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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 298

Introduced by Rep. Sonny L. Lagon, *Party List*, AKO BISAYA

A RESOLUTION

COMMENDING MAYOR FRANCISCO "ISKO MORENO" DOMAGOSO FOR HIS DYNAMIC LEADERSHIP AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MANILA WHOSE DECISIVE PROGRAMS AND ACTIONS IN HIS FIRST FEW WEEKS IN OFFICE RAISED THE BAR IN LOCAL GOVERNANCE ESPECIALLY IN METRO MANILA

WHEREAS, barely days into his first term as Mayor of the City of Manila, Mayor Francisco "Isko Moreno" Domagoso immediately embarked on meaningful programs never before seen in terms of intensity and effectiveness to improve the plight of his constituents and affirm the status of Manila as a premier city in the country;

WHEREAS, Mayor Domagoso immediately embarked on an aggressive campaign against illegal drugs and criminality in the City that has now become a model for other local government units in the country;

WHEREAS, Mayor Domogoso displayed extraordinary political will in launching clearing operations that restored law and order in Divisoria and Quiapo and other commercial districts whose streets were occupied by vendors and traders for the longest time causing perennial traffic congestion in said areas and nearby streets;

WHEREAS, the Mayor's stern implementation of the law has caused ripple effects on the local government units comprising the National Capital Region and instigated significant improvements in the Metropolis;

WHEREAS, the Mayor's no-nonsense leadership has set the bar higher for local government units in the country and encourages them to exert their best efforts;

WHEREAS, Mayor Domagoso's strict implementation of the law has earned him threats to his life after he turned down bribe offers for him to maintain the status quo, but he remains undeterred despite said threats;

WHEREAS, the Mayor, a son of poor migrants from Samar and Antique, rose undeterred from his humble beginnings, difficult circumstances and harsh environment during his childhood to improve himself, attain success in the movies and later as a public servant and rose to become the youngest Mayor of the country's capital city;


WHEREAS, Mayor Domagoso, for all his feats and accomplishments, have demonstrated extraordinary character worthy of emulation by the youth and the elected leaders of the country while giving honor and pride to the Visayan people, in particular, and the Filipino people, in general.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the House of Representatives, to express its commendation to Mayor Francisco "Isko Moreno" Domagoso for displaying an extraordinary brand of leadership and political will in only his first few weeks in office as the Local Chief Executive of the City of Manila which have undeniably set a higher example for local government units in the effective maintenance of law and order in Metro Manila and other cities in the country which are indispensable in creating an atmosphere conducive to business and economic development;

RESOLVED, that a Congressional Commendation be extended to Mayor Domagoso.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that Mayor Domagoso be furnished a copy of this Resolution.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that this Resolution be published in the Official Gazette of the Republic of the Philippines and be made part of the official records of the House of Representatives.


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