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Introduced by Senator Maria Lourdes Nancy S. Binay

**RESOLUTION
RECOMMENDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INTEGRATE
CYBERETHICS INTO THE BASIC EDUCATION CURRICULUM WITH THE
INTENTION OF EDUCATING THE FILIPINO YOUTH THE PROPER USE OF
SOCIAL MEDIA**

WHEREAS, the advancement in information and communication technology has made social media a considerable part of our lives particularly – the youth;

WHEREAS, the lack of education and supervision of the youth on the proper use of social media coupled with the fact that cyberbullying is a common occurrence in social media lead the youth to the mistaken view that cyberbullying is acceptable;

WHEREAS, the aggravating effects of cyberbullying are alarming, daunting and detrimental to the development of youth;

WHEREAS, Article XIV, Section 2 of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall establish, maintain, and support a complete, adequate, and integrated system of education relevant to the needs of the people and society;

WHEREAS, the integration of cyberethics to the curriculum of basic education must be a priority of the Department of Education in response to the changing needs of Filipino youth brought about by advancements in technology particularly social media;

WHEREAS, House Resolution No. 634 filed by KABATAAN Party List Representative Terry L. Ridon and his ardent efforts to advance the need for cyberethics education for the youth is an inspiration and merits the support of the Senate;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, as it is hereby resolved to recommend to the Department of Education to integrate cyberethics into the basic education curriculum with the intention of educating the Filipino youth the proper use of social media.

Adopted,



MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
Senator