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RESOLUTION No. 128

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION OF THE SENATE TO THE HONORABLE RAMON "BONG" REVILLA JR. FOR HIS INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SENATE AND THE NATION DURING HIS TERMS AS SENATOR

WHEREAS, the Honorable Ramon "Bong" Revilla Jr. served as senator for two (2) consecutive terms of office (2004-2010 and 2010-2016);

WHEREAS, during his terms as senator, he chaired the Committees on Public Services; Public Works; Public Information and Mass Media; and the Congressional Oversight Committee on Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines;

WHEREAS, he was instrumental in the passage of the Motorcycle Helmet Act; the Expanded Senior Citizens' Act; the Agri-Agra Reform Credit Act; the Philippine Respiratory Therapy Act; the Legitimization of Children Born to Minor Parents Act; the Anti-Child Pornography Act; the Anti-Photo and Video Voyeurism Act; the Minimum Wage Earner Tax Exemption Act; the Renewable Energy Act; the Redistricting of the Cavite Province; the Cybercrime Prevention Act; and the GOCC Governance Act:

WHEREAS, a movie icon and staunch supporter of the local movie industry, he introduced several proposed measures which sought to revitalize the film industry, such as the Philippine Independent Film Incentives Act and the Act Reviving the Philippine Movie Industry;

WHEREAS, in his sincere desire to help his countrymen, particularly those in the poverty-stricken areas, he launched the "Kalusugan Ating Pangalagaan", a medical assistance program, the "Karunungan Ating Palaguin", an educational program, and the "Kaagapay sa Araw ng Pangangailangan", a relief operation program;

WHEREAS, his significant contributions to the Senate during the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th Congresses have been instrumental to the Chamber's remarkable accomplishments: Now, therfore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, To express, as it hereby expresses, its gratitude and appreciation to the Honorable Ramon "Bong" Revilla Jr. for his invaluable contributions to the Senate and the nation during his terms as senator.

Adopted,

FRANKLIN M. DRILON

President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on June 6, 2016.

OSCAR G. YABES Secretary of the Senate