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Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid

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**RESOLUTION**

**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE DRAGON BOAT TEAM FOR WINNING TWO GOLD MEDALS AND A SILVER MEDAL AT THE 9TH INTERNATIONAL DRAGON BOAT RACING CHAMPIONSHIPS IN RAČICE REGATTA CENTER, THE CZECH REPUBLIC ON 26-30 AUGUST 2009.**

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Senate has in several occasions paid tribute to exemplary Filipinos for their contribution in bringing home pride and honor to the country by winning in international competitions;

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine dragon boat team garnered two gold medals in the 200-meter premier open and mixed categories besting powerhouse teams from 22 countries including China, Canada, Germany and the United States, and a silver medal for the 500-meter premier open of the 9th International Dragon Boat Racing Championships in Račice Regatta Center, the Czech Republic on 26-30 August 2009;

**WHEREAS**, in winning the gold medal at the 200-meter premier open category, the Philippine team also broke its own world record by registering 40.022 seconds beating its previous record at 41.91 seconds which was recorded at the 8th International Dragon Boat Racing Championship held in Sydney, Australia;

**WHEREAS**, the International Dragon Boat Racing Championships is a biennial event organized by the International Dragon Boat Federation (IDBF) for the team water sport of dragon boat racing and participated by the 74 countries and territories membership of the said organization;

**WHEREAS**, the outstanding performance by our Filipino rowers deserve to be commended for the honor and recognition they have brought our country;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to congratulate and commend the Philippine Dragon Boat Team for winning two gold medals and a silver medal at the 9th International Dragon Boat Racing Championships in Račice Regatta Center, the Czech Republic on 26-30 August 2009, namely:

**MEN'S CREW**

1. Alex Sumagaysay
2. Cresanto Pabulayan
3. Diomedes Manalo

4. Jesus Asok Jr
5. Joemar Ocquina
6. Jose Ijalo
7. Joseph Magno
8. Junrey Dayumat
9. Perlito Idorot
10. Ramie Llano
11. Raymond Morales
12. Ric Nacional
13. Ricky Saderna
14. Rico Pradilla
15. Rolando Isidro Jr
16. Romel Donesa
17. Romy John Dionio
18. Ronald Tan
19. Ronniel Rafael
20. Rupert Sabijon
21. Salvador Sumagaysay
22. Usman Anterola

**WOMEN'S CREW**

1. Amina Anuddin
2. Ivory Ablig
3. Josette Deriada
4. Leonita Banlat
5. Ma. Ailene Padrones
6. Noelle Wenceslao
7. Ruditha Poralan
8. Stephanie Deriada
9. Theresa Realizan.

***Adopted,***

  
**MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID**  
*Senator*