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**CALL TO ORDER**

At 4:00 p.m., Deputy Speaker Raneo “Ranie” E. Abu called the session to order.

**NATIONAL ANTHEM AND PRAYER**

Pursuant to Section 73, Rule XI of the amended Provisional Rules of the House, the Members sang the National Anthem, and thereafter observed a minute of silent prayer.

**DEFERMENT OF ROLL CALL  
AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL**

On motion of Representative Juan Pablo “Rimpy” P. Bondoc, there being no objection, the Body deferred the calling of the Roll and the approval of the Journal of the previous session.

**REFERENCE OF BUSINESS**

Likewise, on motion of Rep. Bondoc, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the Reference of Business.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read on First Reading the titles of the following Bills and Resolutions, which were referred to the appropriate Committees as hereunder indicated:

**BILLS ON FIRST READING**

House Bill No. 2687, entitled:

“AN ACT INCREASING THE HONORARIUM AND CHRISTMAS BONUS OF BARANGAY OFFICIALS, INCLUDING BARANGAY TANODS AND MEMBERS OF THE LUPON NG TAGAPAMAYAPA, AND GRANTING A LUMP SUM GRATUITY PAY EQUIVALENT TO ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND PESOS (P100,000.00), AND OTHER NON-MONETARY BENEFITS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 393 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991”

By Representative Tan (S.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2688, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PANTAWID PAMILYANG PILIPINO PROGRAM (4Ps) TO REDUCE POVERTY AND PROMOTE HUMAN CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Tan (S.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON POVERTY ALLEVIATION

House Bill No. 2689, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS (BHWs) A MONTHLY HONORARIUM, IN ADDITION TO INCENTIVES AND BENEFITS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 6 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7883 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES ACT OF 1995”

By Representative Tan (S.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2690, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A DRUG TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION CENTER IN EVERY PROVINCE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Tan (S.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON DANGEROUS DRUGS

House Bill No. 2691, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE LONE DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE OF THE PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2692, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING OCTOBER 28 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF LAWS

House Bill No. 2693, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE H-WAY JUNCTION – TALAGUTONG – BALUNTAYA – TICULON – LITTLE BAGUIO BY PASS ROAD IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MALITA, PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL, INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2694, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE H-WAY JUNCTION – POBLACION STA. MARIA – PONGPONG – SAN ANTONIO – MALUNGON, SARANGANI PROVINCE ROAD IN THE PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL, INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2695, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE H-WAY JUNCTION – SAN AGUSTIN – STO. NINO – KISULAD – TUBALAN PORT ROAD IN THE PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL, INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2696, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE H-WAY JUNCTION – MALITA DIVERSION/BY PASS ROAD IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MALITA, PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL, INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2697, entitled:

“AN ACT EXTENDING THE PERIOD FOR INDIGENOUS CULTURAL COMMUNITIES/INDIGENOUS PEOPLES TO EXERCISE THE OPTION TO SECURE TITLE TO THEIR ANCESTRAL LANDS UNDER LAND REGISTRATION ACT 496, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 12 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8371, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'THE INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' RIGHTS ACT OF 1997' ”

By Representative Dalog

TO THE COMMITTEE ON INDIGENOUS CULTURAL COMMUNITIES AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

House Bill No. 2698, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE PHILIPPINE CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES OFFICE (PCSO) TO ADMIT PRESENTATION OF SECONDARY AND OTHER CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE IF THE LOTTO TICKET CANNOT BE VALIDATED BY THE MACHINE WHILE MAINTAINING ITS INTEGRITY AND FREEDOM FROM ANY FRAUDULENT CLAIM”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON GAMES AND AMUSEMENTS

House Bill No. 2699, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING JANUARY 25 OF EVERY YEAR AS A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN HONOR OF THE FALLEN 44”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF LAWS

House Bill No. 2700, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING LIBRARIES IN ALL YOUTH DETENTION FACILITIES IN THE PHILIPPINES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE

House Bill No. 2701, entitled:

“AN ACT AUTHORIZING INSTRUCTION RELATED TO THE PREVENTION OF SUICIDE AMONG YOUTH AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF HEALTH EDUCATION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2702, entitled:

“AN ACT ABOLISHING THE BOUNDARY SYSTEM IN THE BUS AND JEEPNEY OPERATION, REGULATING INTO EIGHT (8) HOURS THEIR OPERATION PER DRIVER AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

House Bill No. 2703, entitled:

“AN ACT PROHIBITING PUV OPERATORS TO EMPLOY DRIVERS FOR MORE THAN EIGHT (8) HOURS A DAY TO ENSURE DRIVING ALERTNESS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

House Bill No. 2704, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING SPECIAL EDUCATION CENTERS FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS IN EVERY LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2705, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE QUEZON CITY TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA) TRAINING CENTER AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

House Bill No. 2706, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PILOT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE JOB AND VOCATIONAL SKILLS TRAINING TO YOUTH WHO HAVE BEEN ADJUDICATED JUVENILE DELINQUENTS OR JUVENILE OFFENDERS IN THE PHILIPPINES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE

House Bill No. 2707, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING RETIREMENT BENEFIT TO BARANGAY OFFICIALS, BARANGAY TANODS, MEMBERS OF THE LUPON NG TAGAPAMAYAPA, BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS AND BARANGAY DAY CARE WORKERS”

By Representative Cuaresma

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2708, entitled:

“AN ACT RENAMING THE GUREL – BOKOD – KABAYAN – ABATAN ROAD IN THE PROVINCE OF BENGUET TO CONG. ANDRES ACOP COSALAN ROAD”

By Representative Dalog

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2709, entitled:

“AN ACT LIBERALIZING THE EXPORT OF RICE, CORN AND OTHER GRAINS OR RELATED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 6 (a) xiii OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 4, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL GRAINS AUTHORITY ACT, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 2710, entitled:

“AN ACT MAKING FIRST-TIME OWNERSHIP EASIER AND MORE AFFORDABLE BY MAKING THE COST OF THE PURCHASE CHEAPER, REDUCING THE FINANCING COST, EXEMPTING THE PURCHASE FROM TAXATION, ENHANCING PRIVATE SECTOR PARTICIPATION IN HOUSING CONSTRUCTION AND FINANCING AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

House Bill No. 2711, entitled:

“AN ACT DEFINING THE OFFENSE OF ECONOMIC SABOTAGE THROUGH THE SOLICITING, SELLING OR OFFERING TO SELL A PRE-NEED PLAN BY MEANS OF FALSE OR MISLEADING REPRESENTATION AND OTHER FRAUDULENT MEANS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 54 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9829, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PRE-NEED CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES

House Bill No. 2712, entitled:

“AN ACT PRESCRIBING HIGHER PENALTIES FOR THE SALE, DISTRIBUTION, TRANSPORT AND STORAGE OF HOT MEAT, AND OTHER ADULTERATED MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS, CARCASSES OR PARTS THEREOF AND OTHER PROHIBITED ACTS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE PERTINENT SECTIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9296, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL MEAT INSPECTION CODE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 2713, entitled:

“AN ACT TO INCREASE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, PROMOTE RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND DEVELOP WATER CONSERVATION TECHNIQUES BY PROVIDING FOR A TEN-YEAR SMALL-SCALE IRRIGATION SYSTEM PROGRAM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 2714, entitled:

“AN ACT MAKING THE APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITIONS OF LOCAL AGRICULTURIST, ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICER AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICER, MANDATORY IN ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE PERTINENT SECTIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2715, entitled:

“AN ACT RE-ORIENTING THE PHILIPPINE MINING INDUSTRY TOWARDS NATIONAL INDUSTRIALIZATION AND ENSURING THE HIGHEST INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representatives Zarate, De Jesus, Tinio, Brosas, Castro (F.L.), Casilao and Elago

TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

House Bill No. 2716, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT RESEARCH ON RARE PEDIATRIC DISEASES AND CONDITIONS”

By Representative Kho

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2717, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE INCLUSION OF INDIGENOUS CULTURE EDUCATION IN THE CURRICULA OF SCHOOL IN ALL LEVELS IN THE COUNTRY”

By Representatives Catamco, Panganiban and Baquilat

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

House Bill No. 2718, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SARANGANI GENERAL HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ALABEL IN THE PROVINCE OF SARANGANI AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES AND ITS OTHER PROVISIONS”

By Representative Pacquiao

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2719, entitled:

“AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF PRODUCTS CONTAINING GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS (GMO) ON FOOD AND AGRICULTURE IN THE COUNTRY, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representatives Casilao, Zarate, De Jesus, Tinio, Brosas, Castro (F.L.) and Elago

TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 2720, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE SAN VICENTE – MAGUIRING – CABANBANAN (CALABANGA) – SAN PASCUAL (TINAMBAC) PROVINCIAL ROAD IN THE PROVINCE OF CAMARINES SUR TO A NATIONAL SECONDARY ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representatives Fuentebella and Bordado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2721, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE SITIO TIGMAN, BARANGAY BAGACAY – BARANGAY STA. CRUZ PROVINCIAL ROAD IN THE

MUNICIPALITY OF TINAMBAC, PROVINCE OF CAMARINES SUR TO A NATIONAL SECONDARY ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Fuentebella

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2722, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CODE OF MILITARY JUSTICE FOR THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE COMMONWEALTH ACT NUMBERED FOUR HUNDRED EIGHT, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ARTICLES OF WAR, AS AMENDED, OTHER SPECIAL LAWS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

House Bill No. 2723, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF MARITIME AFFAIRS PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

House Bill No. 2724, entitled:

“AN ACT TO INCREASE THE OLD-AGE PENSION OF MILITARY VETERANS AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 10 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6948”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS AND WELFARE

House Bill No. 2725, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS IN THE PHILIPPINE EMBASSY IN

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, PRESCRIBING ITS FUNCTIONS AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

House Bill No. 2726, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE REGISTRATION, LICENSURE AND PRACTICE OF FOOD TECHNOLOGY IN THE PHILIPPINES, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

House Bill No. 2727, entitled:

“AN ACT ENCOURAGING MORE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) PROJECTS, CREATING THE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) GUARANTY FUND, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6957, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7718, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'BUILD-OPERATE-TRANSFER (BOT) LAW' ”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2728, entitled:

“AN ACT ORDAINING THE MODERNIZATION OF THE BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION (BFP)”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY

House Bill No. 2729, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE AND BENEFITS TO THE DEPENDENTS OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP), PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION

(BFP), BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY (BJMP), NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION (NBI), BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION (BI), PHILIPPINE DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY (PDEA), PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD (PCG) AND BUREAU OF CORRECTIONS (BUCOR) WHO ARE KILLED OR PERMANENTLY INCAPACITATED WHILE IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTY OR BY REASON OF THEIR OFFICE OR POSITION”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY AND THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY

House Bill No. 2730, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL INSURANCE COVERAGE AND BENEFITS FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE WHO ARE KILLED, WOUNDED OR INJURED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PREMIUMS AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY

House Bill No. 2731, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A TRANSPORTATION SECURITY REGULATORY PROGRAM, CRIMINALIZING ACTS OF UNLAWFUL INTERFERENCES IN THE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM, LEGISLATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE CREATION OF THE PHILIPPINE TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD (PTSB), DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

House Bill No. 2732, entitled:

“AN ACT RESTRUCTURING THE PHILIPPINE NUCLEAR RESEARCH INSTITUTE, STRENGTHENING THE REGULATION AND CONTROL OF NUCLEAR AND OTHER RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS, FACILITIES, AND RADIATION GENERATING EQUIPMENT, UNDER THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (FDA) APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Alejano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

House Bill No. 2733, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM (ALS) COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTERS FOR EVERY CITY AND MUNICIPALITY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Gonzales (A.D.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2734, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING PINSAL FALLS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTA MARIA, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR AS A TOURIST DESTINATION, PROVIDING FOR ITS DEVELOPMENT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Singson

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM

House Bill No. 2735, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SANTIAGO COVE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTIAGO, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR AS A TOURIST DESTINATION, PROVIDING FOR ITS DEVELOPMENT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Singson

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM



House Bill No. 2736, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DRUG REHABILITATION CENTER IN EVERY REGION OF THE COUNTRY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Billones

TO THE COMMITTEE ON DANGEROUS DRUGS

House Bill No. 2737, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SEC. 25 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10597 TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) FOR THE CONVERSION INTO A STATE UNIVERSITY”

By Representative Tupas

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

House Bill No. 2738, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING MANDATORY PHILHEALTH COVERAGE TO ALL PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWDs), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'MAGNA CARTA FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY', PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Tupas

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2739, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MECHANISM FOR THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF THE ISLAND OF BORACAY, MUNICIPALITY OF MALAY, PROVINCE OF AKLAN, DEFINING FOR THE PURPOSE THE MODE OF ACQUISITION FOR CERTAIN PARCELS OF ITS

PUBLIC DOMAIN CLASSIFIED AS AGRICULTURAL LAND OPEN TO DISPOSITION UNDER PROCLAMATION NO. 1064 AND PROVIDING ENVIRONMENTAL SAFEGUARDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Marquez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

House Bill No. 2740, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE GRANTING OF MONTHLY ALLOWANCE TO TRAINEES OR APPRENTICES IN THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR ANY VIOLATION THEREOF”

By Representative Unabia

TO THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

House Bill No. 2741, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL TO WEAR A BODY CAMERA DURING LAW ENFORCEMENT AND SPECIAL POLICE OPERATIONS”

By Representative Biazon

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY

House Bill No. 2742, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE INSTALLATION OF MONITORING DEVICES IN VEHICLES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF”

By Representative Biazon

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

House Bill No. 2743, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE WARNING, ALERT, AND RESPONSE NETWORK 911 ACT OF 2016 OR THE 'WARN 911' AS THE NATIONWIDE EMERGENCY

HOTLINE NUMBER AND PROVIDING PENALTY TO PRANK CALLS THEREOF”

By Representatives Pimentel, Sandoval and Sarmiento (E.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY

House Bill No. 2744, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING CIVIL SERVICE ELIGIBILITY UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES WHO ARE APPOINTED UNDER TEMPORARY STATUS AND WHO HAVE RENDERED AT LEAST FIVE (5) YEARS OF CONTINUOUS AND EFFICIENT SERVICE”

By Representative Cagas

TO THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

House Bill No. 2745, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE GENERAL SANTOS CITY SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE AND FREE PORT IN THE PROVINCE OF SOUTH COTABATO, CREATING FOR THIS PURPOSE THE GENERAL SANTOS CITY SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE AND FREE PORT AUTHORITY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Acharon

TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND INDUSTRY

House Bill No. 2746, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE CITY TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT THE CITY OF BIÑAN, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980', AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Alonte-Naguiat

TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE

House Bill No. 2747, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING FEBRUARY 5 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF BIÑAN, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA TO BE KNOWN AS 'BIÑAN LIBERATION DAY’”

By Representative Alonte-Naguiat

TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF LAWS

House Bill No. 2748, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL IN THE CITY OF BIÑAN TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'BIÑAN CITY NATIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL' AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Alonte-Naguiat

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2749, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE COCONUT FARMERS AND INDUSTRY TRUST FUND AND PROVIDING FOR ITS MANAGEMENT AND UTILIZATION”

By Representative Ramirez-Sato

TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 2750, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TEN (10)-BED CAPACITY COMMUNITY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KALINGALAN CALUANG, PROVINCE OF SULU, TO BE KNOWN AS THE KALINGALAN CALUANG COMMUNITY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2751, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN AREA EQUIPMENT SERVICES OFFICE IN THE 2<sup>ND</sup> LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF SULU PROVINCE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2752, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TEN (10)-BED CAPACITY COMMUNITY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PANDAMI, PROVINCE OF SULU, TO BE KNOWN AS THE PANDAMI COMMUNITY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2753, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SULU SECOND DISTRICT DIVISION OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2754, entitled:

“AN ACT CHANGING THE NAME OF LUUK DISTRICT HOSPITAL TO ALLAYON DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN LUUK SULU”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2755, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TEN (10)-BED CAPACITY COMMUNITY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PANGLIMA ESTINO, PROVINCE OF SULU, TO BE KNOWN AS THE PANGLIMA ESTINO COMMUNITY EMERGENCY HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 2756, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING KARUNGONG – PANG-NIOG-NIOG PROVINCIAL ROAD WHICH CONNECTS THE MUNICIPALITIES OF KALINGALAN CALUANG AND LUUK, PROVINCE OF SULU, TO NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Arbison

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2757, entitled:

“AN ACT SUBDIVIDING BARANGAY POBLACION IN THE CITY OF VALENCIA, PROVINCE OF BUKIDNON INTO FOUR DISTINCT AND SEPARATE BARANGAYS TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY POBLACION 1, BARANGAY POBLACION 2, BARANGAY POBLACION 3 AND BARANGAY POBLACION 4”

By Representative Roque (R.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2758, entitled:

“AN ACT PROHIBITING BANKS FROM IMPOSING SERVICE CHARGES OR ANY OTHER FEES ON SAVINGS OR CURRENT ACCOUNTS FOR FAILING TO COMPLY WITH THE BANK'S REQUIRED MINIMUM MAINTAINING BALANCE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES

House Bill No. 2759, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING GRACE PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – MAIN INTO AN INTEGRATED SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS GRACE PARK INTEGRATED SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2760, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING AND DECLARING A. DE JESUS AVENUE IN CALOOCAN CITY INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2761, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING DAGAT-DAGATAN AVENUE IN CALOOCAN CITY INTO A NATIONAL ROAD, DECLARING IT TO BE UNDER THE PRIMARY JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2762, entitled:

“AN ACT OFFICIALLY DECLARING DR. JOSE P. RIZAL AND ANDRES C. BONIFACIO AS NATIONAL HEROES OF THE PHILIPPINES”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2763, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING FOURTH AVENUE IN CALOOCAN CITY INTO A NATIONAL ROAD, DECLARING IT TO BE UNDER THE PRIMARY JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2764, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SAN ROQUE PARISH IN CALOOCAN CITY AS A NATIONAL LANDMARK AND SHRINE FOR HISTORY, FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE, CALLING FOR ITS PRESERVATION AND IMPROVEMENT, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 2765, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE IMPOSITION OF COMPOUNDED INTEREST ON THE RETIREMENT BENEFITS, SEPARATION PAY AND OTHER AMENITIES OF RETIRED OR RESIGNED GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES WHO WERE EXONERATED OR CLEARED FROM CRIMINAL, CIVIL OR ADMINISTRATIVE LIABILITY WITH FINALITY FILED IN CONNECTION WITH THEIR FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

House Bill No. 2766, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF BAYAWAN FOR THE PURPOSE OF CREATING THE OFFICES OF REGISTER OF DEEDS AND ASSISTANT CITY ADMINISTRATOR AND TO EMPHASIZE THE PROHIBITION ON ILLEGAL GAMBLING”

By Representative Teves

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2767, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE MINDORO-BATANGAS NAUTICAL BRIDGE-HIGHWAY, LINKING MINDORO ISLAND TO BATANGAS CITY, AND PROVIDING FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION UNDER THE PROVISION

OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6957, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE BUILD-OPERATE-TRANSFER (BOT) LAW”

By Representative Umali

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 2768, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COLLEGE EDUCATION TRUST FOR CHILDREN OF GSIS AND SSS MEMBERS”

By Representative Espino

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

House Bill No. 2769, entitled:

“AN ACT TO INSTITUTIONALIZE SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PLANNING AT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEVEL, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Espino  
TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2770, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING INCENTIVES AND BENEFITS TO BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Espino

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 2771, entitled:

“AN ACT OPERATIONALIZING UNIVERSAL ACCESS TO TERTIARY EDUCATION AND THEREFOR PROVIDING FREE HIGHER EDUCATION IN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES AND FURTHER CREATING THE HIGHER EDUCATION CONTRIBUTION SYSTEM FOR THOSE IN PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION AND LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGES, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Salceda

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

#### RESOLUTIONS

House Resolution No. 190, entitled:

“RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE DISBURSEMENT OF ALMOST P1 BILLION IN PUBLIC FUNDS MEANT TO ESTABLISH ADEQUATE RESIDENTIAL DRUG REHABILITATION CENTERS”

By Representative Pimentel

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 191, entitled:

“RESOLUTION CREATING THE COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER RIGHTS AND WELFARE IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES”

By Representative Pimentel

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 192, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE DUTERTE ADMINISTRATION TO FULFILL ITS PROMISE TO WORK FOR THE RESUMPTION OF THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT OF THE PHILIPPINES (NDFP) AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES (GPH), AS WELL AS TO CARRY OUT IMMEDIATE MEASURES TO EFFECT THE RELEASE OF DETAINED NDFP PEACE CONSULTANTS IN ADHERENCE TO THE JOINT AGREEMENT ON SAFETY AND IMMUNITY GUARANTEES (JASIG) IN ORDER TO EFFECTIVELY FACILITATE THE PROCESS OF ADDRESSING THE ROOT CAUSES OF THE ARMED CONFLICT CHIEF AMONG WHICH IS THE WIDESPREAD LANDLESSNESS THAT HAS LONG BEEN PLAGUING THE FILIPINO PEASANTRY”

By Representatives Casilao, Zarate, De Jesus, Tinio, Brosas, Castro (F.L.) and Elago

TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PEACE, RECONCILIATION AND UNITY

House Resolution No. 193, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION TO POPULARIZE THE CONSUMPTION OF WHITE CORN IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE DEMAND FOR RICE THEREBY REDUCING RICE IMPORTATION”

By Representative Savellano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Resolution No. 194, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING BROTHER EDUARDO V. MANALO FOR SEVEN (7) YEARS OF TRIUMPHANT CHURCH ADMINISTRATION AND FOR PLOTTING THE COURSE OF THE IGLESIA NI CRISTO TOWARD ITS VICTORIOUS 102<sup>ND</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 195, entitled:

“RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE PHILIPPINE AMUSEMENT & GAMING CORPORATION (PAGCOR) TO RELEASE IMMEDIATELY THE SPECIAL INCENTIVE PRIZES TO THE FILIPINO ATHLETES COMPETING IN THE 2016 31<sup>ST</sup> SUMMER OLYMPICS IN RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL”

By Representative Atienza

TO THE COMMITTEE ON GAMES AND AMUSEMENTS

House Resolution No. 196, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT, PURSUANT TO THE UNCLOS DECISION, TO INITIATE DIPLOMATIC DISCUSSION WITH THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA ON JOINT FISHING, PATROL AND

PROVISION FOR HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO PROMOTE SAFETY AT SEA IN PANATAG SHOAL”

By Representative Roque (H.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

House Resolution No. 197, entitled:

“RESOLUTION STRONGLY OPPOSING A HERO'S BURIAL FOR FORMER PRESIDENT FERDINAND MARCOS AT THE LIBINGAN NG MGA BAYANI FOR BEING A GRAVE TRAVESTY OF JUSTICE AND MONUMENTAL HISTORICAL DISTORTION TANTAMOUNT TO DECLARING AS A HERO A DICTATOR THAT COMMITTED GROSS CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY, PLUNGED THE NATION DEEPER INTO DEBT AND FOREIGN CONTROL AND PLUNDERED THE NATION'S RESOURCES”

By Representatives Zarate, De Jesus, Tinio, Brosas, Castro (F.L.), Casilao and Elago

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 198, entitled:

“RESOLUTION EARNESTLY URGING PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE TO GRANT A GENERAL, UNCONDITIONAL AND OMNIBUS AMNESTY TO ALL FILIPINOS WHO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED, IMPRISONED, CHARGED AND/OR CONVICTED FOR ACTS OR OMISSIONS PUNISHABLE UNDER THE REVISED PENAL CODE AND/OR SPECIAL LAWS IN CONNECTION WITH THE REBELLION WAGED BY THE NEW PEOPLE'S ARMY (NPA), OR, FOR OTHER CRIMES IN PURSUIT OF ONE'S POLITICAL BELIEFS RELATED TO ITS ACTIVITIES”

By Representatives Zarate, Tinio, De Jesus, Castro (F.L.), Brosas, Casilao and Elago

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 199, entitled:

“RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING HIDILYN DIAZ FOR WINNING AN OLYMPIC SILVER MEDAL IN THE WOMEN'S WEIGHTLIFTING 53KG WELTERWEIGHT CATEGORY IN THE 2016

SUMMER OLYMPICS (GAMES OF THE XXXI OLYMPIAD/RIO 2016) BEING HELD AT RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL”

By Representative Deloso-Montalla

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 200, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE FIRST FILIPINA SILVER MEDALIST MS. HIDILYN DIAZ FOR THE 53 KG CATEGORY WOMEN'S WEIGHTLIFTING DIVISION”

By Representatives Brosas and De Jesus

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

#### **ADDITIONAL COAUTHORS**

With the permission of the Body, the following Members were made coauthors of the Bills hereunder indicated:

Rep. Gabriel H. Bordado Jr. for House Bills No. 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 2266 and 2267;

Reps. Jose Christopher Y. Belmonte and Xavier Jesus D. Romualdo for House Bills No. 51 and 52;

Rep. Lawrence H. Fortun for House Bills No. 51, 52 and 53;

Reps. Sitti Djalía A. Turabin-Hataman, Ma. Lourdes Acosta-Alba, Mercedes K. Alvarez and Yedda Marie K. Romualdez for House Bill No. 51;

Rep. Edward Vera Perez Maceda for House Bills No. 209 and 210;

Rep. Gus S. Tambunting for House Bills No. 105, 223, 228, 252, 254, 255, 256, 299, 323, 325, 389, 417, 487 and 488;

Reps. Ana Cristina Siquian Go and Feliciano Belmonte Jr. for House Bill No. 116;

Rep. Franz E. Alvarez for House Bills No. 20, 41 and 195;

Rep. Mark Aeron H. Sambar for House Bills No. 19, 227, 487 and 583;

Reps. Gwendolyn F. Garcia, Corazon T. Nuñez-Malanyaon, Anna Katrina M. Enverga, Rosanna "Ria" Vergara, Lorna P. Bautista-Bandigan, Tricia Nicole Q.

Velasco-Catera and Cristal L. Bagatsing for House Bill No. 580;

Rep. Maria Carmen S. Zamora for House Bills No. 20, 43, 44 and 45;

Rep. Nancy A. Catamco for House Bills No. 509, 510, 580, 1171, 1172, 1179, 1449, 1451, 1452, 1453 and 1455;

Rep. Celso L. Lobregat for House Bill No. 220;

Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing for House Bills No. 471, 522, 850, 904, 1569, 1571, 1744, 2169 and 2176;

Rep. Ramon C. Nolasco for House Bill No. 558;

Rep. Alfredo A. Garbin Jr. for House Bill No. 192;

Rep. H. Harry L. Roque Jr. for House Bill No. 2739;

Rep. Manuel Jose "Mannix" M. Dalipe for House Bill No. 53;

Reps. Teodoro "Ted" G. Montoro and Lianda B. Bolilia for House Bill No. 209; and

Rep. Julieta R. Cortuna for House Bill No. 520.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS**

At this point, Rep. Gerald Anthony V. Gullas Jr. acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of guests of Rep. Ron P. Salo, Deputy Speaker Abu, Reps. Evelina G. Escudero, Federico "Ricky" S. Sandoval II, and Frederick W. Siao.

#### **THE PRIVILEGE HOUR**

With the permission of the Speaker and the unanimous consent of the House, on motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Chair declared a Privilege Hour.

On motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair then recognized Rep. Rosanna "Ria" Vergara from the Third District of Nueva Ecija for her privilege speech.

#### **PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REP. VERGARA**

Rep. Vergara initially said that corruption, which she defined as abuse of power for private gain, was pervasive, systemic, and prevalent in the country.

She then said that because of countless instances of shooting and murder of barangay officials in her

district and the inaction thereon by Nueva Ecija Governor Aurelio Umali and his wife, Representative Cherry Umali, she ran under the platform of change and progress against the influential and well-connected couple who used to be a political ally and ruled over the province for the last 15 years. She stressed that she wanted to protect the weakest members of the political chain and will file and support measures that will entitle barangay officials to insurance coverage and pension under the Government Service Insurance System (GSIS).

She subsequently alleged that several officials of the Bureau of Immigration, whom she named, had conspired and tampered with official government documents to support several disqualification cases filed against her in order to benefit the Umalis and help them remain in power. She stressed that Congress must pass a law providing more severe punishment for corrupt public servants. She maintained that the country must be ruled by laws and not connections and must treat all Filipinos with equal respect and courtesy regardless of social, economic, and educational stature.

#### **REFERRAL OF REP. VERGARA'S PRIVILEGE SPEECH**

On motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body referred Rep. Vergara's privilege speech to the Committee on Rules.

#### **SUSPENSION OF THE PRIVILEGE HOUR**

On further motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body suspended the Privilege Hour.

#### **ROLL CALL**

Thereafter, Rep. Gullas moved for the calling of the Roll. There being no objection, the Chair directed the Secretary General to call the Roll and the following Members were present:

Abad  
Abaya  
Abayon  
Abellanosa  
Abu  
Abueg  
Acharon  
Acop  
Acosta  
Advincula  
Agarao  
Aggabao  
Aglipay-Villar  
Akbar  
Alcala  
Almario

Almonte  
Alonte-Naguiat  
Alvarez (F.)  
Alvarez (P.)  
Amatong  
Andaya  
Angara-Castillo  
Antonio  
Aragones  
Arenas  
Atienza  
Bag-ao  
Bagatsing  
Barzaga  
Bataoil  
Batocabe  
Bautista-Bandigan  
Belaro  
Belmonte (F.)  
Belmonte (J.)  
Belmonte (R.)  
Bernos  
Biazon  
Billones  
Biron  
Bolilia  
Bondoc  
Bordado  
Bravo (A.)  
Bravo (M.)  
Brosas  
Bulut-Begtang  
Cagas  
Calderon  
Calixto-Rubiano  
Caminero  
Campos  
Canama  
Cari  
Casilao  
Castelo  
Castro (F.L.)  
Castro (F.H.)  
Cayetano  
Celeste  
Cerafica  
Cerilles  
Chavez  
Chipeco  
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Cojuangco  
Collantes  
Cortes  
Cortuna  
Crisologo  
Cuaresma  
Cueva  
Dalipe



Dalog  
De Jesus  
De Venecia  
De Vera  
Defensor  
Del Mar  
Del Rosario  
Deloso-Montalla  
Dimaporo (A.)  
Dimaporo (M.)  
Duavit  
Dy  
Elago  
Enverga  
Eriguel  
Ermita-Buhain  
Escudero  
Espino  
Estrella  
Eusebio  
Evardone  
Fariñas  
Fernando  
Ferrer (J.)  
Ferrer (L.)  
Ferriol-Pascual  
Floirendo  
Flores  
Fortun  
Fortuno  
Fuentebella  
Garbin  
Garcia (G.)  
Garcia (J.)  
Garin (S.)  
Gasataya  
Geron  
Go (M.)  
Gomez  
Gonzales (A.P.)  
Gonzales (A.D.)  
Gonzalez  
Gorriceta  
Gullas  
Hernandez  
Herrera-Dy  
Hofer  
Javier  
Khonghun  
Labadlabad  
Lacson  
Lagman  
Lanete  
Lazatin  
Lee  
Limkaichong  
Lobregat  
Lopez (B.)  
Lopez (M.)  
Macapagal-Arroyo  
Maceda  
Madrona  
Malapitan  
Manalo  
Mangaoang  
Mangudadatu (S.)  
Mangudadatu (Z.)  
Marcos  
Mariño  
Marquez  
Martinez  
Matugas  
Mellana  
Mending  
Mercado  
Mirasol  
Montoro  
Nava  
Nieto  
Noel  
Nograles (J.)  
Nograles (K.)  
Nolasco  
Nuñez-Malanyaon  
Oaminal  
Olivarez  
Ong (E.)  
Ong (H.)  
Ortega (P.)  
Ortega (V.)  
Pacquiao  
Paduano  
Palma  
Pancho  
Panganiban  
Panotes  
Papandayan  
Pichay  
Pimentel  
Pineda  
Plaza  
Primicias-Agabas  
Quimbo  
Radaza  
Ramirez-Sato  
Ramos  
Relampagos  
Revilla  
Roa-Puno  
Robes  
Rocamora  
Rodriguez (I.)  
Rodriguez (M.)  
Roman  
Romero  
Romualdez

Romualdo  
 Roque (H.)  
 Roque (R.)  
 Sacdalan  
 Sagarbarria  
 Sahali  
 Salimbangon  
 Salo  
 Salon  
 Sambar  
 Sandoval  
 Sarmiento (C.)  
 Sarmiento (E.)  
 Savellano  
 Siao  
 Silverio  
 Singson  
 Suansing (E.)  
 Suansing (H.)  
 Suarez  
 Sy-Alvarado  
 Tambunting  
 Tan (A.)  
 Tan (M.)  
 Tan (S.)  
 Tejada  
 Teves  
 Tiangco  
 Ting  
 Tinio  
 Tolentino  
 Treñas  
 Tugna  
 Tupas  
 Turabin-Hataman  
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 Unabia  
 Ungab  
 Unico  
 Uy (R.)  
 Vargas  
 Vargas-Alfonso  
 Velarde  
 Velasco  
 Velasco-Catera  
 Veloso  
 Vergara  
 Villafuerte  
 Villanueva  
 Villaraza-Suarez  
 Villarica  
 Villarín  
 Violago  
 Yap (M.)  
 Yu  
 Zamora (R.)  
 Zarate

With 248 Members responding to the Call, the Chair declared the presence of a quorum. (See also Appendix 1)

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS**

At this point, Rep. Gullas acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of guests of Rep. Vergara.

Likewise, the Chair recognized the presence in the Session Hall of former Deputy Speaker Roberto V. Puno.

#### **RESUMPTION OF THE PRIVILEGE HOUR**

Thereupon, on motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body resumed the Privilege Hour.

Thereafter, on further motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Harlin Neil J. Abayon III from Aangat Tayo Party-List for his privilege speech.

#### **PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REP. ABAYON**

Rep. Abayon spoke on the issue of the improper implementation of the emission testing provision of the Philippine Clean Air Act of 1999. He relayed the concern of one of his constituents regarding emission testing and inquired into the status of emission testing centers as he lamented that there are certain unscrupulous individuals who are taking advantage of the situation for their personal gain. As such, he urged the Departments of Trade and Industry (DTI), and Transportation (DOTr) to review the accreditation of the authorized emission testing centers.

On motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Federico “Ricky” S. Sandoval II for his interpellation.

#### **INTERPELLATION OF REP. SANDOVAL**

Rep. Sandoval agreed with the concerns raised by Rep. Abayon and likewise disclosed that fake apprehending officers who are not connected with the Land Transportation Office (LTO) are rampant along Epifanio delos Santos Avenue (EDSA) and prey on unsuspecting motorists. They also dwelled on the issue of unscrupulous emission testing operators who allow emission testing of vehicles *in absentia* but are still given permits to operate by the LTO; the endless approval of permits to operate private emission testing centers; and the need for the LTO and the DOTr to review the system of emission testing.

## **REFERRAL OF REP. ABAYON'S SPEECH**

On motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body referred Rep. Abayon's privilege speech and the interpellation thereon to the Committee on Rules.

## **PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REP. PINEDA**

Recognized by the Chair on motion of Rep. Gullas, Rep. Enrico A. Pineda from I-PACMAN Party-List first emphasized the important role as well as the social and economic impact of telecommunications throughout the world, this as he noted that reliable networks could be found in top industrialized nations while developing countries are still working diligently to attain this level.

As he observed that the Philippines has been lagging behind in terms of internet connectivity and cellular services that it has already been outranked by its neighboring countries, he lamented that the Filipinos also suffer from costly broadband and internet charges. He thereafter emphasized the National Telecommunications Commission's (NTC) task of reviewing and safeguarding the operations of the telecom industry, particularly in the light of President Rodrigo R. Duterte's warning to telecommunications companies (Telcos) "to shape up or face the consequences." He concluded that the Filipinos deserve better services which, he hoped, would be provided by the telcos.

## **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS**

At this point, Rep. Gullas acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of the guests of Reps. Karlo Alexei B. Nograles, Cesar V. Sarmiento, Mark Aeron H. Sambar and Jericho Jonas B. Nograles.

Thereafter, on motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Salvador B. Belaro Jr. for his interpellation.

## **INTERPELLATION OF REP. BELARO**

At the outset, Rep. Belaro praised Rep. Pineda for bringing to the fore the unfair practices of some internet service providers (ISPs) in the country. On the queries of Rep. Belaro, Rep. Pineda affirmed that the Philippines has one of the highest internet rates being assessed for internet services and that there are only two companies which provide internet services in the country.

They also discussed possible solutions that the Members could do to improve their services; the need to open up competition for internet services in the country; the abuses committed to the consumers by the

two Telcos; and the need to address the problem of having only two ISPs in the country.

Before providing the necessary internet facilities to far-flung areas in the country, Rep. Belaro expressed belief that they should first address the problem of having only two ISPs in the country by allowing other players to join the competition.

## **INTERPELLATION OF REP. SY-ALVARADO**

On motion of Rep. Arthur R. Defensor Jr., the Chair recognized Rep. Jose Antonio "Kuya Jonathan" R. Sy-Alvarado who asked Rep. Pineda to reiterate the reasons why the Philippines has a so-called slow internet speed and the solution thereto. They also discussed the lack of cell site facilities as a contributory factor to the problem of slow internet speed in the country, and agreed that cutting of red tape in the issuance of permits may somehow resolve the country's problem on the need to establish more cell sites.

Rep. Sy-Alvarado then appealed to his colleagues to help find solutions to improve the internet speed in the country. He said that along with a changing society and nation, the internet service should also be given priority for this would make the Filipinos more productive.

Thereafter, on motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Arnolfo A. Teves Jr. for his interpellation.

## **INTERPELLATION OF REP. TEVES**

On Rep. Teves' query, Rep. Pineda agreed that oversubscription and substandard internet services should be criminalized.

## **REFERRAL OF REP. PINEDA'S PRIVILEGE SPEECH**

On motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body referred the privilege speech of Rep. Teves together with the interpellations to the Committee on Rules.

Likewise, on motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Rodel M. Batocabe from Ako Bicol Party-List for his privilege speech.

## **PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REP. BATOCABE**

Rep. Batocabe delved on the recent development on the war against drugs and what to do with the mass surrenderees. He averred that the drug rehabilitation

issue would be better addressed by a comprehensive and sustainable plan that aims to establish additional drug rehabilitation centers strategically located in each legislative district of the country.

As he cited more statistics, Rep. Batocabe said that what the government needs is to appropriate around P33 billion for the drug rehabilitation program as he remarked that it had allocated more than that amount for the Conditional Cash Transfer Program. He then proposed to increase admissions in existing rehabilitation centers; build additional centers or at least one center in each district; and consider the temporary use of military camps and government hospitals to treat drug dependents. He thereafter urged for a comprehensive and long-term plan on how to address the rehabilitation of the drug dependents and that the war against drugs should include saving lives and protecting the welfare and rights of the people.

On motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon for his interpellation.

#### **INTERPELLATION OF REP. BIAZON**

Agreeing with the views of his colleague, Rep. Biazon nevertheless asked whether the government should also look at reducing the drug demand, drug supply, and drug distribution network. Rep. Batocabe agreed that the aforementioned measures were part and parcel of the drug war after saying that the identification and monitoring of drug suspects under “Operation Tokhang” was merely a stop-gap measure; the body count was not an indicator of winning the drug war but only a reminder of the need to address the problem; and drug dependents will return to their old ways if they are not rehabilitated.

Finally, Reps. Batocabe and Biazon agreed that with the forthcoming deliberations on the 2017 national budget, it is timely for Congress to seek additional funds for the rehabilitation of drug victims. They also agreed that in the exercise of its power to appropriate, Congress should inquire from the Executive Department the programs, strategies and tactics needed to win the war against illegal drugs.

On motion of Rep. Gullas, the Chair recognized Rep. Sherwin N. Tugna for his interpellation.

#### **INTERPELLATION OF REP. TUGNA**

To the concerns of Rep. Tugna, Rep. Batocabe agreed that Congress should legislate measures allowing the forfeiture of assets of convicted persons involved in illegal drugs, the proceeds of which could

be used to fund the rehabilitation programs for drug victims.

Rep. Batocabe also suggested the filing of a bill that will allow enforcement officials to sequester properties of suspected drug lords.

As a rejoinder, Rep. Tugna agreed on the need to monitor the performance of drug rehabilitation centers.

#### **REFERRAL OF REP. BATOCABE’S PRIVILEGE SPEECH**

Thereupon, on motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body referred the privilege speech of Rep. Batocabe, together with the interpellations thereon, to the Committee on Rules.

#### **TERMINATION OF THE PRIVILEGE HOUR**

On motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body terminated the Privilege Hour.

#### **APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL**

Thereafter, on motion of Rep. Gullas, there being no objection, the Body approved Journal No. 10, dated August 15, 2016.

#### **AMENDMENTS TO THE PROVISIONAL RULES OF THE HOUSE**

On motion of Majority Leader Rodolfo C. Fariñas, there being no objection, the Body approved to amend Section 33, Rule IX of the Provisional Rules of the House under the 17th Congress by inserting an item after Item “m” to read as follows:

N. SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON WEST PHILIPPINE SEA, 20 MEMBERS. – ALL MATTERS DIRECTLY AND PRINCIPALLY RELATING TO WEST PHILIPPINE SEA ISSUES, INCLUDING TERRITORIAL AND BOUNDARY DISPUTES, NATIONAL AND REGIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY ISSUES, JOINT COOPERATION ARRANGEMENTS AND MARITIME AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS.

#### **ELECTION OF MAJORITY MEMBERS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES/SPECIAL COMMITTEES**

On successive motions of Majority Leader Fariñas, there being no objection, the Body elected the

following Members from the Majority to the Committees/Special Committees hereunder indicated:

Special Committee on West Philippine Sea

1. Rep. Feliciano Belmonte Jr. – as Chairperson

Committee on Civil Service and Professional Regulation

1. Rep. Vilma Santos-Recto – as Chairperson

Committee on Cooperatives Development

1. Rep. Rico B. Geron – as Chairperson

Committee on Ecology

1. Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing – as Chairperson

Committee on Human Rights

1. Rep. Cheryl P. Deloso-Montalla – as Chairperson

Committee on Public Information

1. Rep. Antonio L. Tinio – as Chairperson

Special Committee on Food Security

1. Rep. Leo Rafael M. Cueva – as Chairperson

Committee on Agrarian Reform

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Deogracias Victor “DV” B. Savellano
2. Rep. Melecio J. Yap Jr.
3. Rep. Magnolia C. Antonino

(as Members)

4. Rep. Fernando V. Gonzalez
5. Rep. Jesus Nonato Sacdalan
6. Rep. Jum J. Akbar
7. Rep. Lorna P. Bautista-Bandigan
8. Rep. Mauyag "Jun" B. Papandayan Jr.
9. Rep. Arnolfo A. Teves Jr.
10. Rep. Kaka J. Bag-ao
11. Rep. Vicente J. Alcala
12. Rep. Christopher "Toff" Vera Perez De Venecia
13. Rep. Luisa Lloren Cuaresma

Committee on Agriculture and Food

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Cesar V. Sarmiento
2. Rep. Peter "Sr. Pedro" M. Unabia
3. Rep. Wilfredo S. Caminero
4. Rep. Isagani S. Amatong
5. Rep. Leo Rafael M. Cueva

(as Members)

6. Rep. Alfredo "Albee" B. Benitez
7. Rep. Fernando V. Gonzalez
8. Rep. Milagrosa "Mila" T. Tan
9. Rep. Reynaldo V. Umali
10. Rep. Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco
11. Rep. Linabelle Ruth R. Villarica
12. Rep. Sol Aragon
13. Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing
14. Rep. Lorna P. Bautista-Bandigan
15. Rep. Joseph Sto. Niño B. Bernos
16. Rep. Sandra Y. Eriguel, M.D.
17. Rep. Marisol C. Panotes
18. Rep. Mauyag "Jun" B. Papandayan Jr.
19. Rep. Ramon V.A. "Rav" M. Rocamora
20. Rep. Arnolfo A. Teves Jr.
21. Rep. Micaela S. Violago
22. Rep. Allen Jesse C. Mangaoang
23. Rep. Luis Raymund F. Villafuerte Jr.
24. Rep. Emmanuel F. Madrona
25. Rep. Jose "Pingping" I. Tejada
26. Rep. Jeffrey D. Khonghun
27. Rep. Arcadio H. Gorriceta
28. Rep. Nancy A. Catamco
29. Rep. Edgar Mary S. Sarmiento
30. Rep. Ansaruddin A. M. A. Adiong
31. Rep. Benjamin C. Agarao Jr.
32. Rep. Leopoldo N. Bataoil
33. Rep. Gavini "Apol" C. Pancho
34. Rep. Evelyn P. Mellana
35. Rep. Juliette T. Uy
36. Rep. Baby Aline Vargas-Alfonso

Committee on Aquaculture and Fisheries Resources

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Zajid G. Mangudadatu
2. Rep. Raul "Boboy" C. Tupas
3. Rep. Pedro B. Acharon Jr.
4. Rep. Isagani S. Amatong

(as Members)

5. Rep. Lorna P. Bautista-Bandigan
6. Rep. Fernando V. Gonzalez

7. Rep. Aileen C. Radaza
8. Rep. Wilter "Sharky" Wee Palma II
9. Rep. Mauyag "Jun" B. Papandayan Jr.
10. Rep. Alberto T. Ungab
11. Rep. Lawrence H. Fortun
12. Rep. Luis Raymund F. Villafuerte Jr.
13. Rep. Isidro S. Rodriguez Jr.
14. Rep. Arthur C. Yap
15. Rep. Manuel Jose "Mannix" M. Dalipe
16. Rep. Carlito S. Marquez
17. Rep. Melecio J. Yap Jr.
18. Rep. Henedina R. Abad
19. Rep. Vicente J. Alcala
20. Rep. Cheryl P. Deloso-Montalla
21. Rep. Christopher "Toff" Vera Perez De Venecia
22. Rep. Jennifer Austria Barzaga
23. Rep. Maria Vida Espinosa Bravo
24. Rep. Leo Rafael M. Cueva
25. Rep. Juliet Marie D. Ferrer

#### Committee on Banks and Financial Intermediaries

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Gus S. Tambunting
2. Rep. Henry C. Ong
3. Rep. Arcadio H. Gorriceta
4. Rep. Strike B. Revilla

(as Members)

5. Rep. Jorge T. Almonte
6. Rep. Milagrosa "Mila" T. Tan
7. Rep. Alex "AA" L. Advincula
8. Rep. Eric L. Olivarez
9. Rep. Ma. Theresa V. Collantes
10. Rep. Luis Raymund F. Villafuerte Jr.
11. Rep. Jose "Pingping" I. Tejada
12. Rep. Erlpe John "Ping" M. Amante
13. Rep. Sabiniano S. Canama
14. Rep. Isidro S. Rodriguez Jr.
15. Rep. Ramon "Red" H. Durano VI
16. Rep. Michael John R. Duavit
17. Rep. Abdullah D. Dimaporo
18. Rep. Michael L. Romero, Ph.D.
19. Rep. Xavier Jesus D. Romualdo
20. Rep. Jocelyn Sy Limkaichong
21. Rep. Francis Gerald A. Abaya
22. Rep. Juliet Marie D. Ferrer
23. Rep. Randolph S. Ting

#### Committee on Basic Education and Culture

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Ben P. Evardone
2. Rep. Rodrigo A. Abellanosa

3. Rep. Glona G. Labadlabad
4. Rep. Mark O. Go
5. Rep. Cheryl P. Deloso-Montalla
6. Rep. Juliet Marie D. Ferrer

(as Members)

7. Rep. Jose Carlos L. Cari
8. Rep. Fernando V. Gonzalez
9. Rep. Marlyn L. Primicias-Agabas
10. Rep. Deogracias B. Ramos Jr.
11. Rep. Cesar V. Sarmiento
12. Rep. Zajid G. Mangudadatu
13. Rep. Jum J. Akbar
14. Rep. Len B. Alonte-Naguiat
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16. Rep. Sandra Y. Eriguel, M.D.
17. Rep. Ruwel Peter S. Gonzaga
18. Rep. Alexandria P. Gonzales
19. Rep. Eric M. Martinez
20. Rep. Francisco Jose F. Matugas II
21. Rep. Federico "Ricky" S. Sandoval II
22. Rep. Renato J. Unico Jr.
23. Rep. Lianda B. Bolilia
24. Rep. Florida "Rida" P. Robes
25. Rep. Florencio T. Flores, M.D.
26. Rep. Jorge "Bolet" Banal
27. Rep. Alfredo D. Vargas III
28. Rep. Gabriel H. Bordado Jr.
29. Rep. Vilma Santos-Recto
30. Rep. Christopher "Toff" Vera Perez De Venecia
31. Rep. Romeo M. Acop
32. Rep. Magnolia C. Antonino
33. Rep. Luisa Lloren Cuaresma
34. Rep. Juliet Marie D. Ferrer

#### Committee on Civil Service and Professional Regulation

(as Members)

1. Rep. Frederick "Erick" F. Abueg
2. Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing
3. Rep. Jum J. Akbar

#### Committee on Cooperatives Development

(as Vice Chairperson)

1. Rep. Marlyn L. Primicias-Agabas

(as Members)

2. Rep. Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco
3. Rep. Gil "Kabarangay" P. Acosta
4. Rep. Joseph Sto. Niño B. Bernos
5. Rep. Wilter "Sharky" Wee Palma II
6. Rep. Ramon V.A. "Rav" M. Rocamora

Committee on Dangerous Drugs

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Emi G. Calixto-Rubiano
2. Rep. Arnolfo A. Teves Jr.

(as Members)

3. Rep. Arnel M. Cerafica
4. Rep. Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco
5. Rep. Gus S. Tambunting
6. Rep. Len B. Alonte-Naguiat
7. Rep. Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon
8. Rep. Amado T. Espino Jr.
9. Rep. Rogelio "Ruel" D. Pacquiao
10. Rep. Mark Aeron H. Sambar

Committee on Ecology

(as Members)

1. Rep. Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco,
2. Rep. Len B. Alonte-Naguiat

Committee on Economic Affairs

(as Vice Chairperson)

1. Rep. Joey Sarte Salceda

(as Members)

2. Rep. Cesar V. Sarmiento
3. Rep. Mohamad Khalid Q. Dimaporo
4. Rep. Johnny Ty Pimentel

Committee on Energy

(as Vice Chairpersons)

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15. Rep. Federico "Ricky" S. Sandoval II
16. Rep. Horacio P. Suansing Jr.

Committee on Ethics and Privileges

(as Member)

1. Rep. Frederick "Erick" F. Abueg

Committee on Foreign Affairs

(as Vice Chairperson)

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2. Rep. Maximo B. Rodriguez Jr.
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7. Rep. Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon
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10. Rep. Micaela S. Violago

Committee on Games and Amusements

(as Vice Chairpersons)

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Committee on Government  
Enterprises and Privatization

(as Members)

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3. Rep. Carmelo "Jon" B. Lazatin II

Committee on Government Reorganization

(as Members)

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3. Rep. Mark Aeron H. Sambar

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13. Rep. Federico "Ricky" S. Sandoval II
14. Rep. Jericho Jonas B. Nograles

Committee on Human Rights

(as Member)

1. Rep. Glona G. Labadlabad

Committee on Indigenous Cultural  
Communities and Indigenous Peoples

(as Members)

1. Rep. Zajid G. Mangudadatu
2. Rep. Carmelo "Jon" B. Lazatin II
3. Rep. Wilter "Sharky" Wee Palma II

Committee on Inter-Parliamentary  
Relations and Diplomacy

(as Members)

1. Rep. Rosenda Ann Ocampo
2. Rep. Jesus Nonato Sacdalan
3. Rep. Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco
4. Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing
5. Rep. Cristal L. Bagatsing
6. Rep. Ma. Theresa V. Collantes
7. Rep. Micaela S. Violago
8. Rep. Mark Aeron H. Sambar



Committee on Justice

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Vicente "Ching" S. E. Veloso
2. Rep. Doy C. Leachon

(as Members)

3. Rep. Roy M. Loyola
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12. Rep. Horacio P. Suansing Jr.
13. Rep. Jericho Jonas B. Nograles

Committee on Labor and Employment

(as Vice Chairperson)

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(as Members)

2. Rep. Rosenda Ann Ocampo
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5. Rep. Ma. Theresa V. Collantes
6. Rep. Eric M. Martinez
7. Rep. Mauyag "Jun" B. Papandayan Jr.

Committee on Local Government

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Joey Sarte Salceda
2. Rep. Aileen C. Radaza

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3. Rep. Jorge T. Almonte
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17. Rep. Ramon C. Nolasco

Committee on Mindanao Affairs

(as Vice Chairpersons)

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2. Rep. Ruby M. Sahali

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12. Rep. Horacio P. Suansing Jr.

Committee on Muslim Affairs

(as Vice Chairpersons)

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(as Members)

3. Rep. Jum J. Akbar
4. Rep. Mauyag "Jun" B. Papandayan Jr.

Committee on National Defense and Security

(as Vice Chairpersons)

1. Rep. Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon
2. Rep. Jesus "Boying" F. Celeste

(as Members)

3. Rep. Emi G. Calixto-Rubiano
4. Rep. Roy M. Loyola
5. Rep. Marlyn L. Primicias-Agabas
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14. Rep. Horacio P. Suansing Jr.
15. Rep. Jericho Jonas B. Nograles

Committee on Population and Family Relations

(as Member)

1. Rep. Alexandria P. Gonzales

Committee on Poverty Alleviation

(as Vice Chairperson)

1. Rep. John Marvin "Yul Servo" C. Nieto

(as Members)

2. Rep. Arnel M. Cerafica
3. Rep. Rodrigo A. Abellanos
4. Rep. Wilfredo S. Caminero
5. Rep. Dale "Along" R. Malapitan
6. Rep. Marisol C. Panotes

**ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION**

On motion of Rep. Bondoc, there being no objection, the Chair declared the session adjourned until four o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, August 17, 2016.

It was 6:41 p.m.

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing.

(Sgd.) **ATTY. CESAR S. PAREJA**  
Secretary General

Approved on August 17, 2016.

Congress of the Philippines  
House of Representatives  
Quezon City, Philippines

**MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE****Date: August 16, 2016**

ABAD	BELMONTE (J.C.)	DE VERA
ABAYA	BELMONTE (R.)	DEFENSOR
ABAYON	* BENITEZ	DEL MAR
ABELLANOSA	BERNOS	DEL ROSARIO
ABU	** BERTIZ	DELOSO-MONTALLA
ABUEG	BIAZON	DIMAPORO (A.)
ACHARON	BILLONES	DIMAPORO (M.K.)
ACOP	BIRON	DUAVIT
ACOSTA	BOLILIA	**** DURANO
* ACOSTA-ALBA	BONDOC	DY
**** ADIONG	BORDADO	ELAGO
ADVINCULA	BRAVO (A.)	ENVERGA
AGARAO	BRAVO (M.V.)	***** ERICE
AGGABAO	BROSAS	ERIGUEL
AGLIPAY-VILLAR	BULUT-BEGTANG	ERMITA-BUHAIN
AKBAR	CAGAS	ESCUDERO
*** ALBANO	CALDERON	**** ESPINA
ALCALA	CALIXTO-RUBIANO	ESPINO
** ALEJANO	CAMINERO	ESTRELLA
ALMARIO	CAMPOS	EUSEBIO
ALMONTE	CANAMA	EVARDONE
ALONTE	CARI	FARIÑAS
ALVAREZ (F.)	CASILAO	FERNANDO
**** ALVAREZ (M.)	CASTELO	FERRER (J.)
ALVAREZ (P.)	CASTRO (F.L.)	FERRER (L.)
* AMANTE	CASTRO (F.H.)	FERRIOL-PASCUAL
AMATONG	***** CATAMCO	FLOIRENDO
ANDAYA	CAYETANO	FLORES
ANGARA-CASTILLO	CELESTE	FORTUN
**** ANTONINO	CERAFICA	FORTUNO
ANTONIO	CERILLES	FUENTEBELLA
ARAGONES	CHAVEZ	GARBIN
**** ARBISON	CHIPECO	GARCIA (G.)
* ARCILLAS	CO	GARCIA (J.E.)
ARENAS	COJUANGCO	* GARCIA-ALBANO
ATIENZA	COLLANTES	* GARIN (R.)
* AUMENTADO	CORTES	GARIN (S.)
BAG-AO	CORTUNA	GASATAYA
BAGATSING	* COSALAN	*** GATCHALIAN
* BAGUILAT	CRISOLOGO	GERON
* BANAL	* CUA	* GO (A.C.)
* BARBERS	CUARESMA	GO (M.)
BARZAGA	CUEVA	GOMEZ
BATAOIL	DALIPE	**** GONZAGA
BATOCABE	DALOG	GONZALES (A.P.)
BAUTISTA-BANDIGAN	** DAZA	GONZALES (A.D.)
BELARO	DE JESUS	GONZALEZ
BELMONTE (F.)	DE VENECIA	GORRICETA

GULLAS	OLIVAREZ	SINGSON
HERNANDEZ	ONG (E.)	SUANSING (E.)
HERRERA-DY	ONG (H.)	SUANSING (H.)
HOFER	ORTEGA (P.)	SUAREZ
* JALOSJOS	ORTEGA (V.N.)	SY-ALVARADO
JAVIER	PACQUIAO	TAMBUNTING
**** KHO	PADUANO	TAN (A.)
KHONGHUN	PALMA	TAN (M.)
LABADLABAD	PANCHO	TAN (S.)
LACSON	PANGANIBAN	TEJADA
LAGMAN	PANOTES	TEVES
LANETE	PAPANDAYAN	TIANGCO
* LAOGAN	PICHAY	TING
LAZATIN	PIMENTEL	TINIO
**** LEACHON	PINEDA	TOLENTINO
LEE	PLAZA	TREÑAS
LIMKAICHONG	PRIMICIAS-AGABAS	TUGNA
LOBREGAT	QUIMBO	TUPAS
LOPEZ (B.)	RADAZA	TURABIN-HATAMAN
* LOPEZ (C.)	RAMIREZ-SATO	TY
LOPEZ (M.L.)	RAMOS	UMALI
* LOYOLA	RELAMPAGOS	UNABIA
MACAPAGAL-ARROYO	REVILLA	UNGAB
MACEDA	ROA-PUNO	UNICO
MADRONA	ROBES	* UY (J.)
MALAPITAN	ROCAMORA	UY (R.)
MANALO	RODRIGUEZ (I.)	***** UYBARRETA
MANGAOANG	RODRIGUEZ (M.)	VARGAS
MANGUDADATU (S.)	ROMAN	VARGAS-ALFONSO
MANGUDADATU (Z.)	ROMERO	VELARDE
* MARCOLETA	ROMUALDEZ	VELASCO
MARCOS	ROMUALDO	VELASCO-CATERA
MARIÑO	ROQUE (H.)	VELOSO
MARQUEZ	ROQUE (R.)	VERGARA
MARTINEZ	SACDALAN	VILLAFUERTE
MATUGAS	SAGARBARRIA	VILLANUEVA
MELLANA	SAHALI	VILLARAZA-SUAREZ
MENDING	* SALCEDA	VILLARICA
MERCADO	SALIMBANGON	VILLARIN
MIRASOL	SALO	VIOLAGO
MONTORO	SALON	***** YAP (A.)
NAVA	SAMBAR	YAP (M.)
NIETO	SANDOVAL	**** YAP (V.)
NOEL	**** SANTOS-RECTO	YU
NOGRALES (J.J.)	SARMIENTO (C.)	**** ZAMORA (M.C.)
NOGRALES (K.A.)	SARMIENTO (E.M.)	ZAMORA (R.)
NOLASCO	SAVELLANO	ZARATE
NUÑEZ-MALANYAON	** SEMA	* ZUBIRI
OAMINAL	SIAO	
* OCAMPO	SILVERIO	

\* Appeared before/after Roll Call

\*\* On official mission

\*\*\* Attended meetings of CA/HRET/Conference Committee/Committee meetings authorized by Committee on Rules

\*\*\*\* Officially notified the House, through the Secretariat, of their absence

\*\*\*\*\* Absent without notice

(Subject to correction/s that may appear in the Annual Journal)