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House Resolution No. 438



Introduced by Congressman LORD ALLAN JAY Q. VELASCO

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

WHEREAS, on 13 October 2019, Nesthy Petecio bagged a split decision victory over her Russian counterpart Liudmila Vorontsova in the final of the 2019 Aiba Women's World Boxing Championships at FSK Sports Complex at Ulan-Ude, Russia;

WHEREAS, her magnificent feat secured her a gold medal finish in the featherweight division of the world tournament;

WHEREAS, Petecio, who hurdled England's Karris Artingstall in the semifinals, outclassed her Russian rival in the women's featherweight class despite the latter's hometown advantage;

WHEREAS, Nesthy Petecio, who is a 3-time Southeast Asian Games silver medalist, had to go through 5 opponents before facing off against Vorontsova in the final;

WHEREAS, before Petecio, Josie Gabuco bagged the previous world championship gold for the Philippines back in 2012;

WHEREAS, Nesthy Petecio's performance in the world championship lights an even greater fire in the hearts of all Filipino women athletes who are preparing for and will compete in the Southeast Asian Games that will take place here in Manila next month;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives, to recognize and commend and extend its warmest congratulations to Nesthy Petecio for winning the gold medal in the 2019 Aiba Women's World Boxing Championships and for soaring to greater heights for the entire Filipino nation.

Adopted,


LORD ALLAN JAY Q. VELASCO