## Republic of the Philippines **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Quezon City

First Regular Session EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS

House Resolution No.



## Introduced by the Honorable Precious Hipolito Castelo

## A RESOLUTION

CONDEMNING IN THE STRONGEST POSSIBLE TERMS THE SHOOTINGS AT TEXAS WALMART STORE AND NEAR A BAR IN DAYTON, OHIO, USA, ON AUGUST 3 AND 4, RESPECTIVELY, WHICH KILLED TWENTY-NINE PEOPLE AND WOUNDING SIXTEEN OTHERS AND CONDOLING WITH THE FAMILIES OF THE VICTIMS

WHEREAS, on August 3, 2019, a gunman armed with an assault rifle killed twenty people when he opened fire on shoppers at a packed Walmart store in Texas, and on the next day, another shooter opened fire near a bar in Dayton, Ohio with a long gun with multiple rounds, killing nine people and wounding sixteen others;

WHEREAS, in an apparent display of callous barbarism and wanton disregard for civilian lives, the gunmen opened fire instantly snuffing the lives out of innocent people;

WHEREAS, such reprehensible and savagely cruel acts have no place in the civil society;

WHEREAS, the Philippines is one with the international peace-loving community in denouncing in the strongest terms possible these dastardly and barbaric acts and in commiserating with the victims' families;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives to condemn in the strongest possible terms the shootings at Texas Walmart store and near a bar in Dayton, Ohio, USA, on August 3 and 4, respectively, which killed twenty-nine people and wounding sixteen others and condoling with the families of the victims.

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