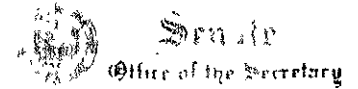
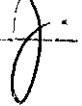


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RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE GILAS PILIPINAS
BASKETBALL TEAM FOR WINNING SILVER IN THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED
2015 FIBA ASIA CHAMPIONSHIP ON OCTOBER 3, 2015 AT THE CHANGSHA
SOCIAL WORK COLLEGE GYMNASIUM, CHANGSHA, HUNAN, CHINA

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on several occasions, paid tribute to outstanding Filipino athletes for their outstanding feats that brought home pride and glory to the country, such as winning in international sporting competitions;

WHEREAS, the Gilas Pilipinas Basketball Team clinched second place in the 2015 Fiba Asia Championship on October 3, 2015 at the Changsha Social Work College Gymnasium, Changsha, Hunan, China;

WHEREAS, despite missing the tourney's bigger prize of outright qualification to the 2016 Summer Olympics, the gallant showing of the national team boosted their chances in the scheduled FIBA Olympic Qualifying tournament;

WHEREAS, this triumph by the Gilas Pilipinas shows that the Philippines is home to great basketball players, not only in Asia but the world as well;

WHEREAS, the remarkable performance by our national basketball team deserves to be commended as this achievement is a source of pride and honor for the country;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, that the Senate of the Philippines congratulate and commend the Gilas Pilipinas Basketball Team for winning silver in the recently concluded 2015 Fiba Asia Championship on October 3, 2015 at the Changsha Social Work College Gymnasium, Changsha, Hunan, China.

Adopted,


MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID