A RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEMISE OF METRO MANILA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY CHAIRPERSON DANİLO DELAPUZ LİM

WHEREAS, it is with profound regret that we mourn the loss of General Danilo Delapuz Lim, who passed away on 6 January 2021 at age 65;

WHEREAS, General Lim is a brilliant man who graduated from premier military academies,—the Philippine Military Academy Makatarungan Class of 1978 and the United States Military Academy at West Point with flying colors—and topped the Scout Ranger Course;

WHEREAS, he is a well-respected and decorated retired Brigadier General, who served as the Chief of Staff of the Armed Forces of the Philippines and the commander of the Scout Ranger Regiment, a major unit of the Special Operations Command;

WHEREAS, in addition to his service and sacrifice as a member of the Philippine military, General Lim also courageously fought for his beliefs in many battles in Philippine politics;

WHEREAS, in his later years, he dedicated his life to public service in other government offices with professionalism, competence and integrity;

WHEREAS, he served as Deputy Commissioner of the Bureau of Customs and, most recently, as the Chairperson of the Metro Manila Development Authority (MMDA);

WHEREAS, he initiated efforts as MMDA Chairman to alleviate traffic problems in Metro Manila "by going back to the basics" and also gave priority to the welfare of employees by ensuring that they have accident insurance and other benefits;
WHEREAS, until his last breath, General Lim served his country, this time at the frontlines in the fight against Coronavirus Disease pandemic;

WHEREAS, in his passing, the country lost a noble soldier, an esteemed leader, and a public servant;

WHEREAS, he is survived by his wife, RAM Party-list Representative Aloysia Tiongson-Lim, and daughter Aika;

WHEREAS, he will be truly missed by the entire nation, and most especially by his family, child, friends, relatives, constituents, and loved ones;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives of the Republic of the Philippines, to express its profound condolences on the demise of Metro Manila Development Authority Chairperson Danilo Delapuz Lim.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the family of the deceased.

Adopted,

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