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RESOLUTION

COMMENDING FILIPINA CHEF JOHANNE SIY FOR BEING CHOSEN AS THE 2023 ASIA'S BEST FEMALE CHEF BY THE ASIA'S 50 BEST RESTAURANTS ACADEMY

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, Chef Johanne Siy, head chef of Singapore's Lolla, has been named Asia's Best Female Chef 2023 by the World's 50 Best Restaurants.

WHEREAS, Chef Johanne was voted as topnotch by the 300-plus members of Asia's 50 Best Restaurants Academy. The award is a celebration of "women in gastronomy who continue to push the boundaries of excellence with their skills, techniques, and craft."

WHEREAS, Chef Johanne, born in Pangasinan, combines "modern European fine-dining with Mediterranean influences, having cooked in farms and kitchens in Scandinavia". She has studied at the Culinary Institute of America and at Le Bernardin under renowned Chef Eric Ripert and Chef Daniel Boulud;

WHEREAS, Chef Johanne joins Chef Margarita Forés, the culinary master of Cibo, Lusso, and Grace Park, who was feted with the same prestigious award in 2016;

WHEREAS, Chef Johanne was also awarded the Female Chef of the Year by Singapore's World Gourmet Awards (WGA) in 2021 for her "excellent culinary skills" throughout her fine dining career. The World Gourmet Summit, an annual awards body that has recognized the best in Singapore's hospitality and restaurant industry since 2001, awarded Siy the prestigious title;

WHEREAS, Chef Johanne has brought honor to the nation for her culinary skills hailed among the best in the world;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to commend Filipina Chef Johanne Siy for being chosen as the 2023 Asia's Best Female Chef by the Asia's 50 Best Restaurants Academy.

Adopted,


RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.
