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## RESOLUTION No. 109

RESOLUTION COMMENDING GERALDINE BANIQUED, ANGELINE BANIQUED AND STEPHANIE ANNE OLIVEROS FOR WINNING IN THE 7<sup>TH</sup> MATH OLYMPIAD HELD IN CHINA

WHEREAS, three young Filipina math wizards bagged three medals in the 7th Math Olympiad held on 14-18 August 2008, in Zhongshan, China;

WHEREAS, the medal winners are Geraldine Baniqued, 15, a junior high school student at St. Paul College-Pasig, who won a silver medal, Angeline Baniqued, 17, a senior high school student also at St. Paul College-Pasig, who won a bronze medal, and Stephanie Anne Oliveros, a graduate of the Philippine Science High School and now a freshman at the Ateneo de Manila University, who likewise won a bronze medal;

WHEREAS, the six-member Philippine team competed with the best female math wizards from the different parts of China and the United States, which both fielded several teams, and Russia, Hong Kong and Macau;

WHEREAS, the competition was originally established as a regional competition for teams of female high school students from China and other eastern Asian countries (including Russia);

WHEREAS, the competition has now expanded to countries from around the world including participants from the USA, Canada, South Africa and Australia;

WHEREAS, our young students continue to show that Filipinos can also be excellent in Math like their counterparts in other countries and that the three young Filipina winners have given honor, recognition and goodwill to our country: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, To commend Geraldine Baniqued, Angeline Baniqued and Stephanie Anne Oliveros for winning in the 7<sup>th</sup> Math Olympiad held in China.

Adopted,

MANNY VILLAR
President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on September 3, 2008.

EMMA LIRIO REYES Secretary of the Senate