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Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid

## RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE BAAO CHILDREN'S CHOIR or the BARLIN ANGELICS FOR WINNING THE GOLDEN TROPHY IN THE 18<sup>TH</sup> CARTAMEN INTERNATIONAL JUVENIL DE HABANERAS Y POLIFONIA (JUNIOR HABANERAS AND POLYPHONY INTERNATIONAL CONTEST) ON APRIL 27-29, 2012 IN TORREVIEJA, SPAIN.

**WHEREAS,** the Philippine Senate has in several occasions paid tribute to outstanding Filipinos for their astonishing feat of bringing home pride and glory to the country by becoming victors in the global arena;

**WHEREAS,** the Baao Children's Choir made the country proud when they emerged victorious after winning the golden trophy in the 18<sup>th</sup> Certamen International Juvenil de Habaneras y Polifonia or the Junior Habaneras and Polyphony International Contest on 27 to 29 April 2012 in Torrevieja, Spain besting 40 other choral groups from aroun the world;

**WHEREAS,** the Certamen International Juvenil de Habaneras y Polifonia is an annual event organized by the government of Torrevieja that aims to promote and spread the Habanera, a popular dance genre that is a creolized form of the French contradanza, among young singers worlwide;

**WHEREAS,** the exemplary performance displayed by our Filipino talents has shown to the world that we are a country richly blessed with talented artists and musicians;

**WHEREAS,** by winning this international competition, the Baao Children's Choir of Camarines Sur has made our country proud and has shown to the world the spirit of Filipino competitiveness and excellence.

**WHEREAS,** this outstanding performance by our Filipino choir deserves to be commended for the honor and recognition it has brought to our country.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** as it is hereby resolved to congratulate and commend the Baao Children's Choir or the Barlin Angelics for winning the golden trophy in the 18<sup>th</sup> Cartamen International Juvenil de Habaneras y Polifonia (Junior Habaneras and Polyphony International Contest) on April 27-29, 2012 in Torrevieja, Spain.

Adopted.

MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID

Senator