Republic of the Philippines HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Ouezon City, Metro Manila

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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO.



Introduced by Honorable Claudine Diana D. Bautista

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE ATHLETES FOR THEIR EXCELLENT PERFORMANCE DURING THE 30th SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES HELD IN DIFFERENT VENUES IN THE COUNTRY.

WHEREAS, the 30th South East Asian Games formally opened at the Philippine arena last November 30, 2019 wherein the spectators were treated to an inspirational and patriotic opening ceremony featuring some of the best Filipino talents showcasing the rich Filipino culture;

WHEREAS, about 9,000 athletes and officials from 11 nations in the region participated in the 530 events in 56 sports, aside from the 9,000 volunteers;

WHEREAS, our athletes showed an exemplary execution in almost all fields of sports they have trained beyond expectations, in spite of limited financial resources, a serious lack of extensive training and preparation for world class competitions;

WHEREAS, the *par excellence* performance of our finest athletes came from their united efforts to prove to themselves worthy not only for their own glory, but because they are representing their country, the Philippines;

WHEREAS, our Filipino athletes have surpassed the Philippines' 2005 records in so far as the medals they have attained in these SEA Games, showing that with the right motivation, training and support from Government, our athletes can show the world that we are equal to the task, and win, in the spirit of friendly competition, fair play and sportsmanship;

WHEREAS, the 30th Southeast Asian Games ended with the Philippine team having been declared as the over-all champion having garnered a total of 149 gold medals, 117 silver medals and 121 bronze medals or a grand total 387 of medals;

WHEREAS, the achievement of our athletes will surely inspire the Filipino people and instill in the minds of our future athletes as well as our youths to pursue and aspire to be in front of whatever they do in order to achieve their goals in life: *Now, therefore, be it*

RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, To congratulate and commend the Philippine athletes for their excellent performance during the 30th South East Asian Games.

Adopted,

HON. CLAUDINE DIANA D. BAUTISTA