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## RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO JAVELIN THROWER STEPHANIE CIMATO FOR WINNING THE SILVER MEDAL IN THE GIRLS' JAVELIN THROW AT THE 1<sup>ST</sup> ASIAN YOUTH GAMES HELD IN SINGAPORE FROM 29 JUNE TO 7 JULY 2009.

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

**WHEREAS,** 15-year old Filipino javelin thrower Stephanie Cimato made the country proud when she bagged a silver medal in the girls' javelin throw after registering her best pitch at 36.21 meters at the 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Youth Games in Bishan Stadium, Singapore on 3 July 2009;

WHEREAS, the 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Youth Games is known as the qualifier for the Asian countries to the 2010 Summer Youth Olympics and allows youths to use the chance to benchmark their performances against youth teams from Asian nations.

**WHEREAS,** by winning in this international athletic competition, Stephanie Cimato 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 javelin thrower deserves to be commended for the honor and recognition she has brought to our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend Filipino javelin thrower Stephanie Cimato for winning the silver medal in the girls' javelin throw at the 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Youth Games held in Singapore from 29 June to 7 July 2009.

Adopted,

MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID

Senator