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HOUSE BILL NO. 691

Introduced by HONORABLE STELLA LUZ A. QUIMBO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to establish a national elementary school in Barangay Tumana in the Second District of Marikina City to be known as the "Tumana National Elementary School".

At present, there is no existing public or private elementary school in Barangay Tumana. Students from this Barangay continue their education in other elementary schools in Marikina City. However, during enrollment period, these schools prioritize students coming from their localities, leaving students from Barangay Tumana waiting for admission to said learning institutions.

The establishment of a national elementary school in Barangay Tumana also seeks to lower the average student-classroom ratio of one hundred is to one (100:1) in the surrounding Barangays where they are forced to enroll and to increase the city's student participation rate in elementary school education. This will certainly help improve the quality of education in Marikina City, especially in the elementary school level.

In view thereof, the expedient approval of this bill is strongly recommended.

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AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN BARANGAY TUMANA,
IN THE SECOND DISTRICT, CITY OF MARIKINA, TO BE KNOWN AS TUMANA
NATIONAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Philippines in
2 Congress assembled:
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4 SECTION 1. Establishment of a National Elementary School. There is hereby
5 established, under the supervision of the Department of Education, a national
6 elementary school in Barangay Tumana, in the Second District, City of Marikina, to
7 be known as Tumana National Elementary School.
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9 SEC 2. Appropriations. The Secretary of the Department of Education shall
10 immediately include in the Department’s program the operationalization of Tumana
11 National Elementary School, the funding of which shall be included in the annual
12 General Appropriations Act.
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14 SEC 3. Implementation. The Secretary of Education shall issue such rules and
15 regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.
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17 SEC 4. Effectivity Clause. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
18 publication in the Official Gazette.
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20 Approved,