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Introduced by Senator Juan Miguel F. Zubiri

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING HIDILYN DIAZ FOR DELIVERING THE COUNTRY'S FIRST GOLD MEDAL IN THE 2018 ASIAN GAMES AFTER EMERGING VICTORIOUS IN THE WOMEN'S 53-KG WEIGHTLIFTING EVENT AT THE JAKARTA INTERNATIONAL EXPO IN JAKARTA, INDONESIA ON 21 AUGUST 2018

WHEREAS, Rio Olympics silver medalist, Hidilyn Diaz once again brought honor to the country after emerging victorious in the women's 53-kg weightlifting event at the Jakarta International Expo in Jakarta, Indonesia on 21 August 2018 delivering the country's first gold medal in said sporting meet;

WHEREAS, Hidilyn Diaz reigned supreme in her category after lifting 92 kg in the snatch and 115 kg in the clean and jerk, totaling 207 kg beating Turkmenistan's Kristina Shermetova, who settled for silver;

WHEREAS, with this victory, the Zamboanga native made history as the first Filipino weightlifter to win gold in the Asian Games and has once again shown to the world the unrelenting spirit of Filipino excellence;

WHEREAS, by delivering the country's first gold medal in the 2018 Asian Games, Hidilyn Diaz deserves to be recognized and commended for bringing honor, pride and inspiration to the Filipino people;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend Hidilyn Diaz for delivering the country's first gold medal in the 2018 Asian Games after emerging victorious in the women's 53-kg weightlifting event at the Jakarta International Expo in Jakarta, Indonesia on 21 August 2018.

Adopted,



JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI