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Begun and held in Metro Manila, on Monday, the twenty-second day of July, two thousand nineteen.

RESOLUTION NO. 62

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING ALEXANDRA “ALEX” M. EALA FOR WINNING THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN JUNIORS’ TENNIS COMPETITION DOUBLES CATEGORY HELD IN MELBOURNE PARK, AUSTRALIA ON JANUARY 31, 2020

WHEREAS, the Philippines’ Alexandra “Alex” Eala made history when she won the Junior Girls’ Doubles Category of the 2020 Australian Open Tennis Competition along with Indonesian tennis partner Priska Madelyn Nugroho on January 31, 2020;

WHEREAS, the fourteen (14)-year-old tennis player’s excellent performance earned her a total score of one thousand seven hundred eighteen point

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seventy-five (1,718.75), placing her as fourth in the latest
International Tennis Federation (ITF) World Juniors
Tennis Ranking for girls;

WHEREAS, Eala, who made the third round of the
girls' singles in Melbourne, became the first Filipina to
win a Grand Slam event since 2009 when Francis Casey
Alcantara and his partner ruled the Australian Open
Boys' Doubles;

WHEREAS, the Australian Open is one of the biggest
sporting events in the Southern Hemisphere;

WHEREAS, Eala first made it to top thirteen (13)
in the ITF rankings in October 2019, after her silver
medal finish at the Osaka Mayor’s Cup-World Super
Junior Tennis Championships in Japan, and when she
led Team Philippines in winning the First Asia-Oceania
Championship in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in the same year;

WHEREAS, Eala's high ITF ranking qualifies her to
compete in the next top three (3) high level Grand Slam
tournaments of the Wimbledon, U.S. Open, and the
French Open;

WHEREAS, Eala, who started her career at the very
young age of six (6) years old, has consistently shown
determination, passion, hard work and perseverance, and
like all other great Filipino athletes, she has placed the
Philippines at the forefront of international competitions
in tennis, and thus deserves to be commended: Now,
therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, To
congratulate and commend Alexandra "Alex" Eala for
winning the Australian Open Juniors' Tennis Competition
Doubles Category held in Melbourne Park, Australia on
seventy-five (1,718.75), placing her as fourth in the latest International Tennis Federation (ITF) World Juniors Tennis Ranking for girls;

WHEREAS, Eala, who made the third round of the girls’ singles in Melbourne, became the first Filipina to win a Grand Slam event since 2009 when Francis Casey Alcantara and his partner ruled the Australian Open Boys’ Doubles;

WHEREAS, the Australian Open is one of the biggest sporting events in the Southern Hemisphere;

WHEREAS, Eala first made it to top thirteen (13) in the ITF rankings in October 2019, after her silver medal finish at the Osaka Mayor’s Cup-World Super Junior Tennis Championships in Japan, and when she led Team Philippines in winning the First Asia-Oceania Championship in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in the same year;

WHEREAS, Eala’s high ITF ranking qualifies her to compete in the next top three (3) high level Grand Slam tournaments of the Wimbledon, U.S. Open, and the French Open;

WHEREAS, Eala, who started her career at the very young age of six (6) years old, has consistently shown determination, passion, hard work and perseverance, and like all other great Filipino athletes, she has placed the Philippines at the forefront of international competitions in tennis, and thus deserves to be commended: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, To congratulate and commend Alexandra “Alex” Eala for winning the Australian Open Juniors’ Tennis Competition Doubles Category held in Melbourne Park, Australia on January 31, 2020.

Resolved, further, That Filipina World Juniors’ Tennis champion Alexandra “Alex” Eala be furnished with a copy of this Resolution.

Adopted,

ALAN PETER "COMPAÑERO" S. CAYETANO
Speaker

This Resolution was adopted by the House of Representatives on June 4, 2020.

JOSE LUIS G. MONTALES
Secretary General