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House Resolution No. 1930

Introducing by Rep. ANGELO MARCOS BARBA  
2nd District, Ilocos Norte

A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING ERNEST JOHN “EJ” OBIENA FOR WINNING THE GOLD MEDAL IN THE JUMP AND FLY INTERNATIONAL ATHLETICS MEET IN MOSSINGEN, GERMANY HELD ON JUNE 11, 2021

WHEREAS, Filipino pole vaulter Ernest John “EJ” Obiena competed in the Jump and Fly International Athletics Meet in Mossingen, Germany held on June 11, 2021 (June 12, 2021, Philippine Time);

WHEREAS, EJ Obiena won the gold medal in the Jump and Fly International Athletics Meet after clearing a magnificent 5.85-meter (m) mark;

WHEREAS, Obiena has once again made history when he beat the record of 5.81m he set in Chiari, Italy in 2019;

WHEREAS, Obiena defeated German opponents Oleg Zernikel, Philip Kass and Tom-Linnus Humann, who cleared 5.70m and 5.40m, respectively;

WHEREAS, this is Obiena’s second gold medal in the outdoor European circuit in two weeks as he won the gold medal in Gothenburg, Sweden on June 3, 2021;

WHEREAS, the Tokyo Olympics-bound Filipino pole vaulter champion EJ Obiena deserves all the commendation for his consistent outstanding athletic performance and for bringing pride, honor, and inspiration to our country;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the House of Representatives to congratulate and commend Ernest John “EJ” Obiena for winning the gold medal in the Jump and Fly International Athletics Meet in Mossingen, Germany on June 11, 2021.

Adopted,

ANGELO MARCOS BARBA