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RESOLUTION
HONORING AND COMMENDING THE OUTSTANDING WOMEN IN THE
NATION'S SERVICE (TOWNS) 2016 AWARDEES

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has in numerous occasions recognized and paid tribute to outstanding Filipino women of remarkable competence and dedication whose efforts have contributed to the Philippine society;

WHEREAS, The Outstanding Women in the Nation's Service (TOWNS) award is given to Filipino women who have made a positive impact on national development and excelled in different fields of service from government, social work, medicine and education to law, business, performing arts and journalism. It is given every three years following a year-long nationwide search;

WHEREAS, in 2016, eight exceptional women will receive the prestigious TOWNS award to be presented by TOWNS Foundation, Inc. and Banco De Oro, namely:

1. Cherrie De Erit Atilano
Social Development
2. Hidilyn Francisco Diaz
Sports
3. Patricia Chanco Evangelista
Media
4. Luisa Mercedes Paez Lorenzo
Arts
5. Marissa Arlene Andres-Martinez
Government Service
6. Aissa Alvarez Mijeno
Social Enterprise

7. Lou Sabrina Saavedra Ongkiko
Education
8. Jocelle Batapa-Sigue
Information and Communications Technology;

WHEREAS, the Senate commends and applauds the eight TOWNS awardees for their commitment to serve the country and make positive impact on our nation's development;

BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Senate of the Philippines, to honor and commend The Outstanding Women in the Nation's Service 2016 awardees.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be given to the above-named awardees.

Adopted,



MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY