EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Paracelis National High School was established in January, 1978 and had its permanent location when Serapio Gawan, a native of Paracelis, Mountain Province donated fourteen thousand square meters (14,000.00 sq. m.) of his land at sitio Marat, Poblacion, Paracelis, Mountain Province purposely for education.

Since it started, Paracelis National High School produced a number of students who became professionals and productive members of the community. At present, it has a population of six hundred thirty five (635) students and continues to grow annually in terms of student population.

In recognition to Mr. Gawan’s generosity, altruism and his priceless contribution to the education of the people of the eastern part of Mountain Province particularly, Barlig, Natolin and Paracelis, it is but proper to change the name of Paracelis National High School to Serapio Gawan National High School. In addition, the renaming of the school will give it a sense of history and significance.

In view of the foregoing, approval of the bill is earnestly sought.

MAXIMO, JR. Y. DALOG
Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
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HOUSE BILL NO. 5348

INTRODUCED BY REP. MAXIMO, JR. Y. DALOG

AN ACT CHANGING THE NAME OF PARACELIS NATIONAL HIGH
SCHOOL IN BARANGAY POBLACION, MUNICIPALITY OF PARACELIS,
PROVINCE OF MOUNTAIN PROVINCE.

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

Section 1. The name of Paracelis National High School in Barangay
Poblacion, Municipality of Paracelis, Province of Mountain Province is hereby
changed to Serapio Gawan National High School.

Section 2. The main campus of Serapio Gawan National High School
shall continue to remain in its present location in Barangay Poblacion,
Municipality of Paracelis, Province of Mountain Province.

Section 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
publication in the Official Gazette or in at least two newspapers of general
circulation in the Philippines.

Approved,