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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 706

Submitted by the Committee on Finance on OCT 13 2009

Re: House Joint Resolution No. 48 taking into consideration Senate Joint Resolution Nos. 33 and 34, PS Resolution No. 1395 and Senate Bill 3461

Recommending approval without amendment

Sponsor: Senator Edgardo J. Angara

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**Mr. President:**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 48, introduced by Representatives Narciso D. Santiago III, Prospero C. Nograles, Junie E. Cua et al., entitled:

**JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE USE OF THE UNPROGRAMMED FUND IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED TWELVE BILLION PESOS (P12,000,000,000.00) FOR THE RELIEF OPERATIONS, REHABILITATION, RECONSTRUCTION AND OTHER WORKS AND SERVICES TO AREAS AFFECTED BY NATURAL CALAMITIES**

and taking into consideration Senate Joint Resolution No. 33 introduced by Senator Francis "Chiz" G. Escudero, entitled:

**JOINT RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TWELVE BILLION PESOS (P12,000,000,000.00) AS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR FY 2009 TO AUGMENT THE CALAMITY FUND AUTHORIZED UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9524 IN VIEW OF THE RECENT SPATE OF CALAMITIES THAT HAS DEVASTATED THE COUNTRY**

and Senate Joint Resolution No. 34 introduced by Senator Edgardo J. Angara, entitled:

**JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE USE OF THE UNPROGRAMMED FUND IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED TWELVE BILLION PESOS (P12,000,000,000.00) FOR EMERGENCY RELIEF OPERATION, REHABILITATION AND RECONSTRUCTION WORKS AND SERVICES IN AREAS AFFECTED BY TYPHOONS "FRANK," "ONDOY" AND "PEPENG"**

and PS Resolution No. 1395 introduced by Senator Manny B. Villar, entitled:

**RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT THE CONDUCT OF A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON UTILIZING A PORTION OF THE SAVINGS AND/OR EXCESS INCOME REALIZED BY ALL THE DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES, BUREAUS AND GOVERNMENT OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS TO DISASTER RELIEF OPERATIONS AND OTHER HELP-APPROACHES WITH THE END VIEW OF HELPING AFFECTED CITIZENS BY TYPHOON "ONDOY" AND OTHER CALAMITIES**

and Senate Bill No. 3461 introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago, entitled:

**AN ACT APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF TEN BILLION (P10,000,000,000.00) AS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RELIEF OPERATIONS, RECONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION AND OTHER AFFECTED REGIONS WHICH SUFFERED DEVASTATION BROUGHT ABOUT BY TYPHOON ONDOY**

has considered the same and has the honor to report it back to the Senate with recommendation that House Joint Resolution No. 48 be approved without amendment.

The public hearing conducted by the Committee Finance on Senate Joint Resolution No. 34 and PS Resolution No. 1395 on October 13, 2009 cover the same subject matter under House Joint Resolution No. 48.

In view thereof, the above-mentioned public hearing and the proceeding thereof are hereby adopted and deemed as public hearing of the Committee on House Joint Resolution No. 48, in compliance with Sec. 24, Rule XI of the Senate.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
**SEN. EDGARDO J. ANGARA**  
Chairperson, Committee on Finance

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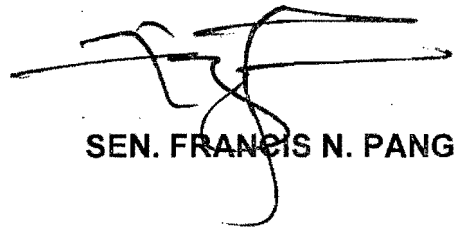
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no specific guidelines yet.  
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Interpellate*

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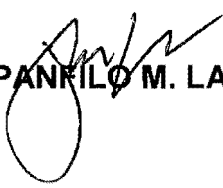
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*clear guidelines must be  
included to prevent  
abuse/misuse.*  
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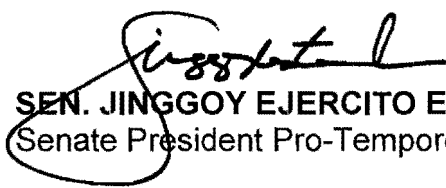


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*Safeguards must be introduced  
to prevent funds use for partisan purposes!*  
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