WHEREAS, on July 1, 2021, Honorable Emigdio L. Lingad passed away at the age of 68;

WHEREAS, Honorable Lingad was born on May 24, 1953 in Lubao, Pampanga to Jose B. Lingad, former Governor and Representative of Pampanga, and Estela A. Layug;

WHEREAS, Honorable Lingad, or “Emy” to his family and friends, is survived by his wife, Dr. Rosalina Garcia Lingad and their son, Emil;

WHEREAS, Honorable Lingad completed his elementary education at Don Bosco Academy in San Fernando, Pampanga, and secondary education at San Beda College, Manila; earned his Bachelor of Arts in Economics and Political Science, and Bachelor of Science in Commerce degrees from the University of San Francisco in California, United States of America; and underwent military training at the Reserve Officers Training School at the United States Eighth Army in the same university;
WHEREAS, an economist and fiscal specialist by profession, Honorable Lingad first served in the government as revenue economist (1981 to 1984) and deputy commissioner (1986) of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, and undersecretary of the Department of Budget and Management;

WHEREAS, Honorable Lingad served as Member of the Regular Batasang Pambansa from 1984 to 1986, and Representative of the Second Legislative District of Pampanga during the Eighth Congress (1987 to 1992) and Ninth Congress (1987 to 1995);

WHEREAS, during his stint in the House of Representatives, Honorable Lingad co-authored vital economic and social legislations including Republic Act (RA) No. 7160, also known as the “Local Government Code of 1991”; RA 7638, also known as the “Department of Energy Act of 1992”; RA 7875, entitled “An Act Instituting a National Health Insurance Program for All Filipinos and Establishing the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation for the Purpose”; RA 6977, otherwise known as the “Magna Carta for Small Enterprises”; RA 6978, entitled “An Act to Promote Rural Development by Providing for an Accelerated Program within a Ten-year Period for the Construction of Irrigation Projects”; RA 7368, otherwise known as “Countryside Industrialization Act of 1992”; RA 7844, otherwise known as the “Export Development Act of 1994”; RA 7637, otherwise known as the “Mt. Pinatubo Assistance, Resettlement and Development Fund”; RA 7640, entitled the “An Act Constituting the Legislative-Executive Development Advisory Council”; RA 6939, the law creating the Cooperative Development Authority; RA 7077, otherwise known as “Citizens Armed Force or Armed Forces of the Philippines Reservist Act”; RA 6758, otherwise known as the “Compensation and Position Classification Act of 1989”; RA 7431, otherwise known as the “Radiologic Technology Act of 1992”; and RA 7687, otherwise known as the “Science and Technology Scholarship Act of 1994”;

WHEREAS, with a vision of providing adequate health care for his constituents, Honorable Lingad also principally authored local measures aimed at improving health care services in the Province of Pampanga, such as RA No. 7201, entitled “An Act Increasing the Bed Capacity of the Pampanga Provincial Hospital in the Municipality of Guagua, Province of Pampanga from Twenty-Five (25) to One Hundred (100) Beds, and Appropriating Funds Therefor”; and RA 7211, entitled “An Act Increasing the Bed Capacity of the Scholastica Romero District Hospital in the Municipality of Lubao, Province of Pampanga from Fifty (50) to Seventy-Five (75) Beds, and Appropriating Funds Therefor”;

WHEREAS, Honorable Emigdio L. Lingad worked tirelessly for the economic development of the Province of Pampanga and of the country, and
demonstrated his dedication for public service through active participation in committee hearings, legislative investigations, and plenary deliberations;

WHEREAS, an active and committed civic leader, Honorable Lingad was also a steadfast member of the Philippine Jaycees and Guagua Jaycees;

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives pays tribute to a former colleague and good friend, Honorable Emigdio L. Lingad, for his invaluable service to the nation: Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, To express its profound condolences to the family of Honorable Emigdio L. Lingad, former Representative of the Second Legislative District of Pampanga during the Eighth and Ninth Congresses.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, That a copy of this Resolution be furnished the bereaved family.

Adopted,

LORD ALLAN JAY Q. VELASCO

JOSEPH STEPHEN “CARAPS” S. PADUANO  FERDINAND MARTIN G. ROMUALDEZ