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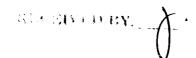


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## Introduced by Senator SONNY ANGARA

## RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING ACTRESS JACLYN JOSE FOR WINNING THE BEST ACTRESS AWARD IN THE 69<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CANNES FILM FESTIVAL FOR HER ROLE IN THE FILM MA' ROSA HELD FROM 11<sup>th</sup> TO 21<sup>st</sup> OF MAY 2016 IN CANNES, FRANCE

WHEREAS, The Cannes Film Festival is founded with the foremost objective of promoting films that do not only spur the global film industry but also to further advance the development of cinema and to acclaim movies at an international level;

WHEREAS, the 2016 Cannes Film Festival is the 69<sup>th</sup> edition of the prestigious international film festival that featured over 85 films for the Official Selection of the Festival from filmmaking countries primarily to preserve passion for cinema, to discover new talents, and to gather professionals in inspiring the creation and distribution of films;

WHEREAS, Filipino actress Mary Jane Sta. Ana Guck or popularly known as Jaclyn Jose bagged the Best Actress Award in the 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Cannes Film Festival for her in role in the Filipino drama film *Ma' Rosa*, directed by Brillante Mendoza who won the 2009 Cannes Award for Best Director;

WHEREAS, 2016 Cannes Best Actress Jaclyn Jose, the first Filipino and Southeast Asian to accomplish such remarkable feat, bested distinguished film industry personalities such as Charlize Theron, Marion Cotillard, Kristen Stewart, Isabelle Hupper, Elle Fanning and Sonia Braga;

WHEREAS, the exceptional Filipino actress has already garnered numerous film recognition including the Gawad Urian Award for Best Actress, the Gawad Urian Award for Best Supporting Actress, Filipino Academy of Movie Arts and Sciences (FAMAS) Award for Best Supporting Actress, and the Film Academy of the Philippines Luna Award for Best Supporting Actress;

WHEREAS, Jaclyn Jose further demonstrated and proved the world-class talent and creativity of Filipinos, contributing to the development of Philippine cinema, and adding to the roster of countless world-renowned Filipino actors, directors, performers and other film professionals;

WHEREAS, the accomplishment of Jaclyn Jose has once again displayed the brilliance and excellence of Filipinos despite insurmountable odds that brings immense pride and honor to the country;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Senate of the Philippines, commend Jaclyn Jose for her phenomenal achievement in winning the Best Actress award in the 2016 Cannes Film Festival that exhibits how Filipinos can compete at an

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international level through its world-class talent.