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Introduced by SENATOR RAMON BONG REVILLA, JR.

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND RECOGNIZING THE PHILIPPINE TEAM IN THE ASIAN KICKBOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR THEIR MEDAL HAUL IN BANGKOK, THAILAND LAST DECEMBER 10-18, 2022

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 2022 Asian Kickboxing Championships is one of the most prestigious events in the sport of kickboxing. The event was participated by athletes from twenty-five (25) countries including South Korea, Philippines, Thailand, Cambodia, India, Kazakhstan, Indonesia, Kuwait, Iran, Pakistan, Vietnam, Bangladesh, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan and Nepal. It was recently held in Bangkok, Thailand last December 10-18, 2022;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Team has hauled a total of eleven (11) medals - four (4) gold, one (1) silver, and six (6) bronze medals;

WHEREAS, Jean Claude Saclag (63.5-Kilogram Low Kick Men's Category), Gina Iniong-Araos (60 Kilogram Women's Low Kick Category, Jovan Medallo (Musical Forms Weapons Men's Category), and Renalyn Dacquel (48-Kilogram Women's Low Kick Category) won gold medals;

WHEREAS, Karol Maguide (54-Kilogram Full Contact Category) won silver medal;

WHEREAS, Ralph Chein Yosorez (Musical Forms Men's Category), Kurt Lubrica (51-Kilogram Men's Category), Carlos Alvarez (69-Kilogram Point Fighting Men's

Category), Claudine Veloso (55-Kilogram Point Fighting Women's Category), Jomar Balangui (57-Kilogram Low Kick Category), and Gretel De Paz (56-Kilogram Female Category) have won bronze medals;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Team has brought pride to the country for their determination to excel in their sports. Their outstanding performance inspires their fellow athletes to continue honing their skills and talents in their respective disciplines;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to congratulate and recognize the Philippine Team in the Asian Kickboxing Championships for their Medal Haul in Bangkok, Thailand last December 10 - 18, 2022.

Adopted,

RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.