COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 155

Submitted by the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Appropriations on December 18, 2019

Re: House Bill No. 5420

Recommend its approval with amendment

Sponsor/s: Reps. Edgar Mary S. Sarmiento, Isidro T. Ungab and Alan 1 B. Ecleo

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 5420, introduced by Rep. Alan 1 B Ecleo, entitled:

"AN ACT ESTABLISHING A LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) DISTRICT OFFICE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN JOSE, IN THE LONE DISTRICT OF DINAGAT ISLANDS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

have considered the same and recommend its approval with the following amendment:

- The title of the bill is hereby amended to read as follows:

"AN ACT ESTABLISHING A LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) DISTRICT OFFICE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN JOSE, IN THE LONE DISTRICT OF DINAGAT ISLANDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

with Representatives Alan 1 B Ecleo, Edgar Mary S. Sarmiento and Isidro T. Ungab as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

Hon. Isidro T. Ungab
Chairperson
Committee on Appropriations

Hon. Edgar Mary S. Sarmiento
Chairperson
Committee on Transportation

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HOUSE BILL NO.

Introduced By: REP. ALAN 1 B. ECLEO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks the establishment of a district office of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) in the Municipality of San Jose, Province of Dinagat Islands. The establishment of a district office of the LTO in the Province of Dinagat Islands, particularly in the Municipality of San Jose, will make transactions with this government agency more accessible and convenient for the residents of the said province.

With the establishment of this LTO district office, Dinagatnons will no longer have to travel across Surigao Strait to the City of Surigao in the neighboring Province of Surigao Del Norte just to transact and avail the services of the Land Transportation Office, like securing or renewing vehicle registrations, the processing of driver’s licenses, and other concerns of the agency.

In view of the foregoing, approval of this bill is earnestly sought.

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LONE DISTRICT, DINAGAT ISLANDS
Section 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of General Circulation.

Implementation of this Act:

Section 3. Within six (6) months following the effectivity of this Act, the Secretary of Transportation shall promulgate the necessary rules and regulations for the effective implementation of the provisions of this Act.

Section 2. The Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Communication immediately, in the Office of the Secretary, shall promulgate the operationalization of the Land Transportation Office District Office, including the establishment of a Land Transportation Office (LTO) District Office in the Municipality of San Jose, Province of Dinagat Islands.

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Introduction by Rep. Alan J. B. Celeo