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RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE DELEGATION TO
THE 2024 SUMMER OLYMPICS IN PARIS, FRANCE

1 **WHEREAS**, the Olympic Games, considered as the premier and most
2 prestigious international sporting event, officially concluded its 16-day run on 11
3 August 2024, where the twenty-two (22)-strong Philippine delegation displayed
4 exemplary performance on a world stage and reignited the flame of Filipino pride;

5 **WHEREAS**, the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad in Paris, France marked the
6 country's 100th year in the competition and recorded its best performance to date,
7 since the first Filipino Olympian waved the Philippine flag in 1924 Olympics, poetically
8 in the same host country.

9 **WHEREAS**, participating in nine (9) major sports, the list of praiseworthy
10 athletes which heralded the Filipino spirit include:

11 Carlos Edriel Yulo (Artistic Gymnastics), who clinched two (2) gold medals in
12 Floor Exercise and Vault;

13 Nesthy Petecion (Boxing), who secured a bronze medal in Women's
14 Featherweight event;

15 Aira Villegas (Boxing), who took home a bronze medal in Women's Light
16 Flyweight event;

17 Ernest John Obiena (Athletics), who placed 4th overall in pole vaulting;

18 Bianca Isabel Pagdanganan (Golf), who ranked 4th overall in golf women's
19 individual;

20 Aleah Finnegan (Artistic Gymnastics);

21 Levi Ruivivar (Artistic Gymnastics);

22 Emma Malabuyo (Artistic Gymnastics);

23 John Cabang (Athletics);

1 Lauren Hoffman (Athletics);
2 Eumir Felix Marcial (Boxing);
3 Carlo Paalam (Boxing);
4 Hergie Bacyadan (Boxing);
5 Samantha Kyle Catantan (Fencing);
6 Dottie Ardina (Golf);
7 Kiyomi Watanabe (Judo);
8 Joanie Delgado (Rowing);
9 Jarod Hatch (Swimming);
10 Kayla Sanchez (Swimming);
11 Vanessa Sarno (Weightlifting);
12 John Febuar Ceniza (Weightlifting); and
13 Elreen Ann Ando (Weightlifting);

14 **WHEREAS**, with two (2) gold from Carlos Yulo and two (2) bronze medals
15 from Nesthy Petecio and Aira Villegas respectively, the Philippines, tied with
16 Hongkong, ranked 37th among 184 participating countries worldwide, 9th among Asian
17 contenders and 1st among the Southeast Asia representatives;

18 **WHEREAS**, shepherded by the men and women of the Philippine Olympic
19 Committee and the National Sports Associations, together with the dedicated coaches,
20 trainers and sponsors, the Olympics Team to the 2024 Paris Olympics ushered a
21 golden era in Philippine sports history and inspired a unifying force through the whole
22 nation, who fervently watched, cheered and supported the athletes in every event and
23 in every manner they can;

24 **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate,
25 to congratulate and commend the twenty-two (22) Filipino delegates, who brought
26 honor, recognition and pride to the country during the 2024 Summer Olympics in Paris,
27 France, worthy of all the praise, respect and emulation.

Adopted,



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