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Introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes IV

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE COUNTRY'S OUTSTANDING POLICE OFFICERS IN SERVICE (C.O.P.S.) OF 2013, AWARDED BY THE METROBANK FOUNDATION, INC., THE ROTARY CLUB OF NEW MANILA EAST, AND THE PSBANK

WHEREAS, the Search for the Country's Outstanding Police Officers in Service (COPS) is an annual recognition program jointly undertaken by the Metrobank Foundation, Inc., Rotary Club of New Manila East, and PSBank, which aims to honor models of professionalism, competence, dedication and integrity among the one hundred forty eight thousand members of the Philippine National Police;

WHEREAS, the Search is an expression of the civilian sector's appreciation and gratitude to the effort of the Philippine National Police (PNP) in maintaining the peace and order situation in the country;

WHEREAS, COPS serves as the social contract of the Metrobank Foundation, Rotary Club of New Manila East and PSBank to the police force that will advance the welfare of the PNP and contribute in the realization of the Integrated Transformation Program of making the institution a highly capable, effective and credible police service working in partnership with a responsive community;

WHEREAS, the Search seeks to honor the gallant men and women in the police force for their consistent outstanding contributions in preventing and solving crime through community work and mobilization;

WHEREAS, the Search emphasizes the need to situate the punitive aspect of law enforcement with the task of community relations, and promotes police work as a shared responsibility between the Police Officers and the community;

WHEREAS, the competition awards a maximum of ten (10) winners who shall be chosen from among all the Police Commissioned Officers with a rank of Police Inspector to Police Superintendent and Police Non Commissioned Officers with a rank of Police Officer 1 to Senior Police Officer 4;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate proudly joins the Metrobank Foundation, Inc., Rotary Club of New Manila East, and PSBank in congratulating and commending the Police Officers who have actively solicited, mobilized, involved and organized the community to become fellow vanguards of the community through the 2013 Metrobank Foundation Search for the Country's Outstanding Police Officers in Service;

WHEREAS, the Roll of Honor for this year's winners of COPS consists of four (4) Police Commissioned Officers and six (6) Non-Commissioned Officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Philippine Senate to congratulate and commend the Country's Outstanding Police Officers in Service of 2013 awarded by the Metrobank Foundation, Inc., Rotary Club of New Manila East, and PSBank, namely:

From the Police Commissioned Officers Category:

- 1. Police Superintendent EDGAR ALAN OMAS OKUBO;
- 2. Police Chief Inspector CARLO MAGNO MERCADO MANUEL;
- 3. Police Senior Inspector ARLAN LIM DELUMPINES; and
- 4. Police Inspector MARGIENETT TERANO YOSORES.

From the Police Non Commissioned Officers Category:

- 5. Senior Police Officer 1 EDGARDO ABASTAR FIGURACION II;
- 6. Senior Police Officer 1 RAQUEL RAMOS ANIWASAL;
- 7. Senior Police Officer 4 TEOFILO SIAO JUANATA, JR.;
- 8. Senior Police Officer 2 OSCAR MORALES ANGELES, JR.;
- 9. Senior Police Officer 2 RODITO TORREVILLAS VIOVICENTE; and
- 10. Senior Police Officer 1 EDUARDO DE GUZMAN COVARRUBIAS.

Adopted,

ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV

Senator