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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 237

Submitted jointly by the Committee on Aquaculture and Fisheries Resources and the Committee on Appropriations on MAY 16 2017

Re : House Bill No. 5647

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 3624

Sponsors: Reps. Luis A. Ferrer IV, Karlo Alexei B. Nograles and Maria Vida Espinosa Bravo

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Aquaculture and Fisheries Resources and the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 3624, introduced by Representative Maria Vida Espinosa Bravo, entitled:


“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND STRENGTHENING THE MULTI ONE STOP SHOP MARITIME ECONOMIC FISHERY LANDING SITES IN TICAO AND BURIAS ISLANDS, PROVINCE OF MASBATE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”


have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 5647, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FISH PORT IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN FERNANDO, IN THE ISLAND OF TICAO, PROVINCE OF MASBATE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 3624, with Rep. Maria Vida Espinosa Bravo as author thereof.

Respectfully submitted:


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**THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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House Bill No. **5647**

Introduced by the Honorable Maria Vida Espinosa Bravo

AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A FISH PORT IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN FERNANDO, IN
THE ISLAND OF TICAO, PROVINCE OF MASBATE AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 Section 1. There shall be established, under the supervision of the Department of
2 Agriculture, through the Philippine Fisheries Development Authority (PFDA) a fish port in
3 the Municipality of San Fernando, in the island of Ticao, Province of Masbate.
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5 Sec. 2. Within two (2) years after the construction of the fish port, the PFDA, through
6 a memorandum of agreement, shall transfer its management to the local government unit
7 concerned. It shall implement a training and phasing-in program for local government
8 personnel on the management and operation of the fish port.
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10 Sec. 3. The Secretary of Agriculture shall include in the Department's programs the
11 establishment of the fish port, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General
12 Appropriations Act. The local government units concerned shall set aside funds from any
13 available local revenue in an amount deemed appropriate for the operationalization of the fish
14 port.
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16 Sec. 4. The Department of Agriculture, through the PFDA, shall formulate the rules
17 and regulations necessary for the effective implementation of this Act.
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19 Sec. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official
20 Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.
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22 Approved,