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Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE BAGSIK TEAM OF THE MUAYTHAI ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES FOR BAGGING EIGHT GOLD, SIX SILVER, AND ONE BRONZE MEDALS IN THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF MUAYTHAI ASSOCIATIONS (IFMA) WORLD YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD IN KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA, ON AUGUST 29, 2022

WHEREAS, Art. XIV, Section 19 of the 1987 Philippine Constitution states that "the State shall promote physical education and encourage sports programs, league competitions, and amateur sports, including training for international competitions, to foster self-discipline, teamwork, and excellence for the development of a healthy and alert citizenry;"

WHEREAS, it is in furtherance of this policy that we recognize significant achievements in the field of sports to encourage and incentivize excellence among our athletes;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on numerous occasions, recognized and given commendation to outstanding Filipino athletes for bringing pride and honor to the country by winning in international sports events;

WHEREAS, Team Bagsik of the Muaythai Association of the Philippines sent eight (8) athletes to the IFMA World Youth World Championship, which was joined by over 80 countries;

WHEREAS, these athletes performed remarkably during the competition and gathered eight (8) gold, six (6) silver, and one (1) bronze medals;

WHEREAS, the 8 gold medals were garnered by the following:

Name	Event
Jasmine Dagame	38kg
Jan Brix Ramiscal	Waikru
Keith Margaret Balinas	Waikru
Alyssa Kylie Mallari	Waikru
Edel Ali Ngina	Waikru
Mara Luz Dagame	Waikru
Balinas and Ramiscal	Mae Mai Muaythai
Clark Fatitt and Edel Ali Ngina	Mae Mai Muaythai

WHEREAS, the exemplary performance of the Bagsik Team of the Muaythai Association of the Philippines has brought pride, glory, and inspiration to the Filipino people, has proved that Filipinos are world-class athletes, and has shown to the world the unrelenting spirit of Filipino sports excellence, for which each one of the members of the team deserves to be recognized, honored, and commended;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, that Senate of the Philippines expresses its congratulations and commendations to the Bagsik Team of the Muaythai Association of the Philippines for bagging eight (8) gold, six (6) silver, and one (1) bronze medals in the International Federation of Muaythai Associations (IFMA) World Youth Championships held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on August 29, 2022.

Adopted,

MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID SENATOR