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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2311



Introduced by Hon. Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez, Hon. Yedda Marie K. Romualdez, Hon. Christopher V.P. de Venecia, Hon. Rachel Marguerite B. Del Mar, Hon. Anna Victoria Veloso-Tuazon, Hon. Lani Mercado-Revilla, Hon. Bryan B. Revilla, Hon. Ramon Jolo B. Revilla III, Hon. Marlyn "Len" B. Alonte, Hon. Jefferson F. Khonghun, Hon. Kristine Singson-Meehan, Hon. Claudine Diana D. Bautista-Lim, Hon. Rufus B. Rodriguez, Hon. Jose Arturo S. Garcia Jr., Hon. Edward Vera Perez Maceda, Hon. Angelica Natasha Co, Hon. Linabelle Ruth R. Villarica, Hon. Angelo Marcos Barba, Hon. Patrick Michael D. Vargas, Hon. Lianda B. Bolilia, Hon. Tsuyoshi Anthony G. Horibata, Hon. Amparo Maria J. Zamora, Hon. Mark O. Go, Hon. Antonio B. Legarda Jr., Hon. Marissa "Del Mar" P. Magsino

A RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING THE LATE FREDERICK CHARLES CABALLES DAVAO, PROFESSIONALLY KNOWN AS "RICKY DAVAO," FOR HIS OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO PHILIPPINE CINEMA, TELEVISION, AND THEATER

WHEREAS, veteran actor and director Ricky Davao passed away on May 2, 2025, at the age of 63, leaving behind an illustrious career spanning more than four decades across film, television, and theater;

WHEREAS, Mr. Ricky Davao began his artistic journey in 1978, transitioning from a dancer in the Vicor Crowd dance group to a promising actor with his first role in Armando Herrera's film *Patayin si Mediavillo*—marking the start of a prolific career in the entertainment industry;

WHEREAS, throughout his career, Mr. Davao earned acclaim for his nuanced and versatile performances, starring in critically acclaimed films such as *Saranggola*, *Huwag Mong Buhayin ang Bangkay*, *Abot Hanggang Sukdulan*, *Ipaglaban Mo The Movie*, *Ang Lalaki sa Buhay ni Selya*, and *Saan Nagtatago ang Pag-Ibig?*, among many others;

WHEREAS, Mr. Davao garnered numerous accolades including the Gawad Urian and Manila Film Festival Best Actor awards for *Saranggola* in 1999; the Film Academy of the Philippines

Best Actor award for *Minsan May Isang Puso* in 2002; and the FAMAS Best Supporting Actor award for *Deliver Us (Iadya Mo Kami)* in 2017;

WHEREAS, Mr. Davao continued to demonstrate excellence in his later years, receiving the Best Supporting Actor award from the Philippine Movie Press Club (PMPC) Star Awards for Movies in 2021 for his role in the Cinemalaya film *Fuccbois*;

WHEREAS, aside from acting, Mr. Davao made significant contributions as a television and theater director, earning respect in the industry for his leadership, professionalism, and mentorship of young talents;

WHEREAS, Mr. Davao also made an impact in theater with standout performances in productions such as *Bongbong at Kris* and *Insiang*, reinforcing his commitment to the performing arts in all its forms;

WHEREAS, Mr. Davao's legacy includes his most recent works in *Karnabal*, *Ang Mga Kaibigan ni Mama Susan*, *Sosyal Climbers*, *Monday First Screening*, and the series *Cattleya Killer*, reflecting his enduring passion for storytelling and commitment to his craft up to his final years;

WHEREAS, Ricky Davao's enduring artistry, professionalism, and creative leadership have left an indelible mark on Philippine entertainment, serving as an inspiration to future generations of Filipino artists;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives, to honor and commend Frederick Charles Caballes Davao, professionally known as Ricky Davao, for his invaluable contributions to the Philippine creative industries and for his exemplary service to the cultural life of the nation.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the family of the late Ricky Davao as a token of the House's profound respect and recognition and another copy be prepared for submission to the National Historical Commission of the Philippines for proper archiving.

Adopted,


HON. FERDINAND MARTIN G. ROMUALDEZ



HON. YEDDA MARIE K. ROMUALDEZ



HON. CHRISTOPHER V.P. DE VENECIA



HON. RACHEL MARGUERITE B. DEL
MAR



HON. ANNA VICTORIA VELOSO-TUAZON




HON. LANI MERCADO-REVILLA



HON. BRYAN B. REVILLA



HON. RAMON JOLO B. REVILLA III



HON. MARLYN "LEN" B. ALONTE



HON. JEFFERSON F. KHONGHUN



HON. KRISTINE SINGSON-MEEHAN



HON. CLAUDINE DIANA D. BAUTISTA-LIM



HON. RUFUS B. RODRIGUEZ



HON. JOSE ARTURO S. GARCIA JR.



HON. EDWARD VERA PEREZ MACEDA



HON. ANGELICA NATASHA CO



HON. LINABELLE RUTH R. VILLARICA



HON. ANGELO MARCOS BARBA



HON. ALFRED D. VARGAS



HON. LANDA B. BOLILIA



HON. TSUYOSHI ANTHONY G. HORIBATA



HON. AMPARO MARIA J. ZAMORA



HON. MARK O. GO



HON. ANTONIO B. LEGARDA JR.



HON. MARISSA "DEL MAR" P. MAGSINO