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**RESOLUTION**  
**COMMENDING RAMIL "BEBENG" GALLEGO FOR WINNING THE 2009**  
**JAPAN OPEN 9-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP HELD IN TOKYO**

**WHEREAS**, veteran Ramil "Bebeng" Gallego once again proved his mastery by winning the 2009 Japan Open Championship in Tokyo beating Chinese-Taipei's Ro Li Wong in the finals;

**WHEREAS**, ranked No. 40 by the World Pool Association, Gallego who is considered the pride of Bacolod City, became the fifth Filipino in the last five years to rule the prestigious event participated in by more than 400 cue artists from all over the world;

**WHEREAS**, the 33 year old Gallego has won some big tournaments in Japan in the past including the 2004 Tokyo 9-Ball Open, the 2001 Tokyo Brunswick Open and the 1998 Tokai Open aside from finishing on top in many smaller tournaments;

**WHEREAS**, Gallego, a member of the Billiards Managers and Players Association of the Philippines, last won a title in July 2008 at the Manny Villar Cup Bulacan leg;

**WHEREAS**, Gallego has done the nation proud and have shown the world the Filipinos' capacity to excel;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES**, to commend Ramil "Bebeng" Gallego for winning the 2009 Japan Open 9-Ball Championship held in Tokyo and for contributing to the pride and honor of the global Filipino.

Adopted.



**MANNY VILLAR**  
Senator