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RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND RECOGNIZING THE UNDER-22 NATIONAL BOXING TEAM FOR THEIR SUCCESSFUL RUN IN THE 2023 ASBC ASIAN U22 BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD LAST JANUARY 17 - 26, 2023 IN BANGKOK, THAILAND

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on several occasions, given recognition and commendation to outstanding Filipinos for their exceptional feats of bringing honor, pride and glory to the country by garnering prestigious awards;

WHEREAS, the 1987 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, The 2023 ASBC U22 Asian Boxing Championships was participated by 243 up-and-coming boxers from twenty one (21) countries, including Kazakhstan, Mongolia, Nepal, Kyrgyzstan, Thailand, Tajikistan, Kuwait, India, Cambodia, Indonesia, Vietnam, Iraq, Uzbekistan, the Philippines, Singapore, Laos, China, Saudi Arabia, Pakistan, Malaysia and Sri Lanka;

WHEREAS, the Under-22 National Boxing Team has won four medals - 1 gold, 1 silver and 2 bronze medals - at the recently concluded 2023 ASBC Asian U22 Boxing Championships held in Bangkok, Thailand;

WHEREAS, Aaron Jude Bado stunned World Championship bronze medalist Thanarat Saengphet of Thailand to capture the gold medal in the Men's Flyweight (51kg) division. It his first international competition;

WHEREAS, Flint Jara bagged the silver medal in the Men's Bantamweight (54 kg) Division;

WHEREAS, Mark Lester Durens and Jericho Acaylar brought home bronze medals in the Men's Minimumweight (48 kg) Division and Men's Featherweight (57kg) Division, respectively;

WHEREAS, the winning bouts of the young Filipino boxers in the 2023 ASBC Asian U22 Boxing Championships deserves commendation for bringing honor to our nation for their endurance, strength, and agility. Their win in the international boxing arena exemplifies the promising pool of future boxers in the country;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to congratulate and recognize the Under-22 National Boxing Team for their successful run in the 2023 ASBC Asian U22 Boxing Championships held last January 17 - 26, 2023 in Bangkok, Thailand.

Adopted,

RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.