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Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO RACING DRIVER MICHELE MARIE BUMGARNER FOR PULLING OFF A TOP TEN (10) FINISH AND FOR BAGGING THE STAUBLI AWARD AND THE QUARTER MASTER HARD CHARGER AWARD IN THE 2013 PRO MAZDA CHAMPIONSHIP OPEN-WHEEL SERIES ON 5-6 OCTOBER 2013 AT THE RELIANT PARK STREET CIRCUIT IN HOUSTON, TEXAS

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on several occasions, paid tribute to outstanding Filipino athletes for their astonishing feats, such as becoming champions in international sporting competitions, thereby bringing pride and glory to the country;

WHEREAS, 24-year old Filipino racing driver Michele Marie Bumgarner made history in Philippine racing when she finished within the top ten (10) of the 2013 Pro Mazda Championship Open-Wheel Series on 5-6 October 2013 at the Reliant Park Street Circuit in Houston, Texas, where she was likewise crowned the Staubli Award, and the Quarter Master Hard Charger Award;

WHEREAS, the Pro Mazda Championship is a world reknowned open-wheel race car driver development series, sponsored by Mazda and Goodyear, which aims "to develop new race driving talent";

WHEREAS, by winning this very prestigious automobile race, Michele Marie Bumgarner 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 racing driver deserves to be commended for the honor and recognition she has brought to our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend Filipino racing driver Michele Marie Bumgarner for pulling off a top ten (10) finish and for bagging the Staubli award and the Quarter Master Hard Charger Award in the 2013 Pro Mazda Championship open-wheel series on 5-6 October 2013 at the Reliant Park Street Circuit in Houston, Texas.

Adopted,

MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID
Senator