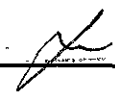


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RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO BOWLING LEGEND RAFAEL "PAENG" NEPOMUCENO FOR BEING HONORED THE 2009 WORLD BOWLING WRITERS MORT LUBY JR. DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD DURING THE WORLD TENPIN MASTERS AT BARNSELY, ENGLAND LAST 17-19 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, 51-year old 3-time WBW World Bowler of the Year recipient and international bowling legend Rafael "Paeng" Nepomuceno made the country proud when he was honored with the 2009 World Bowling Writers Mort Luby Jr. Distinguished Service Award last 17-19 April 2009;

WHEREAS, the World Bowling Writers is an international association of tenpin bowling journalists, PR practitioners, industry leaders and bowling federation officials;

WHEREAS, Paeng Nepomuceno was the first player elected to the World Bowling Writers Hall of Fame in 1993, was honored for the third time by the Guinness World Records for his 118 international titles, the most career titles worldwide, and has won the QubicaAMF Bowling World Cup record four times ;

WHEREAS, by receiving this distinction, Paeng Nepomuceno has made our country proud and has shown to the world the spirit of Filipino excellence;

WHEREAS, this outstanding performance by our Filipino bowler 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 bowling legend Rafael "Paeng" Nepomuceno for being honored the 2009 World Bowling Writers Mort Luby Jr. Distinguished Service Award during the World Tenpin Masters at Barnsley, England last 17-19 April 2009.

Adopted,


MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID
Senator