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### Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA

### RESOLUTION

## RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING CHERRY ANN RONDINA, JOVELYN GONZAGA, GENESA JANE ESLAPOR, AND FLOREMEL RODRIGUEZ FOR THEIR IMPRESSIVE PERFORMANCES AT THE 2022 VOLLEYBALL WORLD BEACH PRO TOUR

**WHEREAS**, the Volleyball World Beach Pro Tour is a sports event featuring top teams competing in various venues on all continents. The Beach Pro tour is split into Elite16, Challenge, and Futures levels;<sup>1</sup>

**WHEREAS**, the 2022 Volleyball World Beach Pro Tour held a tour stop in Subic Bay Sand Court, Philippines on December 9 to 11, 2022;<sup>2</sup>

**WHEREAS**, assured of gold and silver medals in the all-Filipina Futures final, the Rondina-Gonzaga pair faced off with the Eslapor-Rodriguez team, with the former reigning supreme and winning over the latter with 22-24, 21-12, and 15-12 scores;<sup>3</sup>

**WHEREAS**, the Filipina duos' 1-2 podium finish in the Volleyball World event are considered the best performances by any Filipino teams to date;<sup>4</sup>

WHEREAS, the exceptional performances of Cherry Ann Rondina, Jovelyn Gonzaga, Genesa Jane Eslapor, and Floremel Rodriguez at the 2022 Volleyball World Beach Pro Tour Futures are testaments of the perseverance, excellence, and world-class talent of Filipino athletes;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> February 16, 2022, What you need to know about the Beach Pro Tour. Available at <a href="https://en.volleyballworld.com/beachvolleyball/competitions/beach-pro-tour-2022/news/what-you-need-to-know-about-the-beach-pro-tour">https://en.volleyballworld.com/beachvolleyball/competitions/beach-pro-tour-2022/news/what-you-need-to-know-about-the-beach-pro-tour</a> (last accessed: December 12, 2022).</a><sup>2</sup> Ibid.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> December 11, 2022, Rondina-Gonzaga tops Subic beach volley, Manila Bulletin. Available at <a href="https://mb.com.ph/2022/12/11/rondina-gonzaga-tops-subic-beach-volley/">https://mb.com.ph/2022/12/11/rondina-gonzaga-tops-subic-beach-volley/</a> (last accessed December 12, 2022).
<sup>4</sup> December 12, 2022. Rondina, Gonzaga rule Volleyball World Beach Pro Tour Futures, Rappler. Available at <a href="https://www.rappler.com/sports/volleyball/results-sisi-rondina-jovelyn-gonzaga-volleyball-world-beach-pro-tour-futures-december-2022/">https://www.rappler.com/sports/volleyball/results-sisi-rondina-jovelyn-gonzaga-volleyball-world-beach-pro-tour-futures-december-2022/</a> (last accessed December 12, 2022).

**RESOLVED BY THE SENATE,** as it is hereby resolved, to commend and congratulate Cherry Ann Rondina, Jovelyn Gonzaga, Genesa Jane Eslapor, and Floremel Rodriguez for their impressive performances at the 2022 Volleyball World Beach Pro Tour.

Adopted,

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JOELVILLANUEVA