



SECOND REGULAR SESSION

RESOLUTION NO. 86

**RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SYMPATHY AND MOST SINCERE
CONDOLENCES OF THE BANGSAMORO TRANSITION
AUTHORITY ON THE DEMISE OF FATHER TERESITO “CHITO”
SUGANOB, VICAR-GENERAL OF THE PRELATURE OF MARAWI**

WHEREAS, Fr. Teresito “Chito” Suganob served as the Vicar-General of Prelature of Marawi for 26 years and distinguished himself as an advocate of peace, education and inter-faith dialogue among the tri-people of Mindanao;

WHEREAS, from May 23 to September 16, 2017, the late Fr. Suganob was held hostage by the combined forces of the Abu Sayaff and Maute Group during the Marawi siege;

WHEREAS, after his release from the captivity, he continued to support the Mindanao peace process and actively participated in the campaign for the passage of the Bangsamoro Organic Law during the 17th Congress;

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2017 during the 16th Mindanao Sulu Pastoral Conference, Davao City’s Archbishop Emeritus Fernando Capalla described the late Fr. Suganob as the “Martyr of Dialogue”;

WHEREAS, Fr. Suganob died of cardiac arrest in his sleep in his hometown in Norala, South Cotabato early morning, July 22, 2020;

WHEREAS, the late Fr. Suganob will definitely be missed by his friends and family in the peace-building community of Mindanao.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, to express its sympathy and most sincere condolences to the family of Fr. Teresito “Chito” Suganob and to the Catholic Community, on his passing on July 22, 2020.


RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the bereaved family of the late Fr. Teresito “Chito” Suganob.

Adopted, July 23, 2020.

Certified Correct:


PROF. BABY B. ANGKAL
Secretary-General

Attested:


ATTY. ALI PANGALIAN M. BALINDONG
Speaker

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