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**RESOLUTION**  
**COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE PHILIPPINE**  
**DELEGATION WHO HAVE COMPETED AND WON MEDALS IN THE 32<sup>ND</sup>**  
**EDITION OF THE SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES HELD IN CAMBODIA,**  
**PLACING THE COUNTRY AS THE 5<sup>TH</sup> OVERALL CHAMPION**

1 **WHEREAS**, Article XIV, Section 19 of the Philippine Constitution mandates  
2 that "the State shall promote physical education and encourage sports  
3 programs, league competitions, and amateur sports, including training for  
4 international competitions, to foster self-discipline, teamwork and excellence  
5 for the development of a healthy and alert citizenry.";

6 **WHEREAS**, the Philippine Senate, on several occasions, paid tribute to  
7 outstanding Filipinos for their remarkable contribution, which gained them  
8 international recognition, thereby bringing glory and honor to our country;

9 **WHEREAS**, the Southeast Asian Games is a biennial multi-sport competition  
10 participated in by 11 countries from the Southeast Asian region;

11 **WHEREAS**, the 32nd edition of the Southeast Asian Games was held from  
12 May 5 to 17, 2023 in Phnom Penh, Cambodia;

13 **WHEREAS**, the country had successfully captured 260 medals, which were  
14 divided as follows: 58 gold medals; 85 silver medals; and 117 bronze medals.  
15 This remarkable achievement has resulted the country being ranked as the 5<sup>th</sup>  
16 overall champion;

17 **WHEREAS**, the Philippines garnered more medals in the 32<sup>nd</sup> Southeast  
18 Asian Games compared to the medals it achieved in the preceding Southeast  
19 Asian Games held in Vietnam;

20 **WHEREAS**, the Filipino athletes have showcased once again their grit,  
21 determination and unrelenting competitiveness in international athletic  
22 competitions;

1 **WHEREAS**, this accomplishment is the result of hard work, dedication, and  
2 perseverance which serves as an inspiration to all of our Filipino athletes to  
3 excel in their respective fields of sport;

4 **WHEREAS**, it is appropriate and befitting that we extend our recognition and  
5 congratulate our Filipino athletes who have exemplified excellence and  
6 distinction which have brought pride and honor to our country:

7 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by  
8 the Senate, to commend and congratulate the members of the Philippine  
9 Delegation who have competed and won medals in the 32<sup>nd</sup> edition of the  
10 Southeast Asian Games held in Cambodia, placing the country as the 5<sup>th</sup>  
11 overall champion.

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