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Introduced by Senator Sergio R. Osmeña III

## RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF ANTONIO P. MADRIGAL

Whereas, Antonio Madrigal y Paterno lived a long and distinguished life as a lawyer, soldier, and industrialist;

Whereas, his life was characterized by a profound dedication to the service of his country, in peace as a publisher, banker, businessman, and benefactor of the underprivileged; and in war as a soldier and aide-de-camp to Presidents Quezon and Osmeña, participating in the liberation of his country, for which he was decorated by both the Philippine and American armed forces; and continuing as part of the War Claims Board in which he served with dedication and integrity;

Whereas, he has left valuable and tangible contributions to the Filipino people as chairman of the Sergio Osmeña foundation, board member of the Vicente Madrigal Foundation, and founding trustee of the Cultural Center of the Philippines;

Whereas, he was profoundly influential in the reconstruction of the Philippine shipping industry after World War II, contributing many firsts to the annals of the nation's maritime industry, and excelling in partnership with seaman's and officer's organizations to provide educational and health services and opportunities to our country's seafarers;

Whereas, his long and productive life was marked by an exemplary dedication to the work ethic, and firmly bore the nation's developmental needs in terms of private capital's contributions to a vibrant national economy;

Whereas, such a life and career deserves the recognition and respect of the Filipino people;

Wherefore, be it resolved, as it is hereby resolved, that the Senate of the Philippines expresses its sincere bereavement over the passing of Antonio Madrigal y Paterno, soldier, industrialist, and patriot.

Resolved.

SERGIO R. OSMEÑA II

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