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- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development; Local Government; and Finance*

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- *Introduced by Senator Alan Peter Companero S. Cayetano*
- *Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; Youth, Women and Family Relations; and Finance*

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- *Introduced by Senator Alan Peter Companero S. Cayetano*
- *Committees on Public Order and Dangerous Drugs; National Defense and Security; Ways and Means; and Finance*

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SBN 2876 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AN INDIGENTS MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FUND IN EVERY REGIONAL OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE BENEFIT OF INDIGENT PATIENTS IN PUBLIC

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- *Introduced by Senator Alan Peter Companero S. Cayetano*
- *Committees on Health and Demography; Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development; Ways and Means; and Finance*

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- *Introduced by Senator Teofisto "Tg" Guingona III*
- *Committees on Trade and Commerce; Foreign Relations; and Finance*

SBN 2878 “AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES TO LOWER THE RATE OF VALUE ADDED TAX TO TEN PERCENT (10%) AND INCREASING THE THRESHOLD FOR CERTAIN NON-VAT TAXPAYERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 106 (A), 107 (A), 108 (A), 109, AND 236 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT 9337”

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committee on Ways and Means*

SBN 2879 “AN ACT INCREASING THE CEILING OF THE 13TH MONTH PAY, CHRISTMAS BONUS AND OTHER BENEFITS EXCLUDED FROM THE COMPUTATION OF GROSS INCOME FOR THE PURPOSES OF INCOME TAXATION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 32 (B), CHAPTER VI OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED”

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committee on Ways and Means*

SBN 2880 “AN ACT GRANTING UNIVERSAL MATERNITY LEAVE BENEFITS TO WOMEN IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Civil Service and Government Reorganization; and Youth, Women and Family Relations*

SBN 2881 “AN ACT RELAXING AND LIBERALIZING THE LIMITS ON ACCESS TO PRINT SPACE AS WELL AS TV AND RADIO TIME OF

POLITICAL PARTIES AND CANDIDATES DURING THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN THEREBY AMENDING SECTION 6 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9006, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE FAIR ELECTION ACT”

- *Introduced By Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes*
- *Committee On Constitutional Amendments, Revision Of Codes And Laws*

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- *Introduced by Senator Manny B. Villar*
- *Committees on Public Information and Mass Media; and Agriculture and Food*

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- *Introduced by Senator Gregorio B. Honasan II*
- *Committee on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises*

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- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*
- *Committees on Agriculture and Food; and Finance*

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- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*
- *Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Climate Change*

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- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*

- *Committees on Youth, Women and Family Relations; National Defense and Security; and Finance*

SBN 2887 "AN ACT TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN THE PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILD FROM ABORTION AND OTHER ABORTIVE ACTS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLES 256, 257, 258 AND 259 OF THE REVISED PENAL CODE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Health and Demography; and Youth, Women and Family Relations*

SBN 2888 "AN ACT DEFINING THE OFFENSES OF ASSAULT USING A LASER DEVICE AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULT USING A LASER DEVICE AND IMPOSING PENALTIES THEREON"

- *Introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes*
- *Committee on Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SBN 2889 "AN ACT EARMARKING THE ENTIRE PHILIPPINE CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES OFFICE CHARITY FUND FOR UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE COVERAGE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1169, AS AMENDED BY BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 42"

- *Introduced By Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committees on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises; and Health and Demography*

SBN 2890 "AN ACT AUGMENTING THE PHILHEALTH FUND FOR UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE COVERAGE THROUGH THE PHILIPPINE CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES OFFICE CHARITY FUND AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1169, AS AMENDED BY BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 42"

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committees on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises; and Health and Demography*

SBN 2891 "AN ACT ALLOCATING SEVENTY PERCENT (70%) OF THE PHILIPPINE CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES OFFICE CHARITY FUND FOR UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE COVERAGE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1169, AS AMENDED BY BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 42"

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committees on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises; and Health and Demography*

SBN 2892 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING A JUST AND EQUITABLE DISPOSITION OF THE PHILIPPINE CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES OFFICE CHARITY FUND, AMENDING FOR THAT PURPOSE SECTION 6 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1169, AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator Francis "Chiz" G. Escudero*
- *Committees on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises; and Health and Demography*

SBN 2893 "AN ACT PROVIDING THE ENABLING MECHANISMS FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (R & D) OF COCONUT SUGAR IN THE COUNTRY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Agriculture and Food; Science and Technology and; Finance*

SBN 2894 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A STATE-OF-THE-ART DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY FOR SWINE-RELATED DISEASES IN EVERY REGION TO IDENTIFY DISEASES AFFECTING OUR LOCAL HOG INDUSTRY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Agriculture and Food; and Finance*

SBN 2895 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 22 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 4136 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LAND TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR COMPULSORY PSYCHO-TECHNICAL DRIVER ASSESSMENT TESTS"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Public Services; and Finance*

SBN 2896 "AN ACT INTEGRATING LABOR EDUCATION INTO THE SOCIAL SCIENCE SUBJECTS IN THE TERTIARY EDUCATION CURRICULUM AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 2897 "AN ACT REGULATING THE BUSINESS OPERATION OF MOTORCYCLES-FOR-HIRE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Public Services; and Local Government*

SBN 2898 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 6 AND 11 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1169, AS AMENDED, ALSO KNOWN AS AN ACT PROVIDING FOR CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES, HORSE RACES, AND LOTTERIES"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committees on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises; and Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SBN 2899 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSING AND CONTROL OF DEALERS IN SECONDHAND GOODS AND FOR MATTERS CONNECTED THEREWITH"

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Trade and Commerce*

SBN 2900 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTROL OF SPAM, WHICH IS UNSOLICITED COMMERCIAL COMMUNICATIONS SENT IN BULK BY ELECTRONIC MAIL OR BY TEXT OR BY MULTIMEDIA MESSAGING TO MOBILE TELEPHONE NUMBERS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Public Services; and Justice and Human Rights*

SBN 2901 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA OF THE POOR"

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development; Ways and Means; and Finance*

SBN 2902 "AN ACT REQUIRING ALL PRIVATE AND PUBLIC ESTABLISHMENTS TO PROVIDE FREE PARKING FOR ALL CUSTOMERS, PATRONS, CLIENTS, CONSUMERS AND THE LIKE, FOR THE FIRST THREE HOURS OF USE OF THE PARKING SPACE AND ITS FACILITIES AND

PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Trade and Commerce*

SBN 2903 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR WORKERS AND EMPLOYEES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 210 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development and Youth, Women and Family Relations*

SBN 2904 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE RESETTLEMENT, AID AND REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR THE INFORMAL SETTLERS AFFECTED BY THE DEMOLITION OF HOUSES/DWELLINGS ALONG DANGER AREAS AS WELL AS THE VICTIMS OF DISASTERS AND CALAMITIES AND THOSE AFFECTED BY GOVERNMENT INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN URBAN AREAS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Urban Planning, Housing and Resettlement; and Finance*

SBN 2905 “AN ACT AMENDING CHAPTER V, SECTION 14 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9295, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE DOMESTIC SHIPPING DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2004”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Public Services*

SBN 2906 “AN ACT GRANTING RETIREMENT INCENTIVE AND HEALTH CARE BENEFITS TO PROFESSIONAL ATHLETES WHO HAVE WON WORLD TITLES OR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced By Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Games, Amusement and Sports; and Finance*

SBN 2907 “AN ACT EXPANDING AND MAXIMIZING THE SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS EXTENDED TO THE FAMILY MEMBERS OF PERSONNEL OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP), BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION

(BFP), AND BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY (BJMP), AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6963, ENTITLED AN ACT GRANTING SPECIAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND BENEFITS TO THE FAMILY OR BENEFICIARY OF ANY POLICE OR MILITARY PERSONNEL OR FIREMAN KILLED OR PERMANENTLY INCAPACITATED WHILE IN THE PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTY OR BY REASON OF HIS OFFICE OR POSITION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Public Order and Dangerous Drugs; National Defense and Security; Ways and Means; and Finance*

SBN 2908 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL BENEFITS AND PROTECTION TO PUBLIC UTILITY VEHICLE DRIVERS THROUGH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development; and Finance*

SBN 2909 “AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 21 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8749, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE CLEAN AIR ACT OF 1999”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Public Services*

SBN 2910 “AN ACT GRANTING SCHOLARSHIPS TO HOUSEHOLD HELPERS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development; Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance*

SBN 2911 “AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7832, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'ANTI-ELECTRICITY AND ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION LINES/MATERIALS, PILFERAGE ACT OF 1994', AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Public Services*

SBN 2012 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL PROSECUTOR FOR DANGEROUS DRUGS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Justice and Human Rights; Public Order and Dangerous Drugs; and Finance*

SBN 2013 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MANDATORY INCLUSION OF ANTI-OBESITY EDUCATION PROGRAM AND EXERCISE INCLUDING PLAY AND TRADITIONAL FILIPINO GAMES, IN THE PRE-SCHOOL, ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULA, BOTH IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Health and Demography*

SBN 2014 "AN ACT EXEMPTING TOLL OPERATIONS FROM THE TWELVE PERCENT (12%) VALUE ADDED TAX, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 108 AND 109 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT 9337, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committee on Ways and Means*

SBN 2015 "AN ACT TO ALLOCATE THE FIFTY PERCENT (50%) SHARE OF THE GOVERNMENT IN THE AGGREGATE GROSS INCOME OF THE PHILIPPINE AMUSEMENT AND GAMING CORPORATION (PAGCOR) FOR THE BASIC EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (DEPED) AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, THEREBY AMENDING PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1869, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9487"

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committees on Government Corporations and Public Enterprises; Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance*

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- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committee on Environment and Natural Resources*

SBN 2917 “AN ACT REORGANIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENSE (DND) AND THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP) AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on National Defense And Security*

SBN 2918 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING CONCILIATION-MEDIATION AS A VOLUNTARY MODE OF DISPUTE SETTLEMENT FOR ALL LABOR CASES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 228 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE 442, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 2919 “AN ACT TO AMEND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8550, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE FISHERIES ACT OF 1998 TO STRENGTHEN THE ANTI-POACHING PROVISIONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committees on Agriculture and Food; and Environment and Natural Resources*

SBN 2920 “AN ACT EXEMPTING LABOR CLAIMS FROM ACTIONS TO BE SUSPENDED AGAINST CORPORATIONS, PARTNERSHIPS OR ASSOCIATIONS UNDER MANAGEMENT OR RECEIVERSHIP, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 6(C) OF P.D. 902-A, AS AMENDED, AND OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 2921 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING TRIPARTISM, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 275 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE 442, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS

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- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 2922 "AN ACT REGULATING THE COMPENSATION OF PUBLIC UTILITY BUS DRIVERS AND CONDUCTORS BY REQUIRING BUS OPERATORS TO PAY THEM FIXED MONTHLY SALARIES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF"

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 2923 "AN ACT DEFINING ROAD RAGE, PRESCRIBING PENALTIES THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*
- *Committees on Justice and Human Rights; and Public Services*

SBN 2924 "AN ACT GRANTING INCENTIVES TO ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE COMMUTING BY BICYCLES OR OTHER NON-MOTORIZED TRANSPORT VEHICLES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*
- *Committees on Public Services; and Ways and Means*

SBN 2925 "AN ACT PROVIDING RELIEF TO POWER CONSUMERS BY ALLOCATING THE NET NATIONAL GOVERNMENT SHARE FROM THE MALAMPAYA NATURAL GAS PROJECT FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE STRANDED CONTRACT COSTS AND STRANDED DEBTS"

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committees on Finance; and Energy*

SBN 2926 "AN ACT CONVERTING THE MUNICIPALITY OF MABALACAT IN THE PROVINCE OF PAMPANGA INTO A COMPONENT CITY TO BE KNOWN AS MABALACAT CITY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Local Government; and Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SBN 2927 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 108 AND 109 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Juan Miguel F. Zubiri*
- *Committee on Ways and Means*

SBN 2928 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR P 6,000 INCREASE IN THE MINIMUM PAY OF EMPLOYEES AND WORKERS IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR NATIONWIDE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Ramon A. Revilla Jr.*
- *Committees on Finance; and Civil Service and Government Reorganization*

SBN 2929 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 61 OF REPUBLIC ACT 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"

- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*
- *Committee on Local Government*

SBN 2930 "AN ACT CREATING THE DESIGN COUNCIL OF THE PHILIPPINES, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Teofisto "Tg" Guingona III*
- *Committees on Trade and Commerce; Economic Affairs; and Finance*

SBN 2931 "AN ACT CONVERTING THE MUNICIPALITY OF BACOR IN THE PROVINCE OF CAVITE INTO A COMPONENT CITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE CITY OF BACOR"

- *Introduced by Senator Ramon A. Revilla Jr.*
- *Committees on Local Government; and Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SBN 2932 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE SPECIAL PROTECTION OF CHILDREN IN SITUATIONS OF ARMED CONFLICT AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF"

- *Introduced by Senator Ramon A. Revilla Jr.*
- *Committees on Youth, Women and Family Relations; National Defense and Security; and Finance*

SBN 2933 "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE BUREAU OF CORRECTIONS (BUCOR) AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator Francis "Chiz" G. Escudero*
- *Committees on Public Order and Dangerous Drugs; Justice and Human Rights; and Finance*

SBN 2934 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE SUBIC-CLARK DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, ESTABLISH THE MECHANISM FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Economic Affairs; and Finance*

SBN 2935 "AN ACT TO PRESCRIBE NUTRITION LABELING FOR FOOD PRODUCTS AND PROVIDING FRAMEWORK FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Trade and Commerce; and Health and Demography*

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- *Introduced by Senator Pia S. Cayetano*
- *Committees on Public Services; and Environment and Natural Resources*

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- *Introduced by Senator Vicente C. Sotto III*
- *Committee on Local Government*

SBN 2938 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7898, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE AFP MODERNIZATION ACT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*

- *Committees on National Defense and Security; and Ways and Means*

SBN 2939 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A STATE COLLEGE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF COMPOSTELA, COMPOSTELA VALLEY PROVINCE TO BE KNOWN AS THE COMPOSTELA VALLEY STATE COLLEGE INTEGRATING THEREWITH AS REGULAR BRANCHES THE BUKIDNON STATE UNIVERSITY EXTERNAL STUDIES CENTERS IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF MONKAYO, MARAGUSAN, MONTEVISTA AND NEW BATAAN, ALL MUNICIPALITIES LOCATED IN COMPOSTELA VALLEY PROVINCE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance*

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- *Introduced by Senator Ramon A. Revilla Jr.*
- *Committee on Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development*

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- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Ways and Means; and Trade and Commerce*

SBN 2943 "AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM TAXATION ALL DONATIONS, GRANTING OR GIFTS TO NON-STOCK AND NON-PROFIT EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committees on Ways and Means; and Education, Arts and Culture*

SBN 2944 "AN ACT EXTENDING THE LIFE OF THE LAND BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES, FURTHER AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3844, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE AGRICULTURAL LAND REFORM CODE, AS

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- *Introduced by Senator Sergio R. Osmeña III*
- *Committee on Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies*

SBN 2945 “AN ACT REAPPORTIONING THE PROVINCE OF COTABATO INTO THREE (3) LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS”

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committees on Local Government; and Electoral Reforms and Peoples Participation*

SBN 2946 SUBSTITUED BY COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 55

SBN 2947 “AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE CASH AND OTHER NON-MONETARY BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES TO NATIONAL ATHLETES, COACHES AND TRAINERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERED NINETY HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOUR, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'NATIONAL ATHLETES, COACHES AND TRAINERS BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES ACT OF 2001' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Vicente C. Sotto III*
- *Committees on Games, Amusement and Sports and; Finance*

SBN 2948 “AN ACT CONVERTING THE WESTERN VISAYAS COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (WVCST) IN THE CITY OF ILOILO INTO A STATE UNIVERSITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE ILOILO STATE UNIVERSITY, WITH CAMPUSES IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF BAROTAC NUEVO, DUMANGAS, LEON AND MIAG-AO, ALL LOCATED IN THE PROVINCE OF ILOILO AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced by Senator Franklin M. Dilon*
- *Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance*

SBN 2949 “AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM TO AWARD INNOVATION PRIZES TO INDIVIDUALS AND ENTITIES FOR RESEARCHING AND DEVELOPING INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Trade and Commerce; and Finance*

SBN 2950 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND INSTITUTIONALIZING LONG-

TERM CARE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development; and Finance*

SBN 2951 “AN ACT TO REQUIRE MANUFACTURERS, DISTRIBUTORS AND LABELERS OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO REPORT THEIR ANNUAL MARKETING COSTS”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Trade and Commerce; and Health and Demography*

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

SJRN 10 “JOINT RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE GRANT OF ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION IN THE FORM OF SPECIAL ALLOWANCES FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL PROSECUTION SERVICE AND STATE COUNSELS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Franklin M. Drilon*
- *Committees on Justice and Human Rights; Civil Service and Government Reorganization; and Finance*

SJRN 11 “JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A FACT FINDING COMMISSION ON THE ALLEGED 2004 ELECTORAL FRAUD, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS ON WHO TO RECOGNIZE AS THE TRUE FIFTEENTH PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC”

- *Introduced by Senator Francis "Chiz" G. Escudero*
- *Committees on Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws; and Finance*

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

SCRN 9 "CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROPOSING THE AMENDMENT OF SECTION 16, ARTICLE VII OF THE 1987 PHILIPPINE CONSTITUTION IN ORDER TO LIMIT THE CONFIRMATION PROCESS OF THE COMMISSION ON APPOINTMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP) TO THE POSITIONS OF CHIEF-OF-STAFF OF THE AFP AND SERVICE COMMANDERS OF THE ARMY, AIR FORCE, AND NAVY ONLY"

- *Introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes*
- *Committee on Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SCRN 10 "CONCURRENT RESOLUTION MAINTAINING THE PREVAILING SYSTEM OF ACCOUNTING AND LIQUIDATION OF THE RESPECTIVE BUDGETARY ALLOCATIONS OF EACH MEMBER OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AS CLASSIFIED AND CONSISTENT WITH APPLICABLE ACCOUNTING AND AUDITING RULES"

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committees on Rules; and Accounts*

PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS

PSRN 517 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED RAMPANT IMPORTATION OF SUGAR PREMIXES TO EVADE THE PAYMENT OF TARIFFS ON SUGAR"

- *Introduced by Senator Juan Miguel F. Zubiri*
- *Committees on Ways and Means; and Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 518 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS (BLUE RIBBON) TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ALLEGED ANOMALOUS AND IRREGULAR ACQUISITION BY THE PNP OF LIGHT OPERATIONAL HELICOPTERS IN 2009 FROM MAPTRA, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF DETERMINING WHETHER THE SAID ACT CONSTITUTES A VIOLATION

OF RA 3019, DETERMINE THE PARTIES RESPONSIBLE THEREFOR AND TO PROVIDE REMEDIAL MEASURES TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN THE SAID LAW AND THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE”

- *Introduced by Senators Panfilo M. Lacson and Teofisto "Tg" Guingona III*
- *Committee on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations*

PSRN 519 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATION (BLUE RIBBON) TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE ALLEGED NUMEROUS VIOLATIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3019 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ANTI-GRAFT AND CORRUPT PRACTICES ACT BY THE PREVIOUS BOARD OF THE PHILIPPINE CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES OFFICE (PCSO) WITH THE END IN VIEW OF CRAFTING LEGISLATIVE MEASURES TO CURB CORRUPTION AND PROMOTE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN GOVERNMENT”

- *Introduced by Senators Teofisto "Tg" Guingona III and Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committee on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations*

PSRN 520 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS (BLUE RIBBON) TO INQUIRE INTO AND INVESTIGATE, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, THE ALLEGED MISUSE OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE USER'S CHARGE (MVUC) ALSO KNOWN AS THE ROAD USERS TAX”

- *Introduced by Senators Teofisto "Tg" Guingona III and Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committee on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations*

PSRN 521 “RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO ASSESS THE IMPACT OF THE NEW 'NITAQAT' SYSTEM ENFORCED BY THE SAUDI ARABIAN GOVERNMENT ON OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS AND THEIR FAMILIES, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ADOPTING A COMPREHENSIVE AND RESPONSIVE LEGISLATION AND PLAN OF ACTION THAT CAN SUPPORT AND ASSIST MIGRANT WORKERS WHO MAY BE DISPLACED”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources*

Development; and Foreign Relations

PSRN 522 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STUDY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON EDGY AND INNOVATIVE APPROACHES IN ECO-TOURISM THAT CAN REVITALIZE THE PHILIPPINE TOURISM INDUSTRY AND HELP DRAW A RECORD NUMBER OF TOURISTS IN THE COUNTRY AND THEREBY GENERATE JOBS AND OTHER ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUR PEOPLE"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Tourism; and Environment and Natural Resources*

PSRN 523 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON TOURISM AND FOREIGN RELATIONS TO CONDUCT A STUDY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE BEST PRACTICES IN PROMOTING THE NEW TRENDS IN THE TOURISM INDUSTRY AND AT THE SAME TIME LOOK INTO THE POSSIBILITY OF ADOPTING A TOURISM ORIENTED FOREIGN SERVICE POLICY WITH THE END IN VIEW OF REACHING NEW TOURISM MARKS FOR THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Tourism; and Foreign Relations*

PSRN 524 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REAL SITUATION OF THE DISAPPEARANCE OF UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES (UP) STUDENTS AND OTHER MISSING PERSONS BELIEVED TO BE ABDUCTED AND AN UPDATE ON THE STATUS OF THE SAME WITH THE INTENTION OF BREATHING LIFE AND GIVING MEANING TO THE HUMAN RIGHTS PROVISIONS OF THE PHILIPPINE CONSTITUTION"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Justice and Human Rights; and National Defense and Security*

PSRN 525 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO ASSESS THE CURRENT MEASURES EMPLOYED BY THE GOVERNMENT TO PROTECT THE BIODIVERSITY IN THE COUNTRY WITH THE END IN VIEW OF SAFEGUARDING SPECIES UNIQUELY ENDEMIC IN THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committee on Environment and Natural Resources*

PSRN 526 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE DELEGATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT (DOLE) LED BY SECRETARY ROSALINDA DIMAPILIS-BALDOZ FOR SUCCESSFULLY LEADING THE ADOPTION OF CONVENTION 189 OR THE DECENT WORK FOR DOMESTIC WORKERS CONVENTION DURING THE 100TH INTERNATIONAL LABOR CONFERENCE OF THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANIZATION (ILO)"

- *Introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 527 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE REPORTED INCREASING INCIDENCE OF CYBER CRIMES WITH THE END IN VIEW OF STRENGTHENING MEASURES TO MAINTAIN INTEGRITY OF ELECTRONIC TRANSACTIONS AND FOR THE PROTECTION OF INTERNET USERS IN THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committee on Science and Technology*

PSRN 528 "RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES TO REQUEST FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE RETURN OF THE BALANGIGA BELLS AS A TOKEN OF ETERNAL FRIENDSHIP AND AS A TESTAMENT TO THE FRATERNAL RELATIONS OF OUR DEMOCRATIC STATES"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 529 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPLEMENTING A PHP125 ACROSS-THE-BOARD WAGE HIKE AND TO BE ABLE TO FORMULATE ALTERNATIVE MEANS TO UPLIFT THE STANDARD OF LIVING OF THE FILIPINO WORKER"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*

- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

PSRN 530 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON ALLEGATIONS THAT TOURISM SECRETARY ALBERTO LIM HAS FAILED TO COMPLY WITH THE TOURISM ACT OF 2009"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committee on Tourism*

PSRN 531 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE LEGALITY OF THE GUN BAN IMPOSED BY WESTERN VISAYAS POLICE DIRECTOR, CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT CIPRIANO QUEROL JR. IN EIGHT ILOILO TOWNS"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committee on Public Order and Dangerous Drugs*

PSRN 532 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND COMMERCE, AND COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE MINING INDUSTRY AND THE PITFALLS, IF ANY, OF THE REPUBLIC ACT 7942 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE MINING ACT OF 1995, WITH THE INTENTION OF RECOMMENDING MEASURES TO ENSURE SUSTAINABLE MINING OPERATIONS IN THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Economic Affairs*

PSRN 533 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO REPORTS THAT OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS EXPERIENCE DIFFICULTY IN THE APPLICATION OF THE REQUIRED EXIT CLEARANCE FROM THE PHILIPPINE OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT ADMINISTRATION, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF SIMPLIFYING THE PROCESS AND ELIMINATING RED TAPE IN SECURING THE SAME"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*

- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

PSRN 534 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE POLICIES IMPLEMENTED BY THE GOVERNMENT TO TOTALLY ERADICATE THE COCONUT LEAF BEETLE PEST (BRONTISPA LONGISSIMA) TO PROTECT THE COCONUT INDUSTRY IN THE COUNTRY AND PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Agriculture and Food; and Environment and Natural Resources*

PSRN 535 "RESOLUTION INFORMING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THAT A QUORUM IS PRESENT IN THE SENATE, AND THAT THIS BODY HAS ENTERED UPON THE EXERCISE OF ITS FUNCTIONS FOR THE SECOND REGULAR SESSION OF THE FIFTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator Vicente C. Sotto III*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 536 "RESOLUTION INFORMING HIS EXCELLENCY, THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES, THAT A QUORUM IS PRESENT IN THE SENATE, AND THAT THIS BODY HAS ENTERED UPON THE EXERCISE OF ITS FUNCTIONS FOR THE SECOND REGULAR SESSION OF THE FIFTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator Vicente C. Sotto III*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 537 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, AND TO EXERCISE ITS OVERSIGHT FUNCTIONS INTO THE ALLEGATIONS OF WIDESPREAD, SYSTEMATIC, ORGANIZED AND MASSIVE POLL FRAUD AND ELECTION SABOTAGE IN THE 2004 AND 2007 NATIONAL ELECTIONS COMMITTED PARTICULARLY IN THE AUTONOMOUS REGION OF MUSLIM MINDANAO (ARMM) THROUGH MALFEASANCE, MISFEASANCE AND NON-FEASANCE IN PUBLIC OFFICE ALLEGEDLY BY NO LESS THAN FORMER PRESIDENT GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO, FORMER COMELEC CHAIRMAN BENJAMIN

ABALOS AND OTHER COMMISSIONERS AND PUBLIC OFFICERS OF THE COMELEC AS WELL AS PUBLIC OFFICERS FROM VARIOUS BRANCHES AND INSTRUMENTALITIES OF THE NATIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT”

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committees on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations; and Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

PSRN 538 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND COMMERCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED MASSIVE TRADING OF GECKOS, LOCALLY KNOWN AS "TUKO", AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF CRAFTING MEASURES IN ORDER TO PROTECT THE SPECIES FROM THREATS, ENSURE THEIR SURVIVAL AND MAINTAIN THE UNIQUE BALANCE OF OUR ECOSYSTEM”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 539 “RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND COMMERCE AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE SAFETY OF INTRAVENOUS (IV) GLUTATHIONE OR INJECTABLE GLUTATHIONE, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF PROTECTING CONSUMERS WITH REGARD TO THE REGULATION, SALE AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE SAME, CITING THE PUBLIC WARNING ISSUED BY THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Health and Demography; and Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 540 “RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEES ON TRADE AND COMMERCE AND CONGRESSIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON QUALITY AFFORDABLE MEDICINES, TO CONDUCT AN ASSESSMENT, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EXISTING PHILIPPINE REGULATIONS AND POLICIES ANENT THE EXPIRATION DATES OF MEDICINES VIS-A-VIS THE VERY RECENT HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL REPORT CITING THE 15-YEAR POTENCY OF MOST EXPIRED DRUGS WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF DETERMINING ITS IMPLICATIONS TO PROTECT THE

HEALTH OF THE CONSUMING PUBLIC”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Trade and Commerce; and Congressional Oversight Committee on Quality Affordable Medicines*

PSRN 541 “RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE SENATE IN CONVEYING ITS PROFOUND SYMPATHY TO THE PEOPLE OF NORWAY AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE DISASTER BROUGHT BY THE BOMBING IN OSLO AND THE CARNAGE IN UTOYA ISLAND”

- *Introduced by Senator Loren B. Legarda*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 542 “RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING THE OUTSTANDING PHILIPPINE SOLDIERS (TOPS) OF 2011”

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 543 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS (BLUE RIBBON) TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION AND TO EXERCISE ITS OVERSIGHT FUNCTIONS INTO THE ALLEGATIONS OF ORGANIZED AND MASSIVE POLL FRAUD AND ELECTORAL SABOTAGE IN THE 2004 AND 2007 NATIONAL ELECTIONS, COMMITTED THROUGH MALFEASANCE, MISFEASANCE AND NON-FEASANCE IN PUBLIC OFFICE BY PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF VARIOUS BRANCHES AND INSTRUMENTALITIES OF THE NATIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT, THEREBY DEPRIVING THE FILIPINO PEOPLE OF THEIR RIGHT TO CHOOSE THEIR LEADERS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF CRAFTING LEGISLATIVE MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN ELECTORAL PROCESSES, CURTAIL CORRUPTION, AND PROMOTE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN GOVERNMENT”

- *Introduced by Senator Alan Peter Companero S. Cayetano*
- *Committees on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations; and Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

PSRN 544 “RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE ALTERNATIVE INDIGENOUS DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION, INC. (AIDFI) FOR BEING ONE OF THE SIX 2011 RAMON MAGSAYSAY FOUNDATION AWARDEES

FOR THEIR GREEN TECHNOLOGIES THAT EMPOWER RURAL COMMUNITIES”

- *Introduced by Senator Loren B. Legarda*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 545 “RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE IGLESIA FILIPINA INDEPENDIENTE (IFI), UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF HIS EMINENCE, THE MOST REVEREND EPHRAIM S. FAJUTAGANAN, ON THE OCCASION OF ITS 109TH FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY ON AUGUST 3, 2011”

- *Introduced by Senators Alan Peter Compañero S. Cayetano, Pia S. Cayetano and Vicente C. Sotto III*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 546 SUBSTITUTED BY COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 52

PSRN 547 “RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE PHILIPPINE DRAGON BOAT TEAM FOR WINNING AND SETTING NEW WORLD RECORDS IN THE INTERNATIONAL DRAGON BOAT FEDERATION (IDBF) 10TH WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS IN TAMPA BAY, FLORIDA”

- *Introduced by Senator Francis N. Pangilinan*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 548 “RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE DRAGON BOAT TEAM FOR WINNING ITS THIRD WORLD TITLE IN THE BIENNIAL 10TH WORLD DRAGON BOAT RACING CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD AT TAMPA, FLORIDA”

- *Introduced by Senator Gregorio B. Honasan II*
- *Committee On Rules*

PSRN 549 “CREATING A SELECT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991”

- *Introduced by Senator Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 550 “RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE COBRA-PHILIPPINE DRAGON BOAT FEDERATION TEAM, ALSO KNOWN AS THE "DRAGON WARRIORS," FOR ITS EXCEPTIONAL PERFORMANCE AT THE 10TH

INTERNATIONAL DRAGON BOAT FEDERATION WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS IN TAMPA BAY, FLORIDA, WHERE THEY BAGGED 5 GOLD MEDALS AND 2 SILVERS, AND SHATTERED 5 WORLD RECORDS EN ROUTE TO SETTING NEW WORLD RECORDS IN VARIOUS EVENTS”

- *Introduced by Senator Pia S. Cayetano*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 551 “RESOLUTION INQUIRING, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE STANDARDS AND REQUIREMENTS SET BY THE PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION (PSC) AND PHILIPPINE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE (POC) IN RECOGNIZING AND PROVIDING SUPPORT TO NATIONAL SPORTS ASSOCIATIONS (NSAS) IN LIGHT OF THE SITUATION FACED BY THE PHILIPPINE DRAGON BOAT TEAM, WHICH HAS BEEN DENIED GOVERNMENT SUPPORT DESPITE PROVING THEMSELVES AS AMONG THE WORLDS BEST DRAGON BOAT TEAMS”

- *Introduced by Senator Pia S. Cayetano*
- *Committee on Games, Amusement and Sports*

PSRN 552 “RESOLUTION CREATING A SELECT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT”

- *Introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 553 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS, AND BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES, TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON ALLEGED ANOMALOUS LARGE SCALE FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING BEHEST LOANS AND/OR SIMILAR SWEETHEART DEALS DONE UNDER A CLOAK OF CONFIDENTIALITY DURING THE PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATIONS OF GOVERNMENT BANKS AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, PARTICULARLY IN LIGHT OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE TRAGIC DEATH OF DBP ASSISTANT LEGAL COUNSEL BENJAMIN PINPIN, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF DETERMINING WHO THE ACCOUNTABLE PUBLIC OFFICIALS ARE, AMENDING THE CHARTERS OF THESE GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS FOR TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committees on Accountability of Public Officers and*

PSRN 554 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE DRAGON BOAT TEAM FOR ITS OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN THE INTERNATIONAL DRAGON BOAT FEDERATION WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS"

- *Introduced by Senator Loren B. Legarda*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 555 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED 1,910 MISSING CONTAINER VANS IN THE PORTS OF THE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS RESULTING TO HUGE REVENUE LOSS TO THE GOVERNMENT, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF PLUGGING THE LOOPHOLES IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TARIFF AND CUSTOMS CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator Ralph G. Recto*
- *Committee on Ways and Means*

PSRN 556 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NEED TO STRENGTHEN CURRENT REGULATIONS THAT WILL ELIMINATE THE USE OF TOXIC CHEMICALS IN CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committees on Health and Demography; and Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 557 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON ALLEGATIONS THAT TOURISM SECRETARY ALBERTO LIM HAS FAILED TO EXERCISE THE FUNCTIONS OF HIS OFFICE WITH UTMOST RESPONSIBILITY AND EFFICIENCY AS MANDATED BY THE CONSTITUTION, THUS RESULTING IN THE LOSS OF MILLIONS OF PESOS FROM THE GOVERNMENT"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committee on Tourism*

PSRN 558 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE

COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ALLEGED IMPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS WASTES FROM NEW ZEALAND AND THE NEED TO IMMEDIATELY RATIFY THE BASEL BAN AMENDMENT WHICH PROHIBITS THE EXPORT OF TOXIC WASTES FROM DEVELOPED COUNTRIES TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES”

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Foreign Relations*

PSRN 559 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE WORLD WIDE FUND FOR NATURE-PHILIPPINES' CALL TO REDUCE THE COUNTRY'S DEPENDENCE ON COAL FOR THE COUNTRY'S ENERGY NEEDS”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Committee On Energy*

PSRN 560 “RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEES ON TRADE AND COMMERCE; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PROLIFERATION OF TOYS WITH TOXIC AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES AND COMPONENTS IN THE PHILIPPINE MARKET WITH THE END IN VIEW OF FORMULATING STRICTER MEASURES TO PROTECT FILIPINO CHILDREN”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Health and Demography; and Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 561 “RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PRACTICE OF A FATALLY DANGEROUS OCCUPATION KNOWN AS 'PAALING' FISHING WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ASSESSING THE EXTENT OF USAGE OF SAID METHOD AMONG FISHERFOLD AND IMPOSING STRINGENT RESTRICTIONS CITING THE PHYSICAL AND HEALTH RISKS INVOLVED”

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

PSRN 562 "RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE COUNTRY'S OUTSTANDING POLICEMEN IN SERVICE (C.O.P.S.) OF 2011"

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 563 "RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE COUNTRY'S OUTSTANDING POLICEMEN IN SERVICE (COPS) OF 2011 AWARDED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF NEW MANILA EAST, METROBANK FOUNDATION, INC. AND PSBANK"

- *Introduced by Senator Gregorio B. Honasan II*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 564 "RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING THE METROBANK FOUNDATION OUTSTANDING TEACHERS OF 2011 FOR THEIR EXEMPLARY COMPETENCE, DEDICATION TO SERVICE AND COMMITMENT IN PROVIDING QUALITY EDUCATION"

- *Introduced by Senator Loren B. Legarda*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 565 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS (BLUE RIBBON) TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, IN THE ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AND ANOMALIES ADOPTED BY THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE'S (PNP'S) IN THEIR PROCUREMENT PROCESSES IN VIOLATION OF THE PROCUREMENT LAW PARTICULARLY IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THEIR MODERNIZATION PROGRAM"

- *Introduced by Senator Panfilo M. Lacson*
- *Committee on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations*

PSRN 566 "RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE SHIRLEY HALILI-CRUZ SCHOOL OF BALLET DANCERS FOR BAGGING THE GRAND PRIZE AND EMERGING AS THE GRAND WINNER IN THE 13TH ASIA-PACIFIC DANCE COMPETITION IN BANGKOK, THAILAND ON 22-24 JULY 2011"

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 567 "RESOLUTION CREATING A COMMITTEE ON ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLE'S PARTICIPATION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE RULE X, SECTION 13 OF THE RULES OF THE SENATE"

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- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 568 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND COMMERCE TO LOOK INTO THE PROPOSED INCREASE IN THE RATES OF GOVERNMENT FEES AND ASSESS THE ECONOMIC AS WELL AS THE FINANCIAL IMPACT OF ITS IMPLEMENTATION ON THE PEOPLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF CRAFTING A RELEVANT POLICY THAT IS FOCUSED ON ADDRESSING THE ADVERSE EFFECTS OF PRICE INCREASES IN THE MOST VULNERABLE SECTORS OF OUR PHILIPPINE SOCIETY"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
- *Committees on Economic Affairs; and Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 569 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GAMES AMUSEMENT AND SPORTS TO CONDUCT A STUDY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATE OF PHILIPPINE SPORTS AND REVIEW THE CURRENT POLICIES CONCERNING ITS PROMOTION AND DEVELOPMENT WITH THE END-IN-VIEW OF CRAFTING A RELEVANT LAW THAT WILL ENCOURAGE THE INTEREST IN SPORTS VIS-A-VIS PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR THE PARTICIPATION OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR IN THE TRAINING OF FILIPINO ATHLETES WHO WILL COMPETE IN INTERNATIONAL ATHLETIC MEETS AND WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS"

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PSRN 570 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE PROGRAMS AND APPROACHES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT TO SWEEP AND CLEAR THE METROPOLIS OF STREET CHILDREN WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF CRAFTING A LEGISLATION THAT PROMOTES LONG-TERM SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM"

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PSRN 571 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NEED TO CREATE MEASURES AND STRICTER PENALTIES TO PREVENT LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENTS FROM INFLICTING VIOLENCE ON SUSPECTS, PRISONERS, AND DETAINEES"

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PSRN 572 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PREVAILING AND DEPLORABLE PRACTICE OF ILLEGAL TRAFFICKING OF UNBORN BABIES"

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PSRN 573 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE 2011 METROBANK FOUNDATION AWARDEES FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHERS"

- *Introduced by Senator Edgardo J. Angara*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 574 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE 2011 AWARDEES OF THE SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHERS (SOT), THE OUTSTANDING PHILIPPINE SOLDIERS (TOPS) AND THE COUNTRY'S OUTSTANDING POLICEMEN IN SERVICE (COPS) GIVEN BY METROBANK FOUNDATION, INC. IN HONOR OF FILIPINO PUBLIC SERVANTS THAT EMBODY EXCELLENCE, COMPETENCE AND PROFESSIONALISM IN THEIR LINE OF WORK"

- *Introduced by Senator Manny Villar*
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PSRN 575 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE/S OF THE SENATE TO LOOK INTO THE GOVERNMENTS SEARCH AND RESCUE CAPABILITY IN DISASTERS AND CALAMITIES WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENACTING LEGISLATIVE MEASURES TO INSTITUTIONALIZE URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE FORCES, PROVIDE A

MAGNA CARTA FOR RESCUE WORKERS AND ENHANCE THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10121”

- *Introduced by Senator Francis "Chiz" G. Escudero*
- *Committees on National Defense and Security; and Local Government*

PSRN 576 “RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE FILIPINO ATHLETES WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE 6TH ASIAN JUNIOR WUSHU CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD LAST AUGUST 17 TO 21, 2011 IN SHANGHAI, CHINA”

- *Introduced by Senator Jinggoy P. Ejercito-Estrada*
- *Committee on Rules*

PSRN 577 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES IN THE SENATE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED SMUGGLING OF ENDANGERED ANIMALS IN THE GREATER MANILA AREA WITH THE END IN VIEW OF PROTECTING OUR WILDLIFE AND PUT AN END TO THE ILLEGAL TRADE OF PHILIPPINE ENDANGERED SPECIES”

- *Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid*
- *Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Agriculture and Food*

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