSFUL TRANSFORMATIONAL MINISTRY IN LUZON, VISAYAS, MINDANAO, AND IN MORE THAN 70 NATIONS WORLDWIDE

WHEREAS, the Jesus Is Lord Church Worldwide (JIL Worldwide), one of the biggest independent Christian churches globally, was founded in 1978 as a small Bible study fellowship of 15 students under the leadership of then university instructor Eduardo "Bro. Eddie" C. Villanueva and his late wife Dr. Adoracion "Sis Dory" J. Villanueva; WHEREAS, 45 years after, JIL Worldwide has established a growing presence spanning all 82 provinces in the Philippines and 70 countries worldwide, spreading Jesus Christ's Gospel of love and salvation in Asia, Europe, Africa, North America, South America, and Oceania;

WHEREAS, in addition to spiritual care, JIL Worldwide's pastors, leaders, and volunteers have been very active in responding to various crises by participating in relief efforts and disaster response-related activities through the iCare Compassion Ministries, which also implement poverty-alleviation programs for the underprivileged;

WHEREAS, through the years, the JIL Worldwide has been an important partner of Philippine embassies and consulates in various parts of the world in connecting overseas Filipino workers (OFWs) and other Filipino migrants of faith-based communities, counseling services, labor-related assistance, and migration-related resources;

WHEREAS, JIL Worldwide is a catalyst of spiritual revival in the nation by firmly standing in its unique position as a credible voice of divine guidance that speaks Biblical counsel to the Filipino people's conscience in matters affecting the nation's morality, spirituality, and family values;

WHEREAS, on the occasion of its 45th founding anniversary, JIL Worldwide deserves special recognition from the Filipino people for its holistic ministry of salvation, healing, deliverance, and values formation and national transformation through the full Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, To congratulate and commend the Jesus Is Lord Church Worldwide, its leaders, and its members on the occasion of its 45th founding anniversary celebration on October 14, 2023, and for their continuous contribution to the country's moral recovery, and their vibrant work in community development and nation building.

Adopted,

AN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on September 26, 2023.

RENATO N. BANTI G Jr. Secretary of the Senate

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