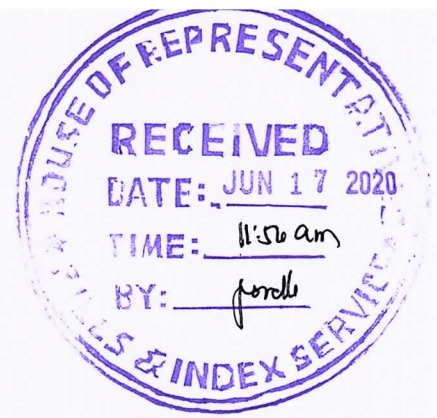


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**RESOLUTION**

**EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND CONDOLENCES AND DEEPEST SYMPATHIES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILY OF FORMER TARLAC GOVERNOR, CONGRESSMAN, AND AMBASSADOR EDUARDO “DANDING” MURPHY COJUANGCO, JR., CHAIRMAN EMERITUS OF THE NATIONALIST PEOPLE’S COALITION PARTY, ONE OF THE ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINE BUSINESS LANDSCAPE, SPORTSMAN, VISIONARY AND A TRUE LEADER AND STATESMAN**

*WHEREAS*, Former Tarlac Governor, Congressman, and Ambassador Eduardo “Danding” Murphy Cojuangco, Jr., stands out as one of the greatest persons our country has ever had;

*WHEREAS*, the number, magnitude and historical significance that he had done for our country characterize his selfless love for the Philippines and a glaring display of his total commitment to the people’s welfare;

*WHEREAS*, by placing the people’s interests above his personal ambitions, he became one of the architects of the Philippine business landscape;

*WHEREAS*, Former Tarlac Governor, Congressman, and Ambassador Eduardo “Danding” Murphy Cojuangco, Jr., was the perfect, incorruptible gentleman, untouched by lust for wealth and power;

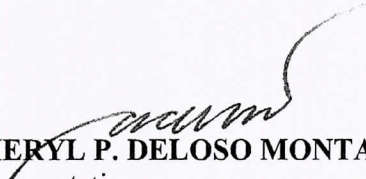
*WHEREAS*, his visionary approach to dealing with problems led him to the founding of the Nationalist People’s Coalition Party, one of the major players in the political arena of the country today;

*WHEREAS*, in the field of sports, he is best remembered as the designated godfather of Philippine basketball;

*WHEREAS*, no amount of consolation can appease the grieving heart of a nation who lost one of its gems, Former Tarlac Governor, Congressman, and Ambassador Eduardo “Danding” Murphy Cojuangco, Jr., but the House of Representatives is one with his family and the nation in praying for the eternal repose of his soul;

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED* by the House of Representatives to express, as it is hereby expressed, its profound condolences and deepest sympathies to the bereaved family of Former Tarlac Governor, Congressman, and Ambassador Eduardo “Danding” Murphy Cojuangco, Jr., Chairman Emeritus of the Nationalist People’s Coalition Party, one of the architects of the Philippine business landscape, sportsman, visionary and a true leader and statesman.

**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, to furnish a copy of this resolution the bereaved family of Former Tarlac Governor, Congressman, and Ambassador Eduardo “Danding” Murphy Cojuangco, Jr., for their information.



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