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RESOLUTION

COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING MARK ANTHONY D. GUIAO FOR CLINCHING THE GOLD MEDAL AND FOR SHOWCASING THE CALIBER OF THE FILIPINO WORKER AT THE 11TH ASEAN SKILLS COMPETITION (ASC) IN KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA ON SEPTEMBER 19-29, 2016

WHEREAS, the ASEAN Skills Competition (ASC) is the largest skills competition in the region participated in by young skilled workers from ASEAN member countries, competing in 23 occupational skills and two performance skills;

WHEREAS, the 11th edition of ASC was held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on September 19-29, 2016 with the theme, "*Skills for a Brighter Future*";

WHEREAS, the ASC seeks to promote the development of quality technical and vocational education and training (TVET) and work values among the youth and skilled workers and foster technical cooperation in TVET between member countries;

WHEREAS, the competitors in the ASC represent the best of their peers and are selected from national skill competitions in member countries where they demonstrate technical abilities both individually and collectively to execute specific tasks for which they study and/or perform in their workplace;

WHEREAS, ASC2016-Team PILIPINAS, composed of 24 competitors, 19 experts/coaches and 8 interpreters, competed in Electrical Installation, Electronics, Graphic Design Technology, Industrial Automation, IT Network Cabling, IT Network Systems Administration, IT Software Solution for Business, Mechanical Engineering Design CAD, Mechatronics, Refrigeration and Air conditioning (RAC), Web Design, and Welding;

WHEREAS, rigorous training on technical, physical, emotional and psychological aspects were implemented with the support of leading industries/industry experts, associations, training providers and military personnel in the country as part of the preparation for the competition;

WHEREAS, **MARK ANTHONY D. GUIAO** bested other competitors in Mechanical Engineering Design CAD and securing the gold for the country and the "Best of the Nation Award" which is given to the best participant of each country;

WHEREAS, the following competitors also clinched silver medals, bronze medals and medallions of excellence in various trade areas:

1. JOVEN H. HAYAGAN, *Silver Medal* - IT Software Solution for Business
2. JOHN LOUIE S. PIOQUINTO, *Bronze Medal* - Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning
3. JOHN HARRIS D. SORIANO, *Bronze Medal* - Electronics
4. GELMAR A. CONIENDO & JUNNEL E. CAGAMPANG, *Bronze Medal* - Mechatronics
5. JALANIE M. DIMACALING, *Bronze Medal* - Web Design
6. ROMMEL M. FLORITA, *Medallion of Excellence*, Welding
7. ALLEN JAY B. DESAMPARADO, *Medallion of Excellence* - IT Software Solution for Business
8. SHANE GABRIEL T. MACAPAGAL, *Medallion of Excellence*, Graphic Design Technology
9. TRISTAN JOSEPH L. AMARGO, *Medallion of Excellence* -IT Network Systems Administration
10. ARBETHNEL B. ILAGAN, *Medallion of Excellence* - RAC
11. ARIANNE S. LIWAG & DAN KERVIN D. DEL MUNDO, *Medallion of Excellence*, Industrial Automation

WHEREAS, the success of Mark Anthony D. Guiao and the members of the ASC 2016- Team PILIPINAS in the 11th ASC proves that Filipino workers are world class and with relevant skills, they can drive progress and sustainable future not only here in the country but across the globe;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Senate of the Philippines congratulate and commend Mark Anthony D. Guiao for clinching the gold medal and the members of ASC 2016-Team PILIPINAS for showcasing the caliber of the Filipino worker at the 11th ASEAN Skills Competition (ASC) in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on September 19-29, 2016.

Adopted,


SENATOR JOEL VILLANUEVA