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House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_



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Introduced by **REPRESENTATIVE JOY MYRA S. TAMBUNTING**

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**A RESOLUTION**  
**EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SYMPATHIES AND SINCEREST CONDOLENCES**  
**OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILY OF MORO**  
**NATIONAL LIBERATION FRONT CHAIRMAN YUSOP H. JIKIRI, FORMER**  
**REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FIRST DISTRICT OF SULU IN THE 14<sup>th</sup> CONGRESS**

**WHEREAS**, Chairman Yusop H. Jikiri passed away last October 17, 2020 at the age of sixty-six (66) due to bone cancer;

**WHEREAS**, Chairman Jikiri was the former governor of Sulu from 2001 to 2004, then later on represented the 1<sup>st</sup> District of Sulu in the 14<sup>th</sup> Congress;

**WHEREAS**, Chairman Jikiri was a man of peace who believed that trust and respect was instrumental to achieving lasting peace and development in the Province of Sulu and the whole Bangsamoro;

**WHEREAS**, Using his ties with the Moro National Liberation Front and in his capacity as the governor and later on, a district representative, he paved the way for a strong partnership between the MNLF and the State towards the attainment of lasting piece in the province;

**WHEREAS**, He was among the prominent figures who worked towards the passage of the Bangsamoro Organic Law, which established the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region with the aim of bringing peace by addressing the grievances of the Bangsamoro people;

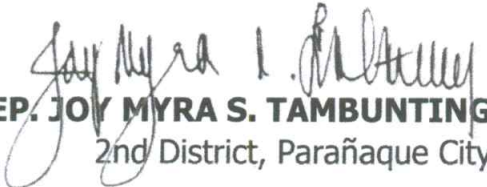
**WHEREAS**, will be remembered as a devoted husband and father, a remarkable public servant, and a staunch advocate of peace who devoted his life in working towards the long lasting peace in the Province of Sulu and the Bangasamoro;

**WHEREAS**, the demise of Chairman Jikiri is a great loss to all his friends, family, former colleagues and the people of the Sulu;

**RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,** To express profound condolences of the House of Representatives to the family of Moro National Liberation Front Chairman Yusop H. Jikiri Former Representative of the First District of Sulu in the 14th Congress.

**RESOLVED, FURTHER,** That a copy of this Resolution be furnished the bereaved family of the deceased.

Adopted,

  
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2nd District, Parañaque City