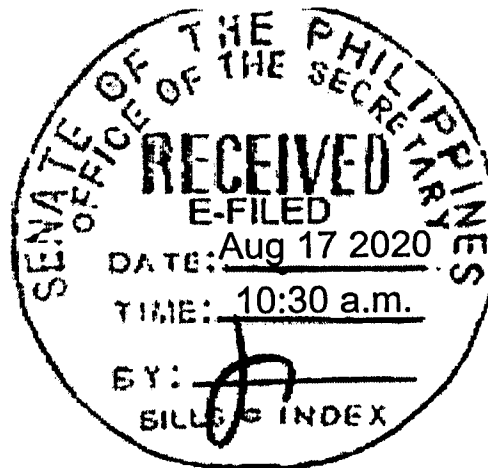


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P. S. RES. NO 498



Introduced by **SENATOR JOEL VILLANUEVA**

**RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SYMPATHY AND
SINCERE CONDOLENCES OF THE SENATE ON THE DEATH OF
FORMER SENATOR AND CITY OF MANILA MAYOR ALFREDO
"FRED" S. LIM**

WHEREAS, on the 8th of August 2020, the country expressed its mourning on the demise of former Senator Alfredo "Fred" S. Lim, an esteemed member of the Philippine Senate who served the institution during the 13th Congress, from 2004-2007;

WHEREAS, he served as the City of Manila Mayor for 12 years, from 1992 to 1998, and again from 2007 to 2013. During his incumbency, he waged a battle against illegal drugs, prostitution and pornography. His reputation and tough anti-crime stance earned him the moniker "Dirty Harry" and left a legacy of law and order in the nation's capital;

WHEREAS, Mayor Lim founded the City College of Manila in 1995 that would eventually become the Universidad de Manila (UDM). This city government funded university pioneered in free tertiary education for the underprivileged but deserving young people to finish their degree and obtain gainful employment;

WHEREAS, from 1998 to 2000 he was Secretary of the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) and improved the operational capability of the Philippine National Police;

WHEREAS, he joined the police force in 1951 and served as superintendent of the Philippine National Police Academy (1984-85) and director of the National Bureau of Investigation (NBI) from 1989-1992;


WHEREAS, he became the most heavily decorated police officer in Manila's history – he garnered a notable collection of some 40 medals and 400 commendations for his outstanding achievement as a law enforcement officer and a public servant;

WHEREAS, among the various awards that he received include the following: Outstanding Achievement Medal for professional competence as PNPA Superintendent in 1985, Archdiocesan Plaque of Recognition for Leadership in 1988, First Ten Outstanding Police of the Philippines (TOPP) Hall of Fame awardee of the Philippines in 1990, Most Outstanding Law Enforcer Award from the Consumers Union of the Philippines in 1990, President Osmena Most Outstanding Public Servant Award in 1992, Dr. Jose P. Rizal Immortal Award from the Knights of Rizal in 1994, Gintong Ama Award in 1994, Mayor of the First City in Asia from the Rotary Club in Koorungal, Wagga, Australia in 1994, Medal Merit from the International Association of Lion's Club in 1996, Chino Roces Award in 1997, and The Outstanding Filipino in 1997;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES, to express, as it hereby expresses, its profound sympathy and sincere condolences on the death of the former Senator and City of Manila Mayor Alfredo "Fred" S. Lim.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be given to the bereaved family of the late Senator and City of Manila Mayor Alfredo S. Lim.

Adopted,


SENATOR JOEL VILLANUEVA