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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 273

Introduced by Representative Florida "Rida" P. Robes

RESOLUTION

COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL VOLUNTEER SERVICE  
COORDINATING AGENCY (PNVSCA) FOR ITS VALUABLE  
CONTRIBUTION TO NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND  
CONGRATULATING THE AGENCY ON ITS 55TH ANNIVERSARY

WHEREAS, in 1964, the PNVSCA was created as a committee to concretize  
the Philippine Government’s commitment to the international agreement of  
adopting volunteerism as a tool for socio-economic development;

WHEREAS, the PNVSCA became an office in 1973 and then an agency in  
1980 through Executive Order No. 635, making it an attached institution under  
the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) and mandated to  
promote and coordinate volunteer programs and services in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, for the past fifty five (55) years, the PNVSCA have closely  
worked with other government agencies, non-government organizations, the  
academe, the corporate groups, the media and other partners in converging and  
linking the different volunteering efforts and resources so that they are aligned  
with national priorities and assist especially the marginalized sectors and  
communities;

WHEREAS, the Agency also took the lead in advocating and recognizing  
the contribution of volunteers to nation-building and international cooperation  
and that the Agency’s work to date will serve to strengthen not only the nation’s  
disaster response but also the recovery mechanism to build stronger communities
that will promote the continued growth of a national ethic of service and civic participation throughout the country: Now therefore, be it;

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, To commend the PNVSCA for its valuable contribution to national development and to congratulate the Agency on its 55th anniversary:

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the PNVSCA and NEDA be given a copy of this Resolution.

Adopted,

[Signature]

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