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Introduced by Senator Juan Miguel F. Zubiri

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### RESOLUTION

**RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE HEROISM AND BRAVERY OF FIVE RESCUERS FROM THE BULACAN PROVINCIAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT OFFICE (PDRRMO) NAMELY, GEORGE AGUSTIN, TROY JUSTIN AGUSTIN, MARBY BARTOLOME, NARCISO CALAYAG JR., AND JERSON RESURECCION FOR THEIR SELFLESS SACRIFICE OF PUTTING THEIR LIVES ON THE LINE TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF BULAKENYOS AT THE HEIGHT OF SUPER TYPHOON KARDING (NORU) ON 25 SEPTEMBER 2022**

**WHEREAS**, the Senate of the Philippines recognizes and acknowledges the exemplary courage and bravery of those on the frontlines who continue to fulfill their duties despite imminent danger, risking their own lives in bringing service to the Filipino;

**WHEREAS**, on 25 September 2022, Super Typhoon Karding (Noru) lashed Central Luzon affecting neighboring areas such as Northern and Southern Luzon as well;

**WHEREAS**, among the early casualties reported were that of the five rescuers from the Bulacan PDRRMO namely, George Agustin, Troy Justin Agustin, Marby Bartolome, Narciso Calayag Jr., and Jerson Resurreccion who were killed in a flash flood;

**WHEREAS**, according to reports, PDRRMO rescuers were deployed on 25 September 2022 and said five rescuers were in Brgy. Camias in San Miguel to conduct search and rescue operations;

**WHEREAS**, in a TV interview, Bulacan Gov. Daniel Fernando said that the five rescuers were forced to take lifeboats after their rescue truck bogged down and it was while they were traversing the floodwaters during their operations that a wall collapsed on them due to flash floods and swept them away by raging waters;

**WHEREAS**, on the morning of 26 September 2022, the Bulacan Provincial Public Affairs Office confirmed the death of the five rescuers after the bodies were recovered in the aftermath of Super Typhoon Karding;

**WHEREAS**, the Senate of the Philippines is one with the families and loved ones of the rescuers who perished during the onslaught of Typhoon Karding in commemorating their heroism and selfless sacrifice of putting their lives on the line in ensuring the safety of the greater good;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to recognize and honor and bravery of five rescuers from Bulacan Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction And Management Office (PDRRMO) namely, George Agustin, Troy Justin

Agustin, Marby Bartolome, Narciso Calayag Jr., and Jerson Resureccion for their selfless sacrifice for putting their lives on the line to ensure the safety of Bulakenyos at the height of Super Typhoon Karding (Noru) on 25 September 2022.

**RESOLVED, FURTHER,** That copies of this Resolution be furnished to the bereaved families of George Agustin, Troy Justin Agustin, Marby Bartolome, Narciso Calayag Jr., and Jerson Resureccion, the Bulacan Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office, and the Provincial Government of Bulacan.

**Adopted,**



**JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI**