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House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_



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Introduced by the Honorable Precious Hipolito Castelo

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**A RESOLUTION**  
**COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE FILIPINO ATHLETES AND THE**  
**PHILIPPINE SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (PHISGOC)**  
**FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE 2019 SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES**

WHEREAS, the 2019 Southeast Asian Games (SEA Games) was the 30<sup>th</sup> edition of the SEA Games, a biennial regional multi-sport participated by members of the Southeast Asian Games Federation, namely, Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, East Timor and Vietnam;

WHEREAS, the Philippines was designated as the host of the 2019 SEA Games, which is notable for being the biggest SEA Games in the history of the games, with a total of fifty-six (56) sports held from November 24 to December 11, 2019;

WHEREAS, the Philippines emerged in the medal tally as the overall champion for the first time in fourteen (14) years, having 149 gold medals, 117 silver medals, and 121 bronze medals, for a total of 387 medals;

WHEREAS, it is only apt to give the Filipino SEA Games participant-athletes the highest praise for bringing great honor and prestige to the country, and for being sources of inspiration and encouragement among Filipinos;

WHEREAS, the success of the 2019 SEA Games would not also be possible without the leadership of PHISGOC, headed by its Chairman, Rep. Alan Peter Cayetano;

WHEREAS, opening ceremony of the 2019 SEA Games which was held in the Philippine Arena in Bocaue Bulacan, was also lauded for being a world-class inaugural event, showcasing the beauty of the Philippine culture and honoring all the participant athletes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives to congratulate the Filipino participant athletes in the SEA Games as well as the PHISGOC for the success of the 2019 SEA Games.

ADOPTED,

  
PRECIOUS HIPOLITO CASTELO  
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