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RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING MIXED MARTIAL ARTIST EDUARD FOLAYANG FOR WINNING THE ONE CHAMPIONSHIP LIGHTWEIGHT TITLE AT THE SINGAPORE INDOOR STADIUM IN KALLANG, SINGAPORE ON 11 NOVEMBER 2016

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has in several occasions paid tribute to outstanding Filipinos for their astonishing feat of bringing home pride and glory to the country by becoming champions in international sporting competitions;

WHEREAS, mixed martial artist Eduard "Landslide" Folayang made the country proud when he successfully secured the lightweight title from Japan's Shinya Aoki during the ONE:Defending Honor main event at the Singapore Indoor Stadium in Kallang, Singapore on 11 November 2016;

WHEREAS, mixed martial arts or MMA is a full-contact combat sport that uses techniques from other contact sports and martial arts, and the ONE Championship is widely recognized as the biggest MMA promotion in Asia;

WHEREAS, Baguio-born Igorot Eduard Folayang shocked the crowd when he pinned to the cage and defeated on the third round one of the most successful fighters in Asian MMA history, Shinya Aoki, to secure a huge victory and the lightweight belt upping his record to 17 wins and five losses;

WHEREAS, by winning this fight, Eduard Folayang has brought pride and glory to the country and has shown the world the indomitable spirit of the Filipino;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, to congratulate and commend mixed martial artist Eduard Folayang for winning the ONE Championship lightweight title at the Singapore Indoor Stadium in Kallang, Singapore on 11 November 2016

Adopted,


JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI