

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
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Resolution No. 102

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE ALAN PETER S. CAYETANO

A RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENATOR EMMANUEL "MANNY" PACQUIAO FOR SUCCESSFULLY GAINING THE WORLD BOXING ASSOCIATION (WBA) WELTERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE, TRIUMPHING OVER KEITH "ONE TIME" THURMAN ON JULY 21, 2019 AT THE MGM GRAND GARDEN ARENA IN LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

WHEREAS, on July 21, 2019 at the MGM Grand Garden Arena in Las Vegas, Nevada, Senator Emmanuel "Manny" Pacquiao once again proved his boxing prowess by successfully gaining the World Boxing Association (WBA) Championship title, triumphing over Keith "One Time" Thurman by a split decision;

WHEREAS, at forty years old, Sen. Pacquiao showed his faith and heart which manifested through his speed, power, and endurance over his opponent who is ten years his junior, throwing an average of 57 punches per round versus Thurman's 48;

WHEREAS, Sen. Pacquiao's success has always been an inevitable source of national pride and honor not only for Filipinos in the country but also for our countrymen in different parts of the world;

WHEREAS, sports has proven to unite people wherever they may be, bringing everyone together and sharing a common goal and a common aspiration;

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives joins the Filipino community and fans around the globe in congratulating and commending our "*Pambasang Kamao*" in his win and being an embodiment of a fighter who forges his path to victory and beating all odds along the way through hardwork, resilience, and determination;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the House of Representatives congratulate and commend Senator Emmanuel "Manny" Pacquiao for successfully gaining the World Boxing Association (WBA) Welterweight Championship title, triumphing over Keith "One Time" Thurman on July 21, 2019 at the MGM Grand Garden Arena in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Adopted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Alan Peter S. Cayetano".

ALAN PETER S. CAYETANO