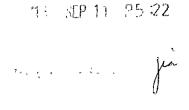


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Introduced by Senator Maria Lourdes Nancy S. Binay

## RESOLUTION

## CALLING FOR THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION ON THE MODERNIZATION OF PUBLIC UTILITY VEHICLES

WHEREAS, the Land Transportation Franchising & Regulatory Board (LTFRB) issued Memorandum Circular No. 2012-017, which clarified Memorandum Circular No. 2007-007, ordering the phase-out of Utility Van (UV) Express service units threen (13)-years old or older,

**WHEREAS**, the Court of Appeals has affirmed the issuance of Memorandum Circular No. 2012-017 as a valid exercise of the LTFRB's quasi-judicial authority;

WHEREAS, utility vehicle express units operators and drivers have decried the issuance of Memorandum Circular No. 2012-017 for their lack of means to replace the phased-out units,

WHEREAS, in the spirit of fairness and justice, there is a need to thoroughly investigate how the Government can assist the affected utility vehicle operators and drivers to achieve the mandated phase-out and modernization,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, as it is hereby resolved to direct the appropriate Senate Committees to conduct an inquiry in aid of legislation on the modernization of public utility vehicles.

Adopted,

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Senator