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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2080



**Introduced by Honorable Dale “Along” R. Malapitan, Eric M. Martinez,
John Marvin “Yul Servo” C. Nieto & Edward Vera Perez Maceda**

RESOLUTION
**COMMENDING NESTHY PETECIO FOR HER EXCEPTIONAL
PERFORMANCE IN WINNING THE TOKYO 2020 OLYMPIC SILVER
MEDAL IN THE WOMEN’S FEATHERWEIGHT BOXING DIVISION ON
AUGUST 3, 2021 IN TOKYO, JAPAN**

WHEREAS, twenty-one (21)-year-old and Davao Del Sur pride Nesthy Alcayde Petecio secured for the country its second Olympic medal haul in the 2020 Tokyo Summer Olympics after winning the silver medal in the featherweight division in boxing on August 3, 2021 at the Kokugikan Arena;

WHEREAS, Ms. Petecio clinched a gold medal match against home bet Sena Irie of Japan when she defeated Yeni Marcela Arias Castaneda of Colombia in the quarterfinals via unanimous decision, and outboxed a much taller Italian foe, Irma Testa, in the semifinals via split decision in a sheer display of true grit, determination and courage;

WHEREAS, despite being denied of a gold medal finish, Ms. Petecio still made history as being the very first Filipina Olympic boxing medalist, with her silver-medal feat matches the individual Olympic performance of fellow boxers Anthony Villanueva and Mansueto “Onyok” Velasco, as well as weightlifter Hidilyn Diaz’s achievement in the 2016 Rio Olympics ;

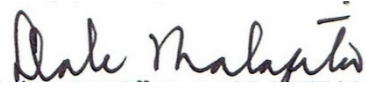
WHEREAS, Ms. Petecio podium finish signaled the start of the country’s multiple Olympic medal haul in the 2020 Summer Olympics with two other Filipino boxers already assured of Olympic medals at the time of her silver medal finish, a rare feat which the country achieved eighty nine (89) years ago;

WHEREAS, the outstanding performance of Ms. Petecio deserves to be commended as she brought pride, glory, honor, and distinction to our country: Now, therefor, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, to commend Nesthy Petecio for her exceptional performance in winning the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Silver Medal in the Women’s Featherweight Boxing Division on August 3, 2021 in Tokyo, Japan;

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

Adopted.



REP. DALE "ALONG" R. MALAPITAN



REP. ERIC M. MARTINEZ



REP. JOHN MARVIN "YUL SERVO" C. NIETO



REP. EDWARD VERA PEREZ MACEDA