




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RESOLUTION
RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING ACCLAIMED
FILIPINO INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR LAVRENTE I. DIAZ FOR
BRINGING GLORY AND HONOR TO THE PHILIPPINES BY
RECEIVING THE GOLDEN LION AWARD IN THE 73RD VENICE
FILM FESTIVAL FOR HIS MOVIE "ANG BABAENG HUMAYO
(THE WOMAN WHO LEFT)"

WHEREAS, on the 9th of September 2016, the movie Ang Babaeng Humayo (The Woman Who Left) received the Golden Lion Award during the 73rd Venice Film Festival in Venice Lido.

WHEREAS, the movie tackles the absurdity of human existence and revolves around the story of a wrongly convicted schoolteacher who plots revenge against the ex-boyfriend who framed her by disguising herself in a bid to get close to her quarry;

WHEREAS, receiving the Golden Lion award is the highest honor given to any film during the Venice Film Festival;

WHEREAS, the movie Ang Babaeng Humayo (The Woman Who Left) by Lavrente I. Diaz displayed brilliance and excellence in the field of film and received the highest form of acknowledgement from one of the most respectable film festivals in the world;

WHEREAS, the success of Ang Babaeng Humayo (The Woman Who Left) by Lavrente I. Diaz is another living proof of the world-class talent, skill and passion of the Filipino, which brings inspiration to aspiring independent directors to produce films that will elevate the caliber of films produced here in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, recognizing the achievements of Ang Babaeng Humayo is in order in accordance with the Constitution's recognition of the importance of

arts and culture in fostering patriotism and nationalism, accelerating social progress, and in promoting total human liberation and development;

RESOLVE BY THE SENATE, that the Senate of the Philippines recognizes and commends the success of the Lavrente I. Diaz's Ang Babaeng Humayo (The Woman Who Left) during the Venice Film Festival, and extends its warmest gratitude for bringing pride to all aspiring Filipino independent film makers and all Filipino citizens.

Adopted,


SENATOR JOEL VILLANUEVA