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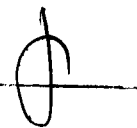
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RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING THE PHILIPPINE TEAM FOR THEIR IMPRESSIVE
PERFORMANCE DURING THE RECENTLY-CONCLUDED ASIAN PARA GAMES
HELD ON OCTOBER 22 - 28, 2023 IN HANGZHOU, CHINA

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate on several occasions has paid tribute to exceptional Filipino athletes for their inspiring feats in the international sports arena, and bringing pride and honor to our nation;

WHEREAS, the Asian Para Games is a multi-sport event that parallels the Asian Games which is being held for Asian athletes with disabilities. The latest edition has been participated by more than 3,000 athletes from 44 countries, and competing in 22 sports;

WHEREAS, Team Philippines' 72 athletes competed in archery, athletics, badminton, boccia, chess, cycling, judo, powerlifting, swimming, table tennis, taekwondo and wheelchair basketball;

WHEREAS, Team Philippines has bagged an impressive medal haul of 19 - 10 gold, 4 silver, and 5 bronze. The country finished ninth overall - its best performance since the event was founded in 2010;

WHEREAS, Team Philippines hauled medals from athletics, swimming and chess. The national chess team delivered eight gold medals from the competition;

WHEREAS, Swimmer Ernie Agat Gawilan and wheelchair racer Jerrold Pete Macabio Mangliwan secured gold medals in the men's 400m freestyle S7 and men's 400m T52, respectively;

WHEREAS, lawyer Cheyzer Mendoza has bagged two gold medals, and Menandro Redor, Henry Roger Lopez, and Darry Bernardo secured one gold each from their individual chess events;

WHEREAS, chess power trios - Darry Bernardo, Menandro Redor and Arman Subaste, and Henry Roger Lopez, Jasper Rom and Sander Severino have nailed their team events with additional three gold medals;

WHEREAS, the recent feat our Filipino para athletes in 4th Asian Para Games have left an indelible mark in the history of sports; thus, it is only befitting that the Senate recognize them for their perseverance, passion and sportsmanship that truly inspires the next generation of athletes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, to congratulate the Philippine Team for their impressive performance during the recently-concluded Asian Para Games held on October 22 - 28, 2023 in Hangzhou, China.

Adopted,


RAMON BONG REVILLA, JR.

2023 ASIAN PARA GAMES MEDALIST

I. Gold (10)

No.	Name	Event
SWIMMING		
1	Ernie Gawilan	Men's 400 m freestyle S7
ATHLETICS		
2	Jerrold Mangliwan	Men's 400 m T52
CHESS		
3	Menandro Redor	Men's individual standard VI – B2/B3
4	Cheyzer Mendoza	Women's individual standard P1
5	Darry Bernardo, Menandro Redor and Arman Subaste	Men's team standard VI – B2/B3
6	Henry Roger Lopez	Men's individual rapid P1
7	Darry Bernardo	Men's individual rapid VI – B2/B3
8	Cheyzer Mendoza	Women's individual rapid P1
9	Henry Roger Lopez, Jasper Rom and Sander Severino	Men's team rapid P1
10	Darry Bernardo, Menandro Redor and Arman Subaste	Men's team rapid VI – B2/B3
II. Silver (4)		
ATHLETICS		
11	Jerrold Mangliwan	Men's 100 m T52
CHESS		
12	Henry Roger Lopez	Men's individual standard P1
13	Henry Roger Lopez, Jasper Rom and Sander Severino	Men's team standard P1
14	Cheryl Angot, Cheyzer Mendoza and Jean-Lee Nacita	Women's team rapid P1
III. Bronze (5)		
SWIMMING		
15	Ernie Gawilan	Men's 200 m individual medley SM7
16	Gary Bejino	Men's 100 m freestyle S6
17		Men's 400 m freestyle S6
CHESS		
18	Cheryl Angot, Cheyzer Mendoza and Jean-Lee Nacita	Women's team standard P1
19	Sander Severino	Men's individual standard P1