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## RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO BOXER BRIAN "THE HAWAIIAN PUNCH" VILORIA FOR WINNING THE IBF LIGHT FLYWEIGHT CHAMPION TITLE AFTER DEFEATING MEXICAN BOXER ULISES SOLIS AT THE ARANETA COLISEUM, QUEZON CITY, PHILIPPINES LAST 19 APRIL 2009.

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Senate has in several occasions paid tribute to outstanding Filipino athletes for their astonishing feat of bringing home pride and glory to the country by becoming champions in international sporting competitions;

WHEREAS, 28-year old Filipino boxer Brian "The Hawaiian Punch" Viloria made the country proud when he emerged victorious in his match against Mexican boxer Ulises Solis winning the IBF Light Flyweight Champion title last 19 April 2009;

WHEREAS, by winning this fight, Brian Viloria has made our country proud and has shown to the world the spirit of Filipino competitiveness and excellence;

**WHEREAS**, this outstanding performance by our Filipino boxer deserves to be commended for the honor and recognition he has brought to our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend Filipino boxer Brian "The Hawaiian Punch" Viloria for winning the IBF Light Flyweight Champion title after defeating Mexican boxer Ulises Solis at the Araneta Coliseum, Quezon City, Philippines last 19 April 2009.

Adopted,

MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID

Senator