Submitted by the Committee on Higher and Technical Education

Re: House Bill No. 5698

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 4415

Sponsors: Representatives Mark O. Go and Angelo Marcos Barba

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Higher and Technical Education, to which was referred:

House Bill No. 4415, introduced by Rep. Angelo Marcos Barba, entitled:

"AN ACT
RENNAMING MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY (MMSU) AS FERDINAND E. MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY (FEMSU), EXPANDING ITS CURRICULAR OFFERINGS AND STRENGTHENING ITS GOVERNING BOARD, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1279"

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Bill No. 5698, entitled:

"AN ACT
RENNAMING THE MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY (MMSU) IN THE CITY OF BATAC, ILOCOS NORTE AS THE FERDINAND E. MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY (FEMSU), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1279, ENTITLED "MERGING THE MARIANO MARCOS MEMORIAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND NORTHERN LUZON STATE COLLEGE INTO A STATE UNIVERSITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE MMSU, TRANSFERRING THE COLLEGE LEVEL COURSES OF ILOCOS NORTE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE AND ILOCOS NORTE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND TRADES INTO SAID UNIVERSITY, PROVIDING A CHARTER FOR THE PURPOSE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"


Respectfully submitted,

MARK O. GO
Chairperson
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Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives in Congress assembled:

SECTION 1. The Mariano Marcos State University in the City of Batac, Ilocos Norte is hereby renamed as the Ferdinand E. Marcos State University (FEMSU).

SEC. 2. The main campus of the FEMSU shall remain in its present location in the City of Batac, Ilocos Norte.

SEC. 3. The provisions of Republic Act No. 8292, otherwise known as the "Higher Education Modernization Act of 1997", shall form as an integral part of this Act and shall serve as part of the Governing Charter of the University.

SEC. 4. All laws, executive orders, decrees, instructions, rules and regulations contrary to or inconsistent with any provisions of this Act are amended, repealed or modified accordingly.
SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,