

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 22nd City Council

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109th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 10043, S-2024

A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE SINCEREST CONGRATULATIONS AND COMMENDATION BY THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT, HEADED BY THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, THE CITY VICE MAYOR, HONORABLE GIAN G. SOTTO, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE 22ND CITY COUNCIL TO THE PHILIPPINE MEN'S CURLING TEAM FOR ITS HISTORIC ACHIEVEMENT IN WINNING THE COUNTRY'S FIRST GOLD MEDAL AT THE 2025 ASIAN WINTER GAMES

Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE M.D. and JHON ANGELLI "Sami" C. NERI

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Ram V. Medalla, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo and Jose Maria M. Rodriguez

WHEREAS, the Philippine Men's Curling Team has brought immense pride and honor to the Nation by securing the Country's first-ever gold medal at the Asian Winter Games;

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2025, at the Harbin Pingfang Curling Arena in Harbin, China, the team achieved a historic 5-3 victory over South Korea in the men's curling final, marking a significant milestone for Philippine sports;

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WHEREAS, the team, composed of Marc Pfister (Skip), Christian Haller (Third), Enrico Pfister (Second), Alan Frei (Lead) and Benjo Delarmente (Alternate), demonstrated exceptional skill, dedication and teamwork throughout the competition;

WHEREAS, Dr. Benjo Delarmente, M.D., PhD, also serves as the President of the Curling Winter Sports Association of the Philippines, further contributes to the development and promotion of the sport in the Country;

WHEREAS, the Team was guided by their dedicated coaches, Coach Miguel Guttierez and Coach Jessica Pfister, whose expertise and leadership played a crucial role in its success;

WHEREAS, this remarkable achievement is the result of years of rigorous training and commitment to excellence, making the team an inspiration to aspiring athletes and young people not only in Quezon City but across the Nation;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Council recognizes the significance of the Team's accomplishment and wishes to honor it for its extraordinary contribution to sports and their role as models of excellence for the Quezon City youth.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to extend, as it does hereby extend, the sincerest congratulations and commendation by the Quezon City Government, headed by the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, the City Vice Mayor, Honorable Gian G. Sotto, and the Members of the 22nd City Council to the Philippine Men's Curling Team for its historic achievement in winning the Country's first gold medal at the 2025 Asian Winter Games.

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the members of the Philippine Men's Curling Team, the Curling Winter Sports Association of the Philippines, the Philippine Olympic Committee, and other concerned offices for their information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED: February 24, 2025.

GIAN G. SOTTO City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III City Government Department Head III (City Council Secretary)

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 24, 2025 and was CONFIRMED on March 3, 2025.

ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III City Government Department Head III (City Council Secretary)