



Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

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HOUSE BILL NO. 622

Introduced by Hon. Fernando V. Gonzalez

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to declare March 24 of every year as a special non-working holiday in the City of Ligao, Province of Albay, in commemoration of its founding anniversary.

Since it is a special non-working holiday, most if not all of the city populace will be able to participate in the scheduled activities for that day such as contests, trade exhibits, and games, and others, without those employed worrying about loss of personal income during that day.

It is worth noting that during the previous Sixteenth Congress, this bill was approved on Third Reading at the House of Representatives. Unfortunately, the Senate was not able to act on it on time.

In view thereof, approval of this bill is earnestly sought.

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AN ACT

DECLARING MARCH 24 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF LIGAO, PROVINCE OF ALBAY, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:

SECTION 1. March 24 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working holiday in the City of Ligao, Province of Albay, in commemoration of its founding anniversary.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,

