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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 401

Submitted by the Committee on Local Government on 02 OCT 2017
Re: House Bill No. 6513

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 2500

Sponsors: Representatives Pedro B. Acharon, Jr. and Ann K. Hofer

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Local Government to which was referred House Bill No. 2500 introduced by Representative Ann K. Hofer, entitled:

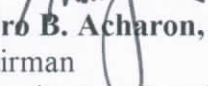
“AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) BARANGAYS, TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY MASAO AND BARANGAY TIMBABAUAN, RESPECTIVELY, BOTH IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGAWAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY.”

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Bill No. 6513, entitled:

**“AN ACT
CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY MASAO IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGAWAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY”**

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 2500 with Representative Ann K. Hofer as author thereof.

Respectfully submitted:


Pedro B. Acharon, Jr.
Chairman
Committee on Local Government

**THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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HOUSE BILL NO. 6513

Introduced by Representative Ann K. Hofer

AN ACT
CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY MASAO IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGAWAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY

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

1 **SECTION 1.** *Creation of Barangay Masao.* - There is hereby created a barangay
2 to be known as Barangay Masao in the Municipality of Tungawan, Province of
3 Zamboanga Sibugay.

4 The territorial boundaries of Barangay Masao are hereby described as follows:

5 “Beginning at point 1, following the course upstream of Liguian River about
6 1,800 meters to corner 2 in straight distance; thence; following Liguian creek upstream
7 450 meters to corner 3 straight distance; thence; due N55°W, 500 meters to corner 4;
8 thence; N 32°W, 250 meters to corner 5; N 02°E, 470 meters to corner 6; N20°W, 1,050
9 meters to corner 7; N46°E, 100 meters to corner 10; S 46°E, 660 meters to corner 11;
10 thence; due South, 550 meters to corner 12; N 66°E, 540 meters to corner 13; N 57°E,
11 1,100 meters to corner 14; S 44°E, 300 meters to corner 15; S 21°E, 190 meters to corner
12 18; thence; due East, 1,200 meters to corner 19; thence; following shore line or seashore
13 SW direction about 1,450 meters to corner 1, the point of beginning.”

14 “Barangay Masao contains an approximate area of 802.3 hectares.”

1 **SEC. 2. *Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite.*** – The plebiscite conducted and
2 supervised by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) pursuant to Provincial
3 Ordinance No. 12 Series of 1991 dated October 8, 1991 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan
4 of the Province of Zamboanga del Sur, which ratified the creation of Barangay Masao as
5 proclaimed by the Plebiscite Board of Canvassers on December 2, 1994 shall serve as
6 substantial compliance with the plebiscite requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act
7 7160 as amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

8 **SEC. 3. *Incumbent Barangay Officials.*** – The incumbent barangay officials of
9 Barangay Masao shall continue to hold office until such time that their successors have
10 been duly elected and qualified.

11 **SEC. 4. *Public Infrastructures and Facilities.***– All existing public infrastructures
12 and facilities for public use therein at the time of the approval of this Act are hereby
13 transferred without cost or compensation to and shall be administered by the new
14 barangay.

15 **SEC. 5. *Internal Revenue Allotment Shares.***- Barangay Masao shall be entitled to
16 Internal Revenue Allotment shares pursuant to Section 285 of Republic Act No. 7160 as
17 amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

18 **SEC. 6. *Effectivity.*** – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
19 publication the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

20 *Approved,*

FACT SHEET

House Bill No. 6513

(As approved on 3rd Reading on October 18, 2017)

CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY MASAO IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGAWAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY

Introduced by: Rep. Rep. Ann K. Hofer

Committee Referral: Local Government

Committee Chairperson: Rep. Pedro B. Acharon, Jr.

OBJECTIVE:

- To establish Barangay Masao as a distinct and independent barangay and entitle it to the appropriate Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) share;

KEY PROVISIONS:

- Creates Barangay Masao in the Municipality of Tungawan, Province of Zamboanga Sibugay;
- Provides that the plebiscite conducted and supervised by the COMELEC pursuant to Provincial Ordinance No. 12 Series of 1991 dated October 8, 1991 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the province of Zamboanga del Sur which ratified the creation of Barangay Masao as proclaimed by the Plebiscite Board of Canvassers on December 2, 1994 shall serve as a substantial compliance with the plebiscite requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991;
- Provides that the incumbent elected barangay officials of Barangay San Isidro shall continue to hold office until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.
- Transfers all existing public infrastructure and facilities for public use therein to the newly created Barangay;
- Entitles Barangay Masao to the IRA shares pursuant to Section 285 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

RELATED LAWS:

- Sections 10, 285 and 384 of Republic Act 7160, as amended.
- Provincial Ordinance No. 12 Series of 1991 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the province of Zamboanga Sibugay which ratified the creation of Barangay Masao..