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RESOLUTION No. 75

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND
SYMPATHY AND SINCERE CONDOLENCES OF
THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES ON THE
DEATH OF DON HENRY R. CANOY, ONE OF
THE PILLARS OF PHILIPPINE RADIO
INDUSTRY

WHEREAS, Don Henry R. Canoy, the Father of Radio Mindanao Network (RMN), outstanding public servant, philanthropist, loving husband and dedicated father, passed away on 16 May 2008 at the age of 84;

WHEREAS, although he came from a family of teachers and businessmen, Don Henry R. Canoy had dreamt of putting up a radio station and pursued his interests in broadcast communications;

WHEREAS, the year 1948 marked the realization of his dreams as he established a modest radio station in Cagayan de Oro City which was initially equipped with amplifier, turntable, microphone and a loud speaker;

WHEREAS, on 23 June 1952, he was granted a permit to maintain and operate a radio broadcasting station in Cagayan de Oro City;

WHEREAS, on 28 August 1952, the first radio station in Cagayan de Oro City was born as the airplane echoed the words "*This is Radio Station DXCC, Cagayan de Oro calling. . .*";

WHEREAS, fully aware of the rising competition in the business, he founded Radio Mindanao Network which grew to a family of AM/FM radio stations in early 1990s, and is now the largest fleet of radio stations in the Philippine archipelago commanding over fifty (50) broadcast stations from Jolo to Aparri;


WHEREAS, he was the one who opened the eyes of the people of Cagayan de Oro to public service by establishing the Jambalaya Fund Drive, the first public service program launched by DXCC which became the instrument used for community service in his town;

WHEREAS, the death of Don Henry R. Canoy, a man who had exhibited during his lifetime a deep concern and untainted love for the Philippine Radio Industry, is a great loss to the nation and the Filipino people: Now, therefore, be it


Resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, To express, as it hereby expresses, its profound sympathy and sincere condolences on the death of Don Henry R. Canoy, one of the pillars of Philippine Radio Industry.

Resolved, further, That a copy of this Resolution be furnished the bereaved family of Don Henry R. Canoy.

Adopted,


MANNY VILLAR
President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on
May 20, 2008.


EMMA LIRIO-REYES
Secretary of the Senate
Resol. of the Senate

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