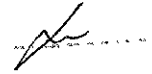


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RESOLUTION
EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE SENATE IN COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING “RADYO PATROL BALITA” FOR WINNING THE PRESTIGIOUS AND HIGHLY COMPETITIVE BEST NEWS PROGRAM FOR RADIO IN THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED ASIA-PACIFIC BROADCASTING UNION (ABU) PRIZES HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2007 IN TEHRAN, IRAN

Whereas, “Radyo Patrol Balita” distinguished itself by winning the Best News Program for Radio Award in the 44th Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU) Prizes, a first for the Philippine radio, in Tehran, Iran last November 3, 2007;

Whereas, the ABU Prizes is a prestigious competition and annually given in time for the Union’s General Assembly;

Whereas, founded in 1964, the ABU is a non-profit and professional association of broadcast organisations aimed at propagating truthful dissemination of information and the development of broadcast communication and at present, is supported by 173 members in 53 countries, reaching a potential audience of about 3 billion people;

Whereas, “Radyo Patrol Balita” anchored by one of the country’s respected and credible radio personalities, Angelo Palmones, is part of the DZMM Radio Patrol Sais Trenta Program and supported by the Kapisanan ng mga Brodkaster sa Pilipinas (KBP);


Whereas, the victory of “Radyo Patrol Balita” in the Best News Program for Radio is a culmination of a highly competitive process in which 50 outstanding entries from the Asia-Pacific region are initially assessed and of which, four exceptional programs are selected as final nominees: Hongkong’s RTHK, China’s RTPRC/CNR, Singapore’s Media Corp Radio Station and DZMM’s Radyo Patrol Balita;

Whereas, the triumph of “Radyo Patrol Balita” is a manifestation of the entire Philippine radio’s excellence, a showcase of equipoise of truth and presentation, of delivery and substance, and of production and values and their

continuing collective commitment to create a well-informed and highly-circumspect Filipinos; Now therefore be it

Resolved, by the Senate, as it hereby resolves, To express the sense of the Senate in commending and congratulating “Radyo Patrol Balita” for winning the prestigious and highly competitive Best News Program for Radio in the recently concluded Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU) Prizes held on November 3, 2007 in Tehran, Iran.

Adopted,



MANNY VILLAR