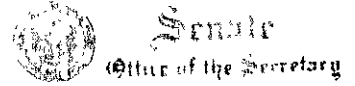


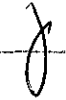
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RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING OPERATIC SINGER GERPHIL FLORES, FUNKY DANCE GROUP JUNIOR NEW SYSTEM, AND SINGER GWYNETH DORADO FOR BRINGING PRIDE TO THE COUNTRY AFTER EMERGING VICTORIOUS AS FINALISTS IN THE FIRST SEASON OF THE REALITY SHOW ASIA'S GOT TALENT ON 14 MAY 2015 AT THE MARINA BAY SANDS IN SINGAPORE

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on several occasions, paid tribute to outstanding Filipinos for their astonishing feats which have brought home pride and honor to the country, such as their winning awards in international events and competitions;

WHEREAS, operatic singer Gerphil Flores, funky dance group Junior New System, and singer Gwyneth Dorado made the country proud as they delivered their best performances for the first Asia's Got Talent Grand Finals on 14 May 2015 at the Marina Bay Sands in Singapore;

WHEREAS, the trio, together with the first Asia's Got Talent champion El Gamma Penumbra, make up the Philippine acts with our country being the lone nation with multiple finalists in the said talent search;

WHEREAS, the second Filipino act to get the coveted Golden Buzzer and University of the Philippines-College of Music student Gerphil Flores placed third in said talent search after giving a very powerful rendition of "The Impossible Dream" from the musical *Man of La Mancha*;

WHEREAS, National Commission for Culture and the Arts Sayaw Pinoy champion for 2012 and 2013, Junior New System, impressed the judges and viewers with their dance moves to a mash-up song;

WHEREAS, 10-year-old songstress, all-around musical performer and student, Gwyneth Dorado performed a very elegant and impressive version of the hit "Titanium";

WHEREAS, by emerging victorious with their remarkable and very impressive performances as finalists to Asia's Got Talent, Gerphil Flores, Junior New System, and Gwyneth Dorado have shown the world the excellence of Filipino talent and this achievement deserve to be congratulated and commended for the honor and pride they have brought our country;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend operatic singer Gerphil Flores, funky dance group Junior New System, and singer Gwyneth Dorado for bringing pride to the country after emerging victorious as finalists in the first season of the reality show Asia's Got Talent on 14 May 2015 at the Marina Bay Sands in Singapore.

Adopted,



MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID