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RESOLUTION

**EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES OF THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES
ON THE DEATH OF A FILIPINO MUSIC ICON, DANIEL "DANNY" MORALES
JAVIER**

1 **WHEREAS**, Daniel "Danny" Morales Javier, a renowned Filipino musician,
2 succumbed to death on the 31st of October 2022 at the age of 75;

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4 **WHEREAS**, Danny Javier, as he is popularly known, is born in Abuyog, Leyte, and
5 was in fact the one who coined "Original Pilipino Music" or OPM to stand for the
6 organization made to protect the interest of Filipino singers and songwriters and their
7 music;

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9 **WHEREAS**, Danny Javier is known as part of the singing group APO Hiking Society
10 with Boboy Garovillo and Jim Paredes, which made its mark in the local music scene in
11 the late 70s until the late 90s;

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13 **WHEREAS**, Danny Javier is a prolific composer creating music relevant to the
14 tunes of his time. Among his popular compositions which has transcended generations
15 are Pumapatak ang Ulan (1978), Kaibigan (1978), Doo bidoo (1978), Kabilugan ng Buwan

1 (1980), Blue Jeans (1981), Di Na Natuto (1985), Kumot At Unan (1991), Awit ng Barkada
2 (1991), Just A Smile Away (1992), Lumang Tugtugin (1992) and Isang Dangkal (1999);
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4 **WHEREAS**, Danny Javier, along with the other members of the APO Hiking
5 Society, are credited as pillars of OPM with enduring hits that would later become pop
6 culture favorites and hit musicals;
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8 **WHEREAS**, the whole nation mourns the loss of one of its OPM legends whose
9 mark in history has brought pride to the country. Danny Javier is a par excellence
10 musician – who has excellently shown his great passion in his compositions and has
11 inspired a generation of fellow singers and composers;
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13 **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate,
14 to express sincere condolences of the Senate of the Philippines on the death of a Filipino
15 Music Icon, Daniel "Danny" Morales Javier.
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17 **RESOLVED, FURTHER**, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the
18 bereaved family of the late Danny Javier

Adopted,


RAMON BONG REVILLA, JR.