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**RESOLUTION**

**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES LAW STUDENTS FOR WINNING THE CHAMPIONSHIP IN THE EAST ASIA REGIONAL ROUND OF THE 18<sup>th</sup> STETSON INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MOOT COURT COMPETITION.**

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Senate has in numerous occasions recognized and paid tribute to outstanding Filipino students of remarkable competence and dedication;

**WHEREAS**, the East Asia Regional Round of the 18<sup>th</sup> Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition held at Soongsil University College of Law in Seoul, South Korea were participated by countries from Asia including: France, Nepal, Taiwan, Korea and China;

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine delegate, composed of University of the Philippines Law Students (U.P. Law Students), that participated in the East Asia Regional Round of the 18<sup>th</sup> Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition won the championship;

**WHEREAS**, out of said participants it was the Philippine delegate that won the Best Memorial Award with Kesterson Kua winning both Best Oralist of the Preliminary Rounds and Best Oralist of the Final Round;

**WHEREAS**, this feat gave the U.P. Law Students another opportunity to raise the flag of the Philippines in the Stetson International Finals to be held in United States of America, Florida on April of 2014;

**WHEREAS**, the outstanding performance of our Filipino students in the East Asia Regional Round of the 18<sup>th</sup> Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition exemplified the international competitiveness of the Filipino people.

**WHEREAS**, this Senate commends and applauds the U.P. Law Students for their excellence, unwavering dedication and commitment to this prestigious event;

**RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, by the Senate to congratulate and commend the Philippine delegate composed of U.P. Law Students, to the East Asia Regional Round of the 18<sup>th</sup> Stetson International Environmental Moot Court Competition held in Soongsil University College of Law in Seoul, South Korea, that won the championship as well as Best

Memorial Award, Best Oralist of the Preliminary Rounds and Best Oralist of the Final Round, namely:

*Philippine delegate/U.P. Law Students:*

1. Kesterson Kua – Best Oralist Awardee
2. Railla Puno
3. Jaime Liz Yu
4. Maria Celia Poblador
5. Paulina Parungao

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Resolution be given to the above-named awardees.

Adopted,

  
**MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY**  
Senator