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Introduced by Sen. Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid

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**RESOLUTION**

**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO STUDENTS  
FRANCESCA ANNE INACAY, KRISTIYANNE PAUL DE PEDRO AND  
MARIA ANGELA KRIZELLE RUBIN FOR BEING THE CHAMPIONS IN THE  
5<sup>TH</sup> ASEAN REGIONAL QUIZ HELD IN PHNOM PENH, CAMBODIA LAST  
AUGUST 3, 2012**

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has in several occasions paid tribute to commendable Filipino students for their exceptional achievements in bringing home pride and honor to the country by becoming champions in international competitions;

WHEREAS, the team of Filipino students composed of fourth year high school students from different schools and regions in the country, namely: Francesca Anne Inacay of St. Albert the Great School in Dagupan City, Kristiyanne Paul de Pedro of Koronadal National Comprehensive High School, and Maria Angela Krizelle Rubin of San Joaquin National High School in Calbayog made the country proud when they were hailed champions in the 5<sup>th</sup> ASEAN regional quiz held in Phnom Penh, Cambodia last August 3, 2012;

WHEREAS, the Philippine team garnered a total score of 71 points edging host nation Cambodia which had 70 points and bested 27 other contestants from 8 ASEAN states: Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam;

WHEREAS, in the first round, the Philippine Team got a perfect score of 20 points; in the second round, the team got 19 out of 20 points while in the third round, the team earned 32 out of 40 points;

WHEREAS, the excellent performances displayed by our Filipino students in the recent 5<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Regional Quiz has renewed our determination to further improve our educational system and compete in more international competitions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Senate express its sincere congratulations Filipino students Francesca Anne Inacay, Kristiyanne Paul De Pedro, and Maria Angela Krizelle Rubin for being the champions in the 5<sup>th</sup> ASEAN regional quiz held in Phnom Penh, Cambodia last August 3, 2012.

*Adopted,*

  
**MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID**  
Senator