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Introduced by Senator Aquilino "Koko" Pimentel III

**RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING
REPRESENTATIVE EMMANUEL "MANNY" PACQUIAO FOR
HIS OUTSTANDING VICTORY AGAINST BRANDON "BAM-
BAM" RIOS AND FOR WINNING THE WORLD BOXING
ORGANIZATION INTERNATIONAL WELTERWEIGHT TITLE
LAST NOVEMBER 24, 2013 HELD AT COTAI ARENA,
VENETIAN RESORT, MACAU, CHINA**

WHEREAS, on November 24, 2013, at Cotai Arena, Venetian Resort, Macau, China, Representative Emmanuel "Manny" Pacquiao once again showed his exceptional boxing skills as he defeated American boxer Brandon "Bam-Bam" Rios via unanimous decision;

WHEREAS, with this triumph, Pacquiao gained the title of World Boxing Organization (WBO) International Welterweight Champion;

WHEREAS, Pacquiao's extraordinary accomplishment brought much pride and honor to the whole Filipino nation and is a testament of what Filipinos are capable of attaining when they put their heart and soul into their goals;

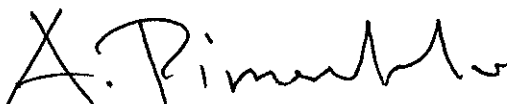
WHEREAS, in his latest victory, Pacquiao proved that with hard work, discipline, determination, and proper motivation, it is not impossible to dominate and defeat a taller and heavier opponent like Rios;

WHEREAS, Pacquiao's victory is very much needed to uplift the Filipino spirit after the Bohol and Cebu Earthquake and Typhoon Yolanda that brought devastation in lives and infrastructures;

WHEREAS, Pacquiao deserves to be commended for his remarkable humility despite his achievements of being a boxing champion and his hard work in bringing exceptional recognition to the country;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES, TO CONGRATULATE AND COMMEND REPRESENTATIVE EMMANUEL "MANNY" PACQUIAO FOR HIS OUTSTANDING VICTORY AGAINST BRANDON "BAM-BAM" RIOS AND FOR WINNING THE WORLD BOXING ORGANIZATION INTERNATIONAL WELTERWEIGHT TITLE LAST NOVEMBER 24, 2013 HELD AT COTAI ARENA, VENETIAN RESORT, MACAU, CHINA.

Adopted,


AQUILINO "KOKO" PIMENTEL III