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RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE ALAS PILIPINAS WOMEN'S
VOLLEYBALL TEAM FOR WINNING THE HISTORIC BRONZE MEDAL AT THE
2024 ASIAN VOLLEYBALL CONFEDERATION CHALLENGE CUP

WHEREAS, the Senate honors and commends the phenomenal achievements of our Filipino athletes who showed unwavering grit and excellence to bring home glory, honor, and pride to our country;

WHEREAS, the Alas Pilipinas Women's Volleyball Team composed of Jia Morado-de Guzman, Cherry Nunag, Dell Palomata, Dawn Macandili-Catindig, Eya Laure, Faith Nisperos, Fifi Sharma, Jennifer Nierva, Sisi Rondina and Vanessa Gandler, and collegiate players Angel Canino, Julia Coronel and Thea Gagate of De La Salle, National University's Aly Solomon and Bella Belen and Casiey Dongallo (University of the East) achieved a historic milestone by clinching the bronze medal at the 2024 Asian Volleyball Confederation Challenge Cup (AVCC), marking the first-ever podium finish for the Philippines at the continental level;

WHEREAS, the Philippine National Women's Volleyball Team, managed by professionals from the Premier Volleyball League, displayed exceptional skill and determination, culminating in a dominant performance against Australia's Volleyroos with a sweep of 25-23, 25-15, 25-7 in the battle for third place on May 29, 2024, at the Rizal Memorial Coliseum in Manila;

WHEREAS, the team's journey to the podium was marked by an undefeated run leading to their first-ever appearance in the semifinals and securing a historic bronze medal finish;

WHEREAS, head coach Jorge Souza de Brito expressed his profound gratitude and pride in the team's performance, highlighting the athletes' dedication and resilience that led to their historic achievement;

WHEREAS, team captain Jia De Guzman earned the Best Setter citation for her exceptional playmaking skills, and Angel Canino was awarded the Best Opposite Spiker at the 2024 AVC Women's Challenge Cup;

WHEREAS, this historic bronze medal not only represents a significant milestone in Philippine women's volleyball but also sets a promising future for the team;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, to congratulate and commend the Alas Pilipinas Women's Volleyball Team for their exceptional performance and historic achievement in winning the bronze medal at the 2024 Asian Volleyball Confederation Challenge Cup, and to recognize their outstanding contributions to Philippine sports.

Adopted,


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Senator 