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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

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House Resolution No. 1894



Introduced by the Honorable Precious Hipolito Castelo

A RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING THE COLLECTIVE SENSE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO COMMEND AND CONGRATULATE THE IGLESIA NI CRISTO FOR SETTING A GOOD EXAMPLE IN COMPLYING WITH THE GOVERNMENT'S SET RULES AND REGULATIONS IN CONDUCTING RELIGIOUS GATHERINGS DURING THE PANDEMIC

WHEREAS, at the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic in March of 2020 where all mass gatherings were proscribed, the Iglesia Ni Cristo implemented among all its members uniform Household Worship Services (HWS) whereby their worship services, which they normally hold twice a week, would be held in their respective households officiated by the heads of the family;

WHEREAS, all Iglesia Ni Cristo households around the world received the same evangelical message and all Household Worship Services followed the same program;

WHEREAS, as soon as the government eased quarantine status and authorized religious gatherings, the Iglesia Ni Cristo directed church members to go back to the house of worship for their worship services;

WHEREAS, it is quite heartening to observe how worshippers, in abiding by the Church Administration's instructions, fully observe government's set rules and regulations in conducting religious gatherings, which include social distancing, wearing of face shield and face mask, proper disinfecting, and temperature monitoring;

WHEREAS, it is observed that this is how the Iglesia Ni Cristo scrupulously and responsibly conducts their worship services not only in the entire country, but all over the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives to express its collective sense to commend and congratulate the Iglesia Ni Cristo for setting a good example in complying with the government's set rules and regulations in conducting religious gatherings during the pandemic;

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the good office of Brother Eduardo V. Manalo, the current Executive Minister of the Iglesia Ni Cristo.

ADOPTED,


PRECIOUS HIPOLITO CASTELO