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## RESOLUTION NO. 7

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND CONDOLENCES
OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO
THE BEREAVED FAMILY OF MRS. MIGDONIA
ARREZA PICHAY, MOTHER OF DEPUTY
SPEAKER PROSPERO A. PICHAY, JR.,
REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FIRST DISTRICT OF
SURIGAO DEL SUR

WHEREAS, Mrs. Migdonia Arreza Pichay passed away on August 25, 2019;

WHEREAS, Mama Meding, as she was lovingly called by her family and friends, was born on December 23, 1921 and lived until the ripe age of ninety-seven (97);

WHEREAS, she was a nurturing and selfless mother to her eight (8) children, and imbued in them the abilities to become competent, God-fearing and accomplished individuals; WHEREAS, Mama Meding served as the Schools Division Superintendent of Surigao del Sur from 1983 to 1987, and was recognized as the only Superintendent in Region XI who instilled the value of proper hygiene by putting up a toilet in every classroom, installed water facilities, and cultivated herbal gardens in every school; promoted music and the arts in all central schools, and organized bottle symphony, rondalla and choral groups;

WHEREAS, the demise of Mama Meding leaves a memory of a life spent in integrity, kindness and resilience which shall forever inspire her beloved family and friends: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, To express its profound condolences to the bereaved family of Mrs. Migdonia Arreza Pichay, mother of Deputy Speaker Prospero A. Pichay, Jr., Representative of the First District of Surigao del Sur.

Resolved, further, That a copy of this Resolution be given to the family of the deceased.

Adopted,

ALAN PETER "COMPAÑERO" S. CAYETANO Speaker

This Resolution was adopted by the House of Representatives on September 4, 2019.

JOSE LUIS G. MONTALES Secretary General