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HOUSE BILL No. 2614

Introduced by HON. RUTH MARIANO-HERNANDEZ

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to increase the existing bed capacity of the Bay District Hospital in the Municipality of Bay, Laguna from twenty five (25) to fifty (50) beds, and upgrade its professional health care services and facilities, and commensurately increase the number of its medical personnel and its appropriate funding.


The Bay District Hospital provides a wide coverage of quality curative and preventive health care. The hospital currently caters to the people of Bay, Los Baños, Calauan, Pila, and Victoria that have a combined population of 348,788.

Upgrading the said hospital is crucial to continuing the improvement and improvisation of government's health care services to the people, particularly in the Province of Laguna.

This bill will definitely expand and intensify government's efforts to effectively service the health requirements and needs of our people.

In view of the foregoing, the passage of this measure is urgently requested.

Approved,



HON. RUTH MARIANO-HERNANDEZ
2nd District, Laguna

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AN ACT
INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE BAY DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAY, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA FROM TWENTY FIVE (25) TO FIFTY (50) BEDS, UPGRADING ITS PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES AND FACILITIES, AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE OF ITS MEDICAL PERSONNEL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. This Act shall be known as the “Bay District Hospital Upgrading Act of 2019”.

SECTION 2. The Bay District Hospital in the Municipality of Bay, Province of Laguna, is hereby converted into a fifty (50) bed capacity district hospital.

SECTION 3. The existing hospital facilities and professional health care services of the Bay District Hospital are hereby upgraded and increased commensurate to the increase in bed capacity. The Department of Health, in coordination with the Department of Budget and Management and the Civil Service Commission, shall determine the additional positions to be created pursuant to this Act.

SECTION 4. The Provincial Government of Laguna shall continue to provide funding for the Bay District Hospital. The Secretary of Health shall include in the Department’s subsidy program, support for the capital outlay requirements of the said district hospital.

SECTION 5. If any provision or part of this Act is declared unconstitutional, the remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. All other laws, decrees, orders, proclamations, issuances, rules and regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in any newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,