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## SENATE

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## RESOLUTION

## CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO MOVIE ACTRESS AND BATANGAS GOVERNOR VILMA SANTOS-RECTO FOR WINNING THE BEST ACTRESS AWARD IN THE 13<sup>TH</sup> DHAKA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL ON 18 JANUARY 2014 AT THE NATIONAL MUSEUM AUDITORIUM IN DHAKA, BANGLADESH

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on several occasions, paid tribute to talented Filipinos for their outstanding feats that have brought home pride and glory to the country;

WHEREAS, Filipino screen icon Vilma Santos-Recto made the country proud when she won the Best Actress award at the 13<sup>th</sup> Dhaka International Film Festival on 18 January 2014 for her role in the independent film *Ekstra*, besting 21 other nominees;

WHEREAS, the Dhaka International Film Festival is the premier film festival in Bangladesh and a venue for young and aspiring filmmakers in Bangladesh and South East Asia;

WHEREAS, Vilma Santos-Recto, fondly referred to by Filipinos the world over as the "Star for all Seasons," has repeatedly proven her acting provess as evidenced by her long list of film and television awards, vested her by national and international award-giving bodies;

WHEREAS, by winning this international acting award, Filipino film icon Vilma Santos-Recto has again brought glory to the country and has shown the world the brilliance of Filipino talent;

WHEREAS, this achievement by the Filipino actress deserves to be commended;

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,* as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend Filipino movie actress and Batangas governor Vilma Santos-Recto for winning the best actress award in the 13<sup>th</sup> Dhaka International Film Festival on 18 January 2014 at the National Museum Auditorium in Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Adopted,

Senator