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OPENING OF SESSION

At 9:30 a.m., the President, the Honorable Cecilia Muñoz Palma, opened the session.

THE PRESIDENT: The session is called to order.

NATIONAL ANTHEM

THE PRESIDENT: Everybody will please rise to sing the National Anthem.

Everybody rose to sing the National Anthem.

THE PRESIDENT: Everybody will please remain standing for the Prayer to be led by the Honorable Lino O. Brocka.

Everybody remained standing for the Prayer.

PRAYER

MR. BROCKA: Panginoon, Ikaw ang nagsabing: "Ano man ang gawin ninyo para sa pinakaaba sa Aking mga kapatid ay ginagawa ninyo para sa Akin."

Ituro Mo po sa amin ang tamang landas upang matulungan ang pinakaaba sa Iyong mga kapatid dito sa aming bayan. Kay tagal nilang nagdusa sa ilalim ng isang diktadura; kay tagal nilang tiniis ang tanikala ng pang-aapi at pagsasamantala.

Panginoon, bigyan Mo po kami ng ugat upang hindi kami malayo sa tunay na kalagayan ng sambayanang Pilipino. Higit sa lahat, bigyan Mo po Kami ng bagwis upang matapos namin sa lalong madaling panahon ang tungkuling iniatas sa amin — ang tungkuling bigyang lunas ang paghihirap ng aming sambayanan di lamang sa langit kundi lalo't higit dito sa lupa. Siya nawa.

ROLL CALL

THE PRESIDENT: The Secretary-General will call the roll.

THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, *reading*:

Abubakar	Present*	Azcuna	Present*
Alonto	Absent	Bacani	Absent
Aquino	Present	Bengzon	Present
Bennagen	Present	Ople	Present
Bernas	Present	Padilla	Present
Rosario Braid	Present	Quesada	Present

Brocka	Present	Rama	Present
Calderon	Present	Regalado	Present
Castro de	Present	Reyes de los	Present
Colayco	Present	Rigos	Present
Concepcion	Present	Rodrigo	Present
Davide	Present	Romulo	Present
Foz	Present	Rosales	Present
Garcia	Present	Sarmiento	Present
Gascon	Present*	Suarez	Present
Guingona	Present	Sumulong	Present
Jamir	Present	Tadeo	Present*
Laurel	Present	Tan	Present
Lerum	Present	Tingson	Present
Maambong	Present*	Treñas	Present
Monsod	Present	Uka	Present*
Natividad	Present*	Villacorta	Present
Nieva	Present	Villegas	Present
Nolledo	Present		

The President is present.

The roll call shows 37 Members responded to the call.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair declares the presence of a quorum.

MR. RAMA: Madam President.

THE PRESIDENT: The Floor Leader is recognized.

APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

MR. RAMA: I move to dispense with the reading of the Journal of the last session and to approve the same.

THE PRESIDENT: Is there any objection? (*Silence*) The Chair hears none; the motion is approved.

MR. RAMA: Madam President.

THE PRESIDENT: The Floor Leader is recognized.

MR. RAMA: I move that we proceed to the Reference of Business.

THE PRESIDENT: Is there any objection? (*Silence.*) The Chair hears none; the motion is approved.

The Secretary-General will read the Reference of Business.

REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

The Secretary-General read the following Proposed Resolutions on First Reading and Communications, the President making the corresponding references:

PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

Proposed Resolution No. 92, entitled:

RESOLUTION TO INCORPORATE IN THE NEW CONSTITUTION A PROVISION WHICH PROHIBITS CONGRESS TO DEFINE, PRESCRIBE AND APPORTION THE JURISDICTION OF INFERIOR COURTS WITHOUT THE PRIOR RECOMMENDATION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

Introduced by Hon. Davide, Jr.

To the Committee on the Legislative.

Proposed Resolution No. 93, entitled:

RESOLUTION PROPOSING TO LIMIT THE AREA OF PRIVATE AGRICULTURAL LAND THAT MAY BE ACQUIRED BY NATURALIZED FILIPINO CITIZENS AND PROVIDING FOR THE ESCHEAT OF ANY HELD IN EXCESS OF THE LIMITATION.

Introduced by Hon. Davide, Jr.

To the Committee on Social Justice and Social Services.

Proposed Resolution No. 94, entitled:

RESOLUTION TO INCORPORATE IN THE NEW CONSTITUTION A PROVISION PROVIDING COMPENSATION FOR LOSS OF TIME AND INCOME TO AN ACCUSED WHO IS DETAINED DURING THE PENDENCY OF A CASE EITHER BECAUSE OF THE UNBAILABILITY OF THE OFFENSE CHARGED OR FOR FAILURE TO PUT UP BAIL BY REASON OF POVERTY BUT IS ACQUITTED AFTER TRIAL OR RELEASED BY THE DISMISSAL OF THE CASE FOR CAUSES NOT ATTRIBUTABLE TO HIM.

Introduced by Hon. Davide, Jr.

To the Committee on Citizenship, Bill of Rights, Political Rights and Obligations and Human Rights.

Proposed Resolution No. 95, entitled:

RESOLUTION TO INCORPORATE IN THE NEW CONSTITUTION A PROVISION EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF THE PROHIBITION ON DOUBLE COMPENSATION SUCH AS ALLOWANCES, PER DIEMS AND REPRESENTATION EXPENSES AS WELL AS COMPENSATION FOR ANOTHER BUT COMPATIBLE OFFICE.

Introduced by Hon. Davide, Jr.

To the Committee on General Provisions.

Proposed Resolution No. 96, entitled: