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HOUSE BILL NO. 1919

Introduced by: “KUYA” JOSE ANTONIO R. SY-ALVARADO

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PESOS (PHP 12,000.00) TO THE BASIC SALARY OF ALL ELEMENTARY AND
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THEREFOR

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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