Republic of the Philippines **House of Representatives Latasan Hills, Quezon City**

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 276

Introduced by REPRESENTATIVE JB BERNOS

A RESOLUTION

COMMENDING SIXTO O. BRILLANTE, JR. FOR HIS HONESTY AND INTEGRITY AFTER RETURNING FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND PESOS TO ITS RIGHTFUL OWNER AT THE NINOY AQUINO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

WHEREAS, on 10 August 2019, a cleaner from the Province of Abra working at the Ninoy Aquino International Airport made local headlines for his honesty and his resolve to not let temptation get the best of him;

WHEREAS, airport cleaner Sixto O. Brillante, Jr. who was assigned in the male comfort room near the immigration area in Terminal 1 returned a black sling bag to its rightful owner;

WHEREAS, the black sling bag contained an iPad and cash amounting to seven thousand three hundred euros (EUR 7,300.00) placed inside two (2) white envelopes, which is equivalent to four hundred thirty thousand pesos (PHP 430,000.00);

WHEREAS, Sixto O. Brillante, Jr. immediately coordinated with his shift partner to locate through the paging system the owner of the black sling bag, who turned out to be a Turkish national who, after verification procedures, claimed the item;

WHEREAS, Sixto O. Brillante, Jr., despite the difficulties of working as an airport cleaner, did not succumb to keeping the bag for himself and his family, and ultimately decided to keep his integrity intact by showing the best of our values as an

Abreño and as a Filipino;

WHEREAS, the People of the Lone District of Abra, through their elected Representative, would like to convey appreciation for his sincere action to maintain his decency as a human being by performing a valuable and noble act in returning the said item to its rightful owner;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the House of Representatives, to commend Sixto O. Brillante, Jr. for his honesty and integrity after returning four hundred thirty thousand pesos (PHP 430,000.00) to its rightful owner at the Ninoy Aquino International Airport.

Adopted,

REP. JB BERNOS Lone District, Abra