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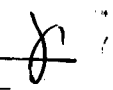


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**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING
DONNIE NIETES, MARK MAGSAYO AND ARTHUR VILLANUEVA
FOR WINNING IN THE PINOY PRIDE 38 HELD ON SEPTEMBER 25, 2016 AT
THE STUBHUB CENTER IN CARSON, CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, our Filipino boxers came out victorious in the recently held Pinoy Pride 38 at the StubHub Center in Carson, California;

WHEREAS, Donnie Nietes defeated former world champion Edgar Sosa from Mexico in the flyweight division via unanimous decision with all three judges scoring the match 120-108 in favor of the pride of Bacolod City. His exemplary performance paid off and won him the World Boxing Organization international crown, putting his win-loss record at 39-1-4, with 22 knockouts;

WHEREAS, Mark Magsayo maintains his undefeated record by winning against Mexico's Ramiro Robles via unanimous decision. The 21-year-old pride of Tagbilaran City secured the match in his favor with the scorecard of 119-107, 118-108 and 120-106;

WHEREAS, Arthur Villanueva scored a knockout match against Juan Jimenez. Villanueva showcased his prowess and athletic precision by delivering a solid right cross, sending his Mexican rival on the ground in the second round of the bout;

WHEREAS, Filipino athletes once again dominated in the international sporting arena. They carried our flag with pride and honor as they faced heavyweight contenders. Donnie Nietes, Mark Magsayo and Arthur Villanueva deserve to be commended for their exemplary performance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it hereby resolved, to commend and congratulate Donnie Nietes, Mark Magsayo and Arthur Villanueva for winning in the Pinoy Pride 38 and bringing honor and prestige to our country.

Adopted,



EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO