A RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILM SCORER/ COMPOSER DENISE SANTOS FOR WINNING THE “OUTSTANDING MUSIC COMPOSITION” IN THE 42ND ANNUAL NEWS AND DOCUMENTARY EMMY AWARDS

WHEREAS, Ms. Denise Santos is a Filipino film scorer and composer specializing in film and television music. She is currently based in Los Angeles, California.

WHEREAS, born and raised in the Philippines, Ms. Santos started playing classical piano when she was 4 years old and learned to play the guitar when she was 13 years old. She began composing original music in high school during which she joined her school’s theatre guild. She composed and performed music for their production. Eventually, she joined several bands of different genres, most notable of which is the jazz/alternative band “Hidden Nikki”.

WHEREAS, in 2014, Ms. Santos moved to Los Angeles and attained a certificate in Film Scoring from the University of California-Los Angeles (UCLA). She trained under esteemed professors in music theory and orchestration. Currently, she an in-house composer for Hans Zimmer & Sony Music's partner company, Bleeding Fingers. Her most recent works include original music for the

WHEREAS, Some of Ms. Santos' other recent projects include Discovery Channel's reality series, “Alaskan Bush People”, Amazon Prime's 'Making the Cut,’ and Lifetime's documentary series, “Surviving Jeffrey Epstein”.

WHEREAS, an Emmy Award, or simply Emmy, is a trophy presented at the annual American competition that recognize achievements in the television industry. The Emmy is considered one of the four major entertainment awards in the US.

WHEREAS, The News and Documentary Emmy Awards are presented by the National Academy of Television and Sciences (NATAS) in recognition of excellence in American national news and documentary programming. Voting is done by peer judging panels between May and June. The Academy’s panel of judges consists of those with significant experience in national news or documentary reporting or production. Most categories have two (2) voting rounds with separate judging panels in each round. The top entries in each category are announced as the "nominations" and then the top entry is announced as the Emmy winner later at the awards ceremony.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to express its congratulations and commendation to Ms. Denise Santos for winning the “Outstanding Music Composition” at the 42nd Annual Emmy Awards.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to Ms. Denise Garcia.

ADOPTED.

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