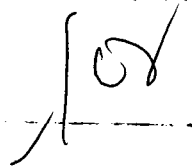


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**RESOLUTION**  
**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING ALEXANDRA MANIEGO EALA AND FRANCIS CASEY ALCANTARA FOR WINNING BRONZE IN TENNIS MIXED DOUBLES IN THE 19<sup>th</sup> ASIAN GAMES**

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Senate takes immense pride in celebrating and honoring exemplary Filipino athletes who bring honor and pride to the country for their remarkable achievements in international sports competitions;

**WHEREAS**, in the 19<sup>th</sup> Asian Games held in Hangzhou, China, Philippine tennis veteran and two-time Southeast Asian Games men's double gold medalist, Francis Casey Alcantara teamed up with teen tennis ace Alexandra "Alex" Eala in tennis mixed doubles defeating contenders from Nepal, India and Thailand;

**WHEREAS**, on 29 September 2023, Alcantara and Eala gamely fought for 1 hour and 37 minutes against Chinese Taipei's En-shuo and Huang Tsung-hao in semifinals wherein they clinched a bronze medal for the Philippines;

**WHEREAS**, the outstanding performance of Eala and Alcantara deserves the highest praise and commendation for bringing great honor and pride to the country, and serves as an inspiration to Filipino people most especially the young athletes;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Senate of the Philippines congratulates and commends Alexandra Maniego Eala and Francis Casey Alcantara for winning bronze in tennis mixed doubles in the 19<sup>th</sup> Asian Games.

Adopted,

**MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY** 