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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 287

Introduced by Representatives Ferdinand Alexander A. Marcos, Marcelino C. Libanan, David "Jay-Jay" C. Suarez, Janette L. Garin, Yasser Alonto Balindong, Francisco Paolo P. Ortega V, Jefferson F. Khonghun, Kristine Singson-Meehan, Ronaldo V. Puno, Faustino "Bojie" G. Dy III, Ferjenel G. Biron, Raymond Democrito C. Mendoza and Yevgeny Vincente B. Emanó

RESOLUTION

COMMENDING HONORABLE FERDINAND MARTIN G. ROMUALDEZ, SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FOR HIS DISTINGUISHED AND TRANSFORMATIVE LEADERSHIP OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND FOR HIS ENDURING CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ADVANCEMENT OF LEGISLATIVE EXCELLENCE, NATIONAL UNITY, AND PUBLIC SERVICE

WHEREAS, under the competent and prudent leadership of Speaker Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez, the House of Representatives of the 19th Congress achieved unprecedented legislative productivity, processing over 13,971 measures, of which 1,597 were approved, including over 350 that became Republic Acts, thereby setting a new standard for efficiency and purpose in Philippine legislative history;

WHEREAS, Speaker Romualdez fostered a spirit of unity and collegiality among the Members of the House, bridging political divides and promoting inclusive participation among party lines and generations, thus ensuring that the legislative body remained responsive to the needs of the Filipino people;

WHEREAS, through his strategic leadership, the House approved 95% of the priority legislation identified by President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. and the Legislative-

Executive Development Advisory Council (LEDAC), resulting in the enactment of landmark laws such as the “Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) Registration Act”, the “Maharlika Investment Fund Act of 2023”, the “Trabaho Para sa Bayan Act”, and the “Ease of Paying Taxes Act”, among others;

WHEREAS, Speaker Romualdez ensured that the House exercised its oversight functions with diligence and integrity, initiating investigations into agricultural smuggling, anomalies in power costs, and the misuse of public funds, thereby reinforcing transparency and accountability in governance;

WHEREAS, under his stewardship, the House strengthened parliamentary diplomacy and international relations, notably engaging with U.S. congressional leaders to support the official visit of President Marcos, which facilitated increased cooperation and investment opportunities between the two countries;

WHEREAS, Speaker Romualdez’s leadership consistently earned high public trust ratings and commendations from his peers, and his tenure will be regarded as a period of decisive action, transformative legislation, and unwavering commitment to national progress;

WHEREAS, widely recognized as the “architect of consensus,” Speaker Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez has exemplified a brand of leadership anchored in strategic foresight, inclusive governance and constructive dialogue – uniting lawmakers across party lines and fostering a collaborative environment that enabled the enactment of transformative legislation and the conduct of robust parliamentary oversight;

WHEREAS, his purposive, action-oriented approach has elevated the performance of the House and reinforced its role as a pillar of democratic governance and national development: Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, To commend Honorable Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez, Speaker of the House of Representatives, for his distinguished and transformative leadership in the House of Representatives and for his enduring contributions to the advancement of legislative excellence, national unity, and public service.

Adopted,



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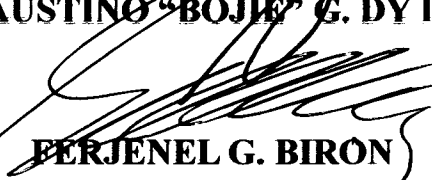
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