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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 520

Introduced by Rep. Mohamad Khalid Q. Dimaporo

A RESOLUTION
DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE HOUSE COMMITTEE TO FORMULATE A THREE (3) YEAR SECURITY AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE WHOLE OF MINDANAO

WHEREAS, the Siege in Marawi City last May 2017, led by the Maute – ISIS Terror Group, prompted President Rodrigo Roa Duterte to declare Martial Law in Mindanao;

WHEREAS, Martial Law has been extended for a period of over two years in the whole of Mindanao to maintain peace and order, and enable the security forces to rid of lawless elements in the region, despite the cessation of hostilities in Marawi last October 2017;

WHEREAS, the current security situation in Mindanao, and whatever gains in peace and order has been brought about by the imposition of Martial law shall be maintained;

WHEREAS, the whole of Mindanao, with a total of twenty-seven (27) Provinces and thirty-three (33) Cities, should have sufficient security personnel and programs to prevent another siege or other similar terror attacks;

WHEREAS, there is a need for a Security and Development Plan for Mindanao to maintain peace and order and ensure the security of Mindanao, prevent the spread and recruitment of lawless organizations, and protect the overall development of the region.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to direct the appropriate House committee to formulate a three (3) year Security and Development Plan for the whole of Mindanao.

Adopted,

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