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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 479



Introduced by Honorable **Claudine Diana D. Bautista**

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING NESTHY PETECIO FOR WINNING THE GOLD MEDAL IN THE FEATHERWEIGHT DIVISION IN THE 2019 AIBA WOMEN'S WORLD BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS IN ULAN-UDE, RUSSIA.

WHEREAS, on October 13, 2019, our very own Nesty Petecio won the gold medal in the 2019 AIBA WOMEN'S World Boxing Championship Featherweight in FSK Sports Complex, Ulan-Ulan, Russia;

WHEREAS, she bagged her victory over her Russian counterpart boxer Liudmila Vorontsov through a split decision with three judges in her favor;

WHEREAS, Petecio has never won a gold medal in her career and having won a silver medal in 2011 in Jakarta, in 2013 in Myanmar and in 2015 in Singapore Southeast Asian Games, and in the bantam of the 2015 Wulanchabu Asian Amateur Boxing Championships, and a bronze medal in the bantam class of the 2012 Ulan Baatas Asian Amateur Boxing Championships;

WHEREAS, the President of the Association of Boxing Alliances in the Philippines, Ricky Vargas lauded Nesty's feat and composure during the fight and said "*not only because she fought brilliantly but also because she sacrifice so much for this*";

WHEREAS, likewise, Presidential Spokesman Salvador Panelo said in a statement, "*Our people are one in rejoicing Nesthy's triumph after winning against her Russian opponent in the latter's turf country. Indeed, it was a proud moment for Nesthy and the Philippines*";

WHEREAS, the performance of Nesthy Petecio during the world championship will be a great encouragement to our other athletes who are now preparing for the upcoming Southeast Asian Games to be held here in Manila next month: Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, To congratulate and commend Nesthy Petecio for winning the gold medal in the Featherweight Division in the 2019 Aiba Women's World Boxing championships in Ulan-Ude, Russia.

Adopted,


HON. CLAUDINE DIANA D. BAUTISTA