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Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto

RESOLUTION

COMMENDING THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND MAJORITY LEADER, THE HONORABLE ALAN PETER COMPAÑERO S. CAYETANO, FOR HIS DEDICATED AND OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP IN STEERING THE DELIBERATIONS OF THE SENATE DURING THE SIXTEENTH CONGRESS

WHEREAS, Senator Alan Peter Compañero S. Cayetano has performed his duties as Majority Leader with fairness, exhibiting at all times his competence, impartiality and keen grasp of parliamentary rules and procedures;

WHEREAS, as the Chamber's hardworking and efficient guide during plenary sessions, he successfully promoted a harmonious relationship among the Members of the Senate, thereby facilitating the smooth and orderly discussions of issues on the floor;

WHEREAS, to provide free education for Filipinos especially those needed to acquire higher learning, he authored and was instrumental in the enactment into law of the "Iskolar ng Bayan Act" which mandates all state universities and colleges (SUCs) to provide automatic admission and scholarship grants to the top 10 public high school graduating students of their respective classes;

WHEREAS, a champion of the cause of the disadvantaged and vulnerable children and victims of natural calamities and disasters and an ardent advocate of transparency, accountability and good governance, he filed legislative measures which are aimed at promoting the welfare of orphaned, abandoned, neglected or voluntarily committed children and providing trust fund for them;

WHEREAS, he also introduced bills which provide for the establishment of education fund for children with special needs, the creation of the emergency response department and the passage of Freedom of Information law;

WHEREAS, recognizing the importance of the teaching profession and the role of teachers as the single most influential factor behind a student's performance, he introduced the proposed bill granting public school teachers P9,000 additional compensation and P1,000 medical allowance;

WHEREAS, with his remarkable leadership and brilliant contributions during the deliberation of the Senate, the youthful Senator successfully guided the Members in making the Third Regular Session of the Sixteenth Congress fruitful with the passage of quality and relevant legislations for the benefit of various sectors of society: *Now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, To commend, as it hereby commends, the Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Majority Leader, the Honorable Alan Peter Compañero S. Cayetano, for proficiently leading and steering the Senate proceedings during the Sixteenth Congress.

Adopted,

RAIPH G. RECTO
Senator