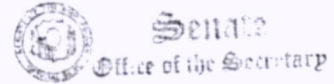


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RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENATOR MANNY "PACMAN" PACQUIAO FOR WINNING THE WBA WORLD WELTERWEIGHT TITLE FIGHT AGAINST WORLD CHAMPION KEITH THURMAN

WHEREAS, the first and only eight-division world champion, Senator Manny "Pacman" Pacquiao, entered the boxing arena once again with the Philippine flag proudly raised in a boxing bout against undefeated boxing world champion Keith "One Time" Thurman at the MGM Grand Garden Arena in Las Vegas, Nevada, U.S.A. on 20 July 2019;

WHEREAS, the *Pambansang Kamao*, as Senator Pacquiao is famously referred to, wowed and mesmerized the more than seventeen thousand (17,000) crowd in the Arena when he displayed once more his relentless speed, powerful punches and impressive boxing tactics;

WHEREAS, at the end of the 12-round bout, with a scorecard 115-112, 113-114, 115-112, the *Pambansang Kamao* captured and seized the WBA title from Thurman in an awe-inspiring and thrilling split decision;


WHEREAS, by winning the WBA World Welterweight Title against Thurman, Senator Pacquiao became the oldest welterweight champion in boxing history;

WHEREAS, Senator Pacquiao's momentous victory despite his age and the odds being against him has inspired the nation and strengthened our resolved that we can rise above and fight against any adversities through hard work, dedication and determination;

WHEREAS, in light of this historic and inspiring moment for our country, the victory of Senator Pacquiao is truly commendable and deserves our highest consideration and utmost recognition:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, as it is hereby resolved, to congratulate and commend Senator Manny "Pacman" Pacquiao for winning the WBA World Welterweight Title fight against world champion Keith Thurman.

Adopted,


RAMON BONG REVILLA, JR.