Republic of the Philippines HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Quezon City

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House Resolution No. _____311



Introduced by the Honorable Precious Hipolito Castelo

A RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING THE IGLESIA NI CRISTO FOR SETTING A NEW WORLD RECORD FOR THE MOST NUMBER OF PEOPLE BAPTIZED AT 18,272 FOR ITS GRAND BAPTISM HELD AT THE CIUDAD DE VICTORIA IN BOCAUE, BULACAN ON SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

WHEREAS, on September 7, 2019, the Iglesia Ni Cristo set a new world record for the most number of people baptized at 18,272 for its Grand Baptism held at the Ciudad De Victoria in Bocaue, Bulacan on September 7, 2019;

WHEREAS, in a statement, Joanne Marie Brent, Guinness adjudicator from London who announced the new record set by the Iglesia Ni Cristo, said the record to beat was only 200;

WHEREAS, Brent was quoted as saying, "Congratulations! You are officially amazing! You have set a new Guinness World Record";

WHEREAS, aside from Brent, the three other Guinness adjudicators present were Pravin Jasmaibhai from Great Britain, Solvej Mary Malou from Australia, and Sofia Eleonora Greenacre from Sweden;

WHEREAS, the auditing firm, Deloitte, assisted the Guinness adjudicators in observing and auditing the number of baptized candidates who were able to drop their bands at the designated drop boxes inside the Philippine Arena;

WHEREAS, this religious feat has brought honor and prestige to the nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives to congratulate the Iglesia Ni Cristo for setting a new world record for the most number of people baptized at 18,272 for its grand baptism held at the Ciudad De Victoria in Bocaue, Bulacan on September 7, 2019.

ADOPTED,

PRECIOUS HIPOLING CASTELO