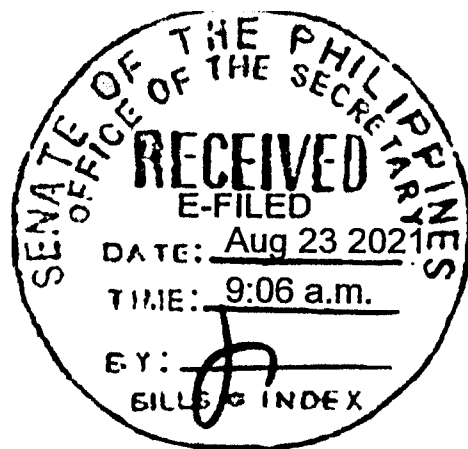


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**A RESOLUTION  
HONORING ALL FILIPINO ATHLETES WHO REPRESENTED THE COUNTRY  
FOR THEIR SIGNIFICANT PARTICIPATION AND EXEMPLARY  
PERFORMANCE IN THE 2020 SUMMER OLYMPICS HELD IN TOKYO, JAPAN**

WHEREAS, the Olympics is an international sporting event where athletes of different countries throughout the different continents would participate in a variety of competitions. It is considered as the world's biggest sports competition;

WHEREAS, the 2020 Summer Olympics was held in Tokyo, Japan from July 23 to August 8, 2021;

WHEREAS, in the 2020 Summer Olympics, a total of 11,690 athletes from all over the world represented their country in different sports categories;

WHEREAS, the 19 athletes who represented the country, with the support of their coaches and families, have done their best in their significant participation and have demonstrated exemplary performance and sportsmanship throughout the various athletic events. The 19 athletes are:

1. Elreen Ann Ando – Weightlifting
2. Kurt Bryan Barbosa – Taekwondo
3. Hidilyn Diaz – Weightlifting
4. Margielyn Didal – Skateboarding
5. Luke Gebbie – Swimming
6. Kristina Marie Knott – Athletics
7. Irish Magno – Boxing
8. Eumir Marcial – Boxing
9. Cris Nievarez – Rowing
10. Ernest John Obiena – Athletics
11. Carlo Paalam – Boxing
12. Bianca Pagdanganan – Golf
13. Juvic Pagunsan – Golf

14. Nesthy Petecio – Boxing
15. Remedy Rule – Swimming
16. Yuka Saso – Golf
17. Jayson Valdez – Shooting
18. Kiyomi Watanabe – Judo
19. Carlos Edriel Yulo – Artistic Gymnastics;

**WHEREAS**, these athletes have exhibited unwavering resolve and sheer determination in bringing pride and honor to the country;

**WHEREAS**, all athletes, as well as their coaches and training staff, deserve to be honored for their hard work, dedication, passion, and perseverance in representing the Philippines in the 2020 Olympics;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Senate of the Philippines honor all Filipino athletes who represented the country for their significant participation and exemplary performance in the 2020 Summer Olympics held in Tokyo, Japan.

*Adopted,*

  
**EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO**