RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION BY THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE ALLEGED HIT AND RUN INCIDENT WHICH RESULTED IN THE DEATH OF MAY ANN FARillon SINGCORO

WHEREAS, Article 19 of Republic Act No. 386 (AN ACT TO ORDAIN AND INSTITUTE THE CIVIL CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES) states that, “Every person must, in the exercise of his rights and in the performance of his duties, act with justice, give everyone his due, and observe honesty and good faith.”

WHEREAS, Article 20 of the same Republic Act adds, “Every person who, contrary to law, willfully or negligently causes damage to another, shall indemnify the latter for the same.”

WHEREAS, at around 5:40 P.M. of September 14, 2020, a Honda City with plate number WYI 155 driven by alleged suspect Alejandro Mamuyac Jr., figured in an initial traffic accident from which he sped away.

WHEREAS, responding traffic enforcers gave chase which resulted in the alleged suspect hitting another motorcycle and pedestrian victim May Ann Farillon Singcoro (victim). Aside from injuries on the drivers of the other vehicles, alleged suspect was the proximate cause of the fatal injury on the said victim;

WHEREAS, the alleged suspect, evaded his responsibility in the initial accident and thereby caused further damage to other drivers and the death of the victim;

THEREFORE, be it resolved as it is hereby resolved that the appropriate Committee of the House of Representatives conduct an inquiry in aid of legislation on the alleged hit and run incident which resulted in the death of May Ann Farillon Singcoro.

Adopted,

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