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Introduced by **Senator TEOFISTO "TG" GUINGONA III**

RESOLUTION
EXPRESSING SOLIDARITY WITH FILIPINO MUSLIMS AND MUSLIMS ALL
OVER THE WORLD IN THE OBSERVANCE OF RAMADAN.

WHEREAS, Ramadan, which is the ninth month in the Hijrah or Islamic lunar calendar, is the holy month of fasting and spiritual renewal for Filipino Muslims and Muslims worldwide;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Congress has recognized the vital importance of Ramadan and *Eidul Fitr* through Republic Act No. 9177 which declared the first day of *Shawwal*, the tenth month of the Islamic calendar a national holiday for the observance of *Eidul Fitr*;

WHEREAS, this year's Ramadan begins around August 11 and culminates with the *Eidul Fitr* one month later;

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, To express, as it hereby expresses, its solidarity with Filipino Muslims and Muslims all over the world when they start to observe Ramadan in their areas and when they celebrate the *Eidul Fitr*.

Adopted,


TEOFISTO "TG" GUINGONA III
Senator