

Republic of the Philippines  
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RESOLUTION NO. 48

RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE SENATE  
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, HONORABLE  
JINGGOY EJERCITO ESTRADA, FOR HIS  
DEDICATED PERFORMANCE DURING THE FIRST  
REGULAR SESSION OF THE FIFTEENTH  
CONGRESS

WHEREAS, the Honorable Jinggoy Ejercito Estrada has performed his duties and responsibilities as Senate President Pro Tempore with devotion and candor;

WHEREAS, he has ably assisted the Senate President and patiently and untiringly presided over the deliberations of the Senate on bills and resolutions, marked by long and exhaustive debates, particularly the General Appropriations Act of 2011 which was enacted at a record-setting speed;

WHEREAS, as Chairman of the Senate Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources, he authored a number of bills protecting women workers, such as the bills

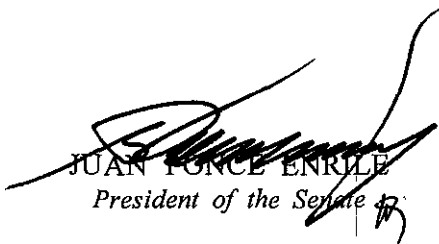
providing for additional benefits and protection to house helpers; expanding the exceptions from nightwork prohibition of women employees; expanding the prohibited acts of discrimination against women on account of sex; and the proposed anti-gender discrimination in employment advertising act;

WHEREAS, a staunch advocate of the government's call for transparency and the elimination of graft and corruption in government transactions, he fearlessly exposed the alleged graft in the Armed Forces of the Philippines in a series of Senate public hearings in aid of legislation;

WHEREAS, his remarkable performance as a legislator and as Senate President Pro Tempore helped the Chamber in achieving the trust and confidence of the Filipino people: Now, therefore, be it

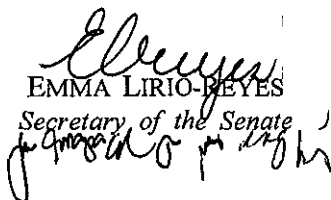
*Resolved by the Senate,* To commend, as it hereby commends, the Senate President Pro Tempore, Honorable Jinggoy Ejercito Estrada, for his exemplary performance during the First Regular Session of the Fifteenth Congress.

Adopted,



JUAN PONCE ENRILE  
President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2011.



EMMA LIRIO-BEYES  
Secretary of the Senate