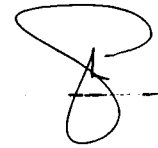


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RESOLUTION
CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE DELEGATION TO
THE 2024 SUMMER PARALYMPIC IN PARIS, FRANCE

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has, on numerous occasions, recognized and honored outstanding Filipino athletes who have brought pride and glory to the nation through their remarkable achievements in international sports competition;

WHEREAS, the Paralympic Games began in 1948 at Stoke Mandeville Hospital in England, originally organized for war veterans. The main purpose of the Paralympic Games was to aid in the rehabilitation of World War II veterans. Dr. Ludwig Guttmann organized the first sporting event for the veterans. Today, the Paralympics are not only a means of rehabilitation but also a celebration of inclusivity and unity;

WHEREAS, the 2024 Summer Paralympic Games held in Paris, France, from 28 August to 8 September 2024, bringing together 4,400 athletes from around the world;

WHEREAS, the Philippines, successfully qualified and sent six exceptional Paralympians to the 2024 Summer Paralympics in Paris, France composed of the following:

1. Cendy Asusano - Para Javelin throw,
2. Angel Otom - Para Swimming
3. Ernie Gawilan - Para Swimming
4. Jerrold Mangliwan - Para Wheelchair Race
5. Allain Ganapin - Para Taekwondo

6. Agustina Bantilo – Para Archery;

WHEREAS, the outstanding achievements of the Philippine Paralympic delegation are a testament to their relentless commitment to their craft, as well as the support provided by their coaches, families, support staff, and the Philippine Paralympic Committee;

WHEREAS, the entire nation recognizes and celebrates the exemplary performance and accomplishments of the Philippine Paralympic athletes in the 2024 Paralympic Games as they continue to elevate the country's standing in international sports;

WHEREAS, the Philippine delegation's participation in the 2024 Summer Paralympics serves as an inspiration to millions of Filipinos, highlighting the importance of inclusivity in sports and potential of people with disabilities to show that they can succeed in their chosen profession and passion;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate of the Philippines to congratulate and commend the Philippine Delegation to the 2024 Summer Paralympic held in Paris, France and for bringing pride, honor and glory to the country.

Adopted,


MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID
Senator 