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RESOLUTION No. 4

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING TREAT CONRAD HUEY FOR HIS INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO PHILIPPINE SPORTS AS THE FIRST FILIPINO WHO QUALIFIED FOR THE SEMIFINAL ROUND OF A GRAND SLAM TENNIS TOURNAMENT

WHEREAS, Filipino-American Treat Conrad Huey, together with his Belarusian partner, Max Mirnyi, defeated Austrian Oliver Marach and French Fabrice Martin with the score of 6-3, 6-2, 7-6 (3) at the quarterfinals of The Championships, Wimbledon, held at the All England Lawn Tennis Croquet Club in London last July 7, 2016, and has since advanced to the semifinal round of the tournament;

WHEREAS, considered the oldest and among the most prestigious tennis tournaments in the world, The Championships, Wimbledon, or most commonly referred to as Wimbledon, is one of the only four Grand Slam tennis tournaments together with the Australian Open, French Open and the US Open;

WHEREAS, ranked $24^{\rm th}$ in the world, Huey, who previously reached the men's doubles quarterfinals in the Australian Open in 2014 and 2016, and in the US Open in 2013, is the first Filipino to make the semifinals at Wimbledon;

WHEREAS, a doubles specialist, Huey has reached 15 finals in the ATP World Tour; won various titles including the 2012 Citi Open, 2013 Swiss Indoors, 2014 Aegon with Dominic Inglot, 2015 Estoril Open with Scott Lipsky, 2015 St. Petersburg Open, and 2015 Malaysian Open, Kuala Lumpur with Henri Kontinen; and also participated in the International Premier Tennis League (IPTL);

WHEREAS, Huey, who turned professional in 2008, started representing the Philippines in the Davis Cup and in the Southeast Asian Games in 2009;

WHEREAS, Huey has been representing the country in various international competitions, showcasing the talent and skill of a Filipino tennis athlete in the international scene, and he has continued to promote the Philippines and the Filipino people through his outstanding performances in tennis;

WHEREAS, Huey's success especially his breakthrough performance at the 2016 Wimbledon, which was hailed as a "heroic performance" that raised the bar for Filipino tennis players, has given a much-needed boost to Philippine tennis: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the Philippines recognize and commend Treat Conrad Huey for his invaluable contribution to Philippine sports as the first Filipino who qualified for the semifinal round of a Grand Slam tennis tournament.

Adopted,

AQUILINO "KOKO" PIMENTEL III

President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on August 3, 2016.

LUTGARDO B. BARBO Secretary of the Senate