

Republic of the Philippines  
**TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**  
East Service Road, South Luzon Expressway, Taguig, Metro Manila

**140<sup>th</sup> TESDA BOARD MEETING**  
06 December 2022, Tuesday, 1:00 p.m.  
TESDA Board Room, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, TESDA Main Building  
East Service Road, Taguig City

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**RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF  
MR. ISIDRO ANTONIO C. ASPER,  
TESDA BOARD MEMBER REPRESENTING THE LABOR SECTOR**

**WHEREAS, MR. ISIDRO ANTONIO C. ASPER, was appointed as a TESDA Board Member representing the Labor Sector on December 12, 1994 and was subsequently and continuously re-appointed since then, spanning three decades, effectively serving five administrations;**

**WHEREAS, his involvement with TESDA serving as one of the original members of the TESDA Board, as well as Council Member of its precursor agency, the National Manpower and Youth Council (NMYC), is an indication of his commitment to the development of the country's workforce through technical-vocational education and training (TVET);**

**WHEREAS, his expertise, passion, and dedication in promoting labor rights and the role of TVET in the labor market has contributed immensely to what TESDA is now, having led the TESDA Board Direction Setting Committee.**

**WHEREAS, he was a ceaseless supporter and advocate of labor rights and movement having been with the Federation of Free Workers since 1972 as its Senior Vice President for Political and External Affairs. He is also a member of the Board of Trustees and Member, Technical Committee of two non-government organizations, the Center for Agrarian Reform and Rural Development and the Kaunlaran ng Manggagawang Pilipino, Inc. respectively. These organizations have advocated for the promotion of decent work and the implementation of labor standards as well as the promotion of social entrepreneurship among vulnerable and marginalized workers;**

**WHEREAS, he was a loving husband to his wife Mrs. Ana Asper, and a nurturing father to his children, Gwendolyn Asper-Delogu and Aries Asper;**

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**WHEREAS**, the TESDA Board received information of the demise of Board Member Isidro Antonio C. Asper last August 21, 2022;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, in recognition of Board Member Asper's commitment and contributions to the labor sector, to TESDA as an institution, and to the whole TVET sector, which are immeasurable, and worthy of emulation, the TESDA Board in its 140<sup>th</sup> TESDA Board meeting unanimously approved the proposal to give honor to his life and service to the country and its people;

**BE IT RESOLVED FINALLY**, that a copy of this Resolution be given to the family of the late MR. ISIDRO ANTONIO C. ASPER, as a demonstration of the overwhelming appreciation of the TESDA Board and the whole of TESDA to the service of Board Member Asper.

Approved this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 2022.

  
**SEC. BIENVENIDO E. LAGUESMA**  
DOLE Secretary and TESDA Board  
Chairperson

  
**DANILO P. CRUZ**  
Technical Education and Skills Development  
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**MR. RENE LUIS M. TADLA**  
Board Member, Labor Sector

  
**MR. RAMON R. DE LEON**  
Board Member, Labor Sector

**MR. ROGELIO J. CHAVEZ, JR.**  
Board Member, Labor Sector

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Board Member, Education and Training  
Sector

  
**MS. MARY G. NG**  
Board Member, Business and Investment  
Sector

  
**DR. LEONIDA BAYANI-ORTIZ**  
Board Member, Employer Sector

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Board Secretary VI