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RESOLUTION NO. 86

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING GYMNASTS REYLAND YUSON CAPELLAN AND KAITLIN CERA LIANNE DE GUZMAN FOR WINNING GOLD MEDALS IN ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS IN THE 29TH SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES (SEA GAMES) HELD IN KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA ON AUGUST 19 TO 30, 2017, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE COACHES AND THE OFFICIALS OF THE GYMNASTICS ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES (GAP) FOR THEIR ABLE MENTORSHIP AND SUPPORT

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives has paid tribute to outstanding Filipino athletes for their exceptional performance in sports and for bringing pride, glory and honor to the country by winning in their respective sporting events;

WHEREAS, the fourth and fifth gold medals of the Philippines in the 29th Southeast Asian Games (SEA Games) held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on August 19 to 30, 2017 were secured by two (2) gymnasts from the Gymnastics Association of the Philippines;

WHEREAS, Reyland Yuson Capellan won the gold medal in the men's artistic floor exercise with a score of 13.950, defeating Malaysia and Thailand who garnered the silver and bronze medals, respectively, in the finals;

WHEREAS, Capellan successfully won the SEA Games gold medal in the men's artistic floor exercise for the second consecutive year;

WHEREAS, Kaitlin Cera Lianne de Guzman also won the gold medal for the women's uneven bar in artistic gymnastics with a score of 12.875 in her debut performance, besting Malaysia for silver and Indonesia for bronze;

WHEREAS, de Guzman, who is based in the United States of America, successfully replicated the achievement of her mother, Cintamoni dela Cruz, who won the gold medal in the 1995 Southeast Asian Games in Jakarta;

WHEREAS, both Capellan and de Guzman displayed powerful and commanding presence in the field of sports while boasting their superior mastery of gymnastics artistry and skills;

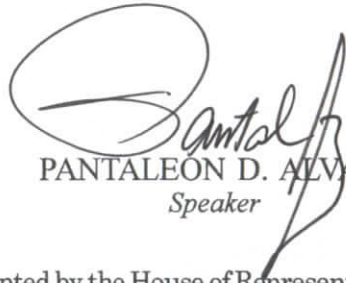
WHEREAS, their achievements are indeed the fruit of hard work and dedication and have elevated the country's status in the sport of Gymnastics;

WHEREAS, the passion and commitment of Filipino athletes to excellence, and their outstanding performances deserve to be commended for the pride and honor that they have brought to the Philippines: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, To congratulate and commend gymnasts Reyland Yuson Capellan and Kaitlin Cera Lianne de Guzman for winning gold medals in artistic gymnastics in the 29th Southeast Asian Games (SEA Games) held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on August 19 to 30, 2017, and their respective coaches and the officials of the Gymnastics Association of the Philippines (GAP) for their able mentorship and support.

Resolved, further, That Reyland Yuson Capellan and Kaitlin Cera Lianne de Guzman, their respective coaches and the President of the GAP be furnished a copy of this Resolution.

Adopted,



PANTALEÓN D. ALVAREZ
Speaker

This Resolution was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 16, 2018.



CESAR STRAIT PAREJA
Secretary General