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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 403

Submitted by the Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations on 02 OCT 2017
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Re: House Bill No. _____

Recommending its approval in substitution of HB No. 2043

Sponsors: Reps. Angelina "Helen" D.L. Tan, M.D., Jose Enrique S. Garcia III and Karlo Alexei B. Nograles

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 2043 introduced by Rep. Jose Enrique S. Garcia III, entitled:

AN ACT UPGRADING THE BATAAN PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN INTO A LEVEL III TEACHING AND TRAINING TERTIARY HOSPITAL RENAMING THE SAME AS BATAAN GENERAL HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8561, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

AN ACT UPGRADING THE BATAAN PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN INTO A LEVEL 3 TEACHING AND TRAINING HOSPITAL TO BE NOW KNOWN AS THE BATAAN GENERAL HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

be approved in substitution of House Bill 2043, with Reps. Jose Enrique S. Garcia III, Leopoldo N. Bataoil, Jose Antonio "Kuya Jonathan" R. Sy-Alvarado, Juliette T. Uy, Christopher S. Co, Jerico Jonas B. Nograles, Salvador B. Belaro Jr., Ron P. Salo, Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco, Roger "Oging" G. Mercado, Eugene Michael V. De Vera, Maria Valentina G. Plaza and Karlo Alexei B. Nograles as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

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HOUSE BILL NO. 6521

(In substitution of House Bill No. 2043)

Introduced by Reps. Jose Enrique S. Garcia III, Leopoldo N. Bataoil, Jose Antonio "Kuya Jonathan" R. Sy-Alvarado, Juliette T. Uy, Christopher S. Co, Jerico Jonas B. Nograles, Salvador B. Belaro Jr., Ron P. Salo, Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco, Roger "Oging" G. Mercado, Eugene Michael V. De Vera, Maria Valentina G. Plaza and Karlo Alexei B. Nograles

AN ACT

UPGRADING THE BATAAN PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN INTO A LEVEL 3 TEACHING AND TRAINING HOSPITAL TO BE NOW KNOWN AS THE BATAAN GENERAL HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION. 1. The Bataan Provincial Hospital in the Province of Bataan is hereby
2 upgraded into a Level 3 hospital with capacity as a teaching and training facility, in
3 accordance with the standards of the Department of Health, to be now known as the
4 Bataan General Hospital and Medical Center.

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6 The authorized bed capacity of the Bataan General Hospital and Medical Center
7 is hereby increased from three hundred fifty (350) to five hundred (500) beds, to be
8 implemented for a period of not more than two (2) years from the approval of this Act.

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10 SEC. 2. The existing medical equipment and facilities, its operating funds and
11 construction of the needed infrastructure of the Bataan General Hospital and Medical
12 Center are hereby upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase in
13 bed capacity as provided in Section 1 hereof.

SEC. 3. The amount necessary for the upgrade, including the acquisition of additional medical equipment and facilities and the construction of needed infrastructure shall be charged against the current year's appropriations of the Bataan General Hospital and Medical Center and thereafter, such sums as may be necessary for its continued operations shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 4. The Secretary of Health shall promulgate the necessary rules and regulations for the implementation of this Act within sixty (60) days from its effectivity.

SEC. 5. Republic Act No. 8561, upgrading the Bataan Provincial Hospital, is hereby repealed. All other laws, decrees, orders, issuances, rules and regulations, and parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

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

Approved,