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Introduced by Senator Franklin M. Drilon

**RESOLUTION COMMENDING CRISTINA BUGAYONG
FOR HER EXEMPLARY HONESTY AND MORAL INTEGRITY**

WHEREAS, Cristina Bugayong, a twelve year old grade six elementary student, recovered a bag containing some P300,000.00 worth of cash and checks that fell off from a motorcycle speeding past her residence on January 4, 2006;

WHEREAS, despite her family's modest means and dire need for financial resources, Cristina never sought personal gain from her recovery of the cash and checks, and instead, lost no time to seek the immediate return thereof to the rightful owners;

WHEREAS, the exemplary honesty and moral integrity of Cristina makes her a sterling example of the Filipino's capacity for incorruptible commitment to truth, good, right and the welfare of our fellowmen;

WHEREAS, Cristina's action exemplify the noblest and finest virtues in the Filipino's moral fiber deserving of praise, emulation and commendation;

WHEREAS, Cristina's honesty and moral integrity have not only endeared her to Filipinos nationwide, but has served to awaken our people's faith in our capacity for moral uprightness;

WHEREAS, in these times when widespread cynicism prevails against the ethical moorings of many of our people, especially those vested with power in government, Cristina's example is a timely reminder of the need to rediscover and renew our collective commitment to truth, good, right and the greater welfare;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that Cristina Bugayong be commended by the Senate of the Philippines for her exemplary act of honesty and moral integrity that has brought pride and honor to the nation and is deserving of emulation by all Filipinos.

Adopted,


FRANKLIN M. DRILON
Senator