RESOLUTION NO. 45

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO BOXER NESTHY ALCAYDE PETECIO FOR WINNING THE GOLD MEDAL IN THE 2019 ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONALE DE BOXE AMATEUR (AIBA) WOMEN’S WORLD BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD IN ULAN-UDÉ, RUSSIA FROM OCTOBER 3 TO 13, 2019

WHEREAS, the 2019 Association Internationale De Boxe Amateur (AIBA) Women’s World Boxing Championships participated in by boxing powerhouse countries such as Brazil, Canada, Finland, France, India, Italy, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Russia, Thailand, Turkey, United Kingdom, United States, and Vietnam was held in Ulan-Ude, Russia from October 3 to 13, 2019;

WHEREAS, Filipino female pugilist Nesthy Alcayde Petecio, a three-time Southeast Asian Games silver medalist from Tuban, Davao del Sur, won the gold medal in the 2019 AIBA Women’s World Championships in the featherweight division (57kg);
WHEREAS, the twenty-eight (28)-year-old veteran boxer had to defeat five (5) challengers before securing an opportunity to challenge Liudmila Vorontsova of Russia in the finals, and eventually winning despite the latter's hometown advantage;

WHEREAS, Nesthy Petecio, who started boxing at the age of seven (7) in her hometown, ended the Philippines' world championship gold medal drought for seven (7) years since Josie Gabucio won the gold medal in the light flyweight division of the 2012 edition of the world tournament;

WHEREAS, Petecio's victory is a testament to her world-class abilities, determination, discipline and courage which serve as an inspiration not only to our boxers but also to women, youth and Filipino athletes;

WHEREAS, Petecio's victory, once again, has made our country proud and has placed the Philippines at the forefront of international competitions in boxing, and thus deserves to be commended: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, To congratulate and commend Filipino boxer Nesthy Alcayde Petecio for winning the gold medal in the 2019 Association Internationale De Boxe Amateur (AIBA) Women's World Boxing Championships held in Ulan-Ude, Russia from October 3 to 13, 2019.

Resolved, further, That a copy of this Resolution be furnished boxer Nesthy Petecio.

ALAN PETER "COMPAÑERO" S. CAYETANO  
Speaker

This Resolution was adopted by the House of Representatives on February 19, 2020.

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