

Republic of the Philippines
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Senate

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RESOLUTION NO. 7

RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING
DAVEMARK “DOBERMANN” APOLINARIO FOR
WINNING THE INTERNATIONAL BOXING
ORGANIZATION (IBO) WORLD FLYWEIGHT TITLE
AT THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CENTRE
IN EAST LONDON, SOUTH AFRICA

WHEREAS, on 30 July 2022, Davemark “Dobermann” Apolinario has successfully managed to capture the International Boxing Organization (IBO) World Flyweight title against Gideon Buthelezi at the International Convention Centre in East London, South Africa;

WHEREAS, at the start of the match, Mr. Apolinario immediately dominated the fight, delivered a powerful left cross punch that sent his South African opponent to the canvass,

and thus registered an impressive first round knockout that improved his unbeaten record to 17-0 with 12 knockouts;

WHEREAS, the 23-year old IBO World Flyweight Champion came from a family of boxers in Sarangani province and was a top amateur as a junior. He won gold medals at the Philippine National Games and Palarong Pambansa tournaments and started fighting as a professional boxer in 2017 at the age of 18;

WHEREAS, his triumph was a result of his hard work, discipline, dedication, and perseverance, and serves as an inspiration to all Filipino athletes;

WHEREAS, Article XIV, Section 19, paragraph 1 of the 1987 Constitution mandates that “the State shall promote physical education and encourage sports programs, league competitions, and amateur sports, including training for international competitions, to foster self-discipline, teamwork and excellence for the development of a healthy citizenry”;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate finds it fitting to pay tribute to outstanding Filipinos for their remarkable contribution, which gained international recognition, thereby bringing glory and honor to our country: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, as it is hereby resolved, To commend and congratulate Davemark ‘Dobermann’ Apolinario for winning the International Boxing Organization World Flyweight title at the International Convention Centre in East London, South Africa.

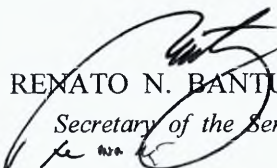
Adopted,



JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI

President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on
August 8, 2022.



RENATO N. BANTUG JR.
Secretary of the Senate

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