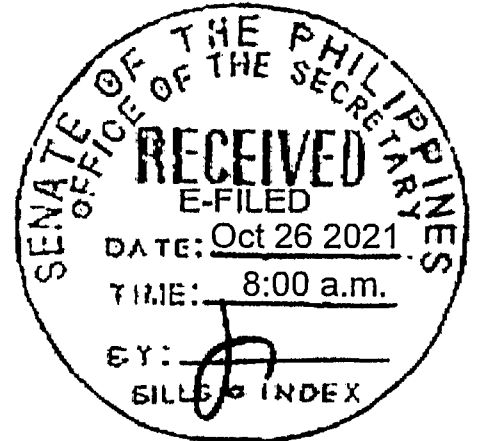


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**RESOLUTION**

**COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING DENISE SANTOS FOR WINNING THE  
OUTSTANDING MUSIC COMPOSITION CATEGORY AT THE 42ND ANNUAL  
NEWS AND DOCUMENTARY EMMY AWARDS**

***WHEREAS***, the Philippine Senate, has on numerous occasions, recognized and paid tribute to exemplary Filipinos for bringing pride and honor to the country by attaining international acclaim in the arts and entertainment industry;

***WHEREAS***, the Emmy Awards is regarded as one of the four major entertainment awards in the United States, the others being the Grammy (for music), the Oscars (for motion picture) and the Tony (for theater);

***WHEREAS***, one of the Emmy events or competitions is the News and Documentary Emmy Awards which is held in recognition of excellence in American national news and documentary programming;

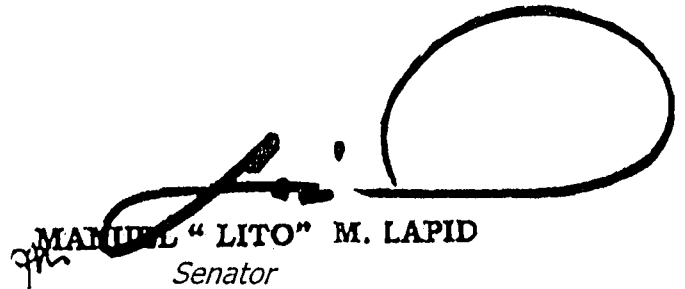
***WHEREAS***, at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual News and Documentary Emmy Awards, Filipina composer Denise Santos, along with her partner Adam Lukas, won the Outstanding Music Composition category for their work in the BBC program "Primates", a documentary which presents a detailed insight into the lives of primates in the wild;

**WHEREAS**, Santos, who graduated from Ateneo de Manila University with a Bachelor's Degree in Management, is an in-house composer for Hans Zimmer and for a partner company of Sony Music. She also studied music production at Berklee College of Music in Boston, Massachusetts and film scoring at the University of California Los Angeles. Apart from "Primates," Santos's most recent works include "Making the Cut" (Amazon Prime), "Apollo: The Forgotten Films" (Discovery), and "Surviving Jeffrey Epstein" (Lifetime);

**WHEREAS**, Denise Santos deserves praise and commendation for bringing pride and honor to the country and for serving as an inspiration to future generations of Filipino artists;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, for the Senate of the Philippines to express its commendation and congratulations to Denise Santos for winning the Outstanding Music Composition category at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual News and Documentary Emmy Awards.

*Adopted,*



**MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID**  
*Senator*