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H. RES. 665

Honoring the 114th anniversary of the independence of the Philippines.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 18, 2012

Ms. RICHARDSON (for herself, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. AUSTRIA, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Ms. HANABUSA, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FARR, and Mr. SHERMAN) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

RESOLUTION

Honoring the 114th anniversary of the independence of the
Philippines.

- 1 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—
- 2 (1) recognizes the historic significance of the
- 3 114th anniversary of the sovereign and independent
- 4 country of the Philippines on June 12, 1898;
- 5 (2) reaffirms the bonds of friendship and co-
- 6 operation which have existed between the United
- 7 States and the Philippines and commits to strength-
- 8 ening those bonds;

1 (3) commends the people of the Philippines for
2 enduring through struggle and hardship;

3 (4) reaffirms its support for the Philippines to
4 defend its internal security from terrorism;

5 (5) reaffirms its enduring support for the Phil-
6 ippines;

7 (6) supports increased public awareness of the
8 events surrounding the Philippine Declaration of
9 Independence, and the vibrant and beautiful culture
10 of the Philippines;

11 (7) recognizes the courage and bravery of the
12 Filipino and Filipino American servicemen and serv-
13 icewomen who have fought alongside and in the
14 United States Armed Forces; and

15 (8) supports the continuing development of the
16 Filipino American community as a integral part of
17 America's cultural fabric.

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