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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
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**COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 521**

Submitted by the Committee on Youth and Sports Development on **11 DEC 2017**  
Re: House Resolution No. **1535**

Recommending its adoption in substitution of House Resolutions Numbered 1333, 1335, and 1341

Sponsors: Representatives Conrado M. Estrella III, Anthony M. Bravo, Mark Aeron H. Sambar, Jericho Jonas B. Nograles and Karlo Alexei B. Nograles

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Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Youth and Sports Development to which were referred House Resolution No. 1333 introduced by Rep. Anthony M. Bravo, entitled:

**RESOLUTION**  
**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING JU-JITSU FIGHTERS MARGARITA OCHOA, ANNIE RAMIREZ, JENNA NAPOLIS, MARC ALEXANDER LIM AND GIAN TAYLOR LEE FOR HONORING THE COUNTRY WITH THEIR GOLD AND SILVER WINS IN THE 5<sup>TH</sup> ASIAN INDOOR AND MARTIAL ARTS GAMES (AIMAG)**

House Resolution No. 1335 introduced by Reps. Mark Aeron H. Sambar, Jericho Jonas B. Nograles and Karlo Alexei B. Nograles, entitled:

**A RESOLUTION**  
**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING JIU-JITSU SPECIALISTS MARGARITA OCHOA AND ANNIE RAMIREZ WHO CAPTURED THE FIRST TWO GOLD MEDALS FOR THE PHILIPPINES IN 5<sup>TH</sup> ASIAN INDOOR AND MARTIAL ARTS GAMES (AIMAG) HELD IN ASHGABAT, TUKMENISTAN LAST SEPTEMBER 19, 2017**

and House Resolution No. 1341 introduced by Rep. Conrado M. Estrella III, entitled:

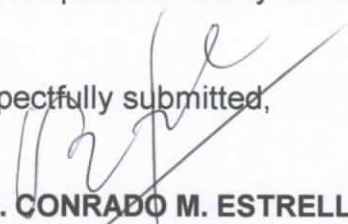
**RESOLUTION**  
**CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING JIU-JITSU FIGHTERS MARGARITA OCHOA AND ANNIE RAMIREZ FOR WINNING TWO GOLD MEDALS FOR THE PHILIPPINES IN THE FIFTH EDITION OF THE ASIAN INDOOR AND MARTIAL ARTS GAMES HELD IN ASHGABAT, TURKMENISTAN FROM SEPTEMBER 17 TO 27, 2017**

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Resolution No. 1535, entitled:

**RESOLUTION**  
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be adopted in substitution of House Resolutions Numbered 1333, 1335, and 1341 with Representatives Conrado M. Estrella III, Anthony M. Bravo, Mark Aeron H. Sambar, Jericho Jonas B. Nograles, Karlo Alexei B. Nograles, Rogelio D. Pacquiao, Allen Jesse Mangaoang, Cristina "Chiqui" Roa-Puno, Mohamad Khalid Q. Dimaporo, Francisco Jose F. Matugas II, Christopher Vera Perez De Venecia, Leo Rafael M. Cueva, Manuel Luis T. Lopez, Tricia Nicole Q. Velasco-Catera, Frederick Siao, Cristal L. Bagatsing, Pablo C. Ortega, Manuel Monsour T. Del Rosario III, Gwendolyn F. Garcia, Rodrigo A. Abellanosa, Winston Castelo, Manuel Jose M. Dalipe, Raul V. Del Mar, and Prospero A. Pichay Jr. as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

  
**REP. CONRADO M. ESTRELLA III**  
Chairperson  
Committee on Youth and Sports Development

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(In substitution of House Resolutions Numbered 1333, 1335, and 1341)

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**RESOLUTION**

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1           **WHEREAS**, the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) Asian Indoor and Martial Arts Games (AIMAG), a  
2 pancontinental multi-sport event held every four (4) years among athletes from all  
3 over Asia, was held in Ashgabat, Turkmenistan from September 17 to 27, 2017;

4           **WHEREAS**, the 2017 quadrennial continental sporting tournament were  
5 considered as the second largest Asian multi-sports after the Asian Games, with over  
6 six thousand (6,000) athletes from sixty-two (62) member countries, including  
7 seventeen (17) members from Oceania;

8           **WHEREAS**, the Philippine team competed in seventeen (17) out of twenty-  
9 one (21) sports in the ten-day event, with a total of one hundred sixteen (116)  
10 athletes participating;

1           **WHEREAS**, among the sports included in AIMAG were chess, futsal, tennis,  
2 muaythai, sambo, kurash, ju- jitsu, bowling, cycling, swimming, indoor athletics,  
3 weightlifting, basketball, taekwondo, dance sport, kickboxing, belt wrestling,  
4 wrestling, and cue sport;

5           **WHEREAS**, Filipina ju-jitsu fighters Margarita Ochoa and Annie Ramirez ruled  
6 the AIMAG ju-jitsu when they captured a pair of gold medals, giving the Philippines  
7 its first two (2) gold medals in this multi-sports event;

8           **WHEREAS**, the twenty-seven (27) year-old and three time ju-jitsu World  
9 Champion, Margarita Ochoa, won the first gold medal for the country following a  
10 convincing five (5)-zero (0) victory over her Vietnam opponent in the Women's Ne-  
11 wesa 45 kilogram event;

12           **WHEREAS**, Annie Ramirez delivered the 2<sup>nd</sup> gold medal after defeating  
13 compatriot Jenna Kaila Napolis with a score of nine (9)-zero (0) in the all Filipino  
14 finale of the women's Ne-waza55 kilogram category held at the Martial Arts Arena;

15           **WHEREAS**, the outstanding performance of the Philippine ju-jitsu fighters  
16 deserved to be congratulated and commended for the honor and recognition they  
17 have brought to our country, and more importantly, for serving as beacons of  
18 inspiration to our young, talented and aspiring Filipino athletes to keep pursuing  
19 their dreams: Now, therefore, be it

20           *Resolved by the House of Representatives, To congratulate and commend ju-*  
21 *jitsu fighters Margarita Ochoa and Annie Ramirez for winning two gold medals in the*  
22 *fifth edition of the Asian Indoor and Martial Arts Games (AIMAG) held in Ashgabat,*  
23 *Turkmenistan on September 17 to 27, 2017, and their respective coaches and the*  
24 *officials of the Ju-Jitsu Federation of the Philippines, Inc. for their able mentorship*  
25 *and support.*

26           *Resolved, further, That ju-jitsu gold medalists Margarita Ochoa and Annie*  
27 *Ramirez, their respective coaches and the president of Ju-Jitsu Federation of the*  
28 *Philippines be furnished with a copy of this Resolution.*

29           *Adopted,*