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## Introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes IV

## RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING LIVIANA G. NAVARRO FOR BEING A FIVE-TIME GOLD MEDALIST AND FOR BAGGING FIVE (5) PLAQUES AND FOUR (4) OTHER MEDALS IN THE 19<sup>th</sup> WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP OF PERFORMING ARTS (WCOPA) HELD LAST JULY 13-17, 2015 AT LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, USA

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

WHEREAS, the World Championship of Performing Arts (WCOPA) is considered the "Olympics of Performing Arts" and is participated by over fifty (50) countries around the world;

WHEREAS, the successful stint of the Philippine contingent to the 19<sup>th</sup> WCOPA brought home a total of 136 medals;

WHEREAS, nine (9) of those medals were won by the Philippines' youngest delegate – the seven-year old, third-grader Liviana G. Navarro;

WHEREAS, Liviana Navarro brought home five (5) gold medals and five (5) plaques, winning in eight (8) different categories during the event.

WHEREAS, in the Vocals competition, she bagged the top prizes in the Broadway, Pop, Rhythm and Blues, Variety and Open categories;

WHEREAS, she also scored silver and bronze medals from modelling in formal and casual wears, respectively, and another bronze for the group production number;

WHEREAS, Liviana Navarro is also the youngest recipient of most-coveted WCOPA Industry Award for an Artist;

WHEREAS, even in a tender age, Liviana Navarro has already shown to the world the unrelenting spirit of Filipino competitiveness and excellence in the field of performing arts;

WHEREAS, the outstanding performance by this young Filipino artist deserves to be recognized and commended for the honor, pride and recognition she has brought to our country.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Philippine Senate to commend and congratulate Liviana G. Navarro for being a five-time gold medalist and for bagging five (5) plaques and four (4) other medals in the 19<sup>th</sup> World Championship of Performing Arts (WCOPA) held last July 13-17, 2015 at Long Beach, California, USA.

Adopted,

NTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV