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Introduced by **Senator PIA S. CAYETANO**

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE WOMEN'S NATIONAL FOOTBALL TEAM, ALSO KNOWN AS THE "FILIPINAS," FOR WINNING THE COUNTRY'S FIRST EVER ASEAN FOOTBALL FEDERATION WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP AT THE RIZAL MEMORIAL STADIUM IN MANILA, PHILIPPINES

1 **WHEREAS**, the ASEAN Football Federation (AFF) Championship is a biennial
2 football competition, participated by the national teams of the AFF members, namely:
3 Australia, Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Philippines, Myanmar, Malaysia, Singapore,
4 Thailand, Timor Leste, and Vietnam;¹

5 **WHEREAS**, on 17 July 2022, the Philippine Women's National Football Team, also
6 known as the "*Filipinas*," became the AFF Women's Champions following their 3-0 victory
7 against Thailand in a competition held at the Rizal Memorial Stadium in Manila;²

¹ Asean Football Federation. (n.d.). <https://www.aseanfootball.org/v3/>

² Terrado, J. (2022, July 17). Filipinas capture historic AFF Women's Championship crown, blank Thailand. *Inquirer*. <https://sports.inquirer.net/470368/filipinas-capture-historic-aff-womens-championship-crown-blanks-thailand>

1 **WHEREAS**, with this domination over the Thailand War Elephants in the AFF
2 finals, the *Filipinas* made history, clinching the first ever championship of any Philippine
3 team, either men's or women's, under the AFF banner;³

4 **WHEREAS**, the *Filipinas* showcased their prowess and skills in the group stage,
5 where they overpowered four out of five teams;

6 **WHEREAS**, they stunned Vietnam, the defending title-holders of the AFF
7 Women's Championship, during the semi-finals with a 4-0 result;⁴

8 **WHEREAS**, the *Filipinas* proved that hard work, dedication, and passion for sports
9 are the building blocks of reaching one's goals, inspiring many young Filipina athletes to
10 continue pursuing their dreams, that they, too, may bring pride and glory to the nation;

11 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Senate of the Philippines
12 congratulates and commends the Philippine Women's National Football Team, also known
13 as the "*Filipinas*", for winning the country's first ever ASEAN Football Federation Women's
14 Championship at the Rizal Memorial Stadium in Manila, Philippines.

Adopted,


PIA S. CAYETANO

³ Del Carmen, L. (2022, July 17). Filipinas make history, cop PH's first-ever AFF Women's crown. *Tiebreaker Times*. <https://tiebreakertimes.com.ph/tbt/filipinas-make-history-cop-first-ever-aff-womens-crown/245568>

⁴ Terrado, J. (2022, July 15). Filipinas stun defending champ Vietnam to reach AFF Women's final. *Inquirer*. <https://sports.inquirer.net/470156/filipinas-stun-defending-champ-vietnam-to-reach-aff-womens-final>