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CALL TO ORDER

At 3:00 p.m., Deputy Speaker Frederick “Erick” F. Abueg 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 JOURNAL**

On successive motions of Rep. Rodante D. Marcoleta, 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

On motion of Representative Marcoleta, 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, including the Messages from the Senate, Communication, and Committee Reports, which were referred to the appropriate Committees hereunder indicated:

BILLS ON FIRST READING

House Bill No. 8194, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH A RESEARCH CENTER ON OBESITY PREVENTION”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 8195, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA FOR BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 8196, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING TRAVEL TAX EXEMPTION TO DEPENDENTS OF MARRIED OR SOLO PARENT OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 3 AND 35 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ‘MIGRANT WORKERS AND OVERSEAS FILIPINOS ACT OF 1995’, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10022”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON OVERSEAS WORKERS AFFAIRS

House Bill No. 8197, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE OFFICE FOR SOCIAL WELFARE ATTACHE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MIGRANT WORKERS AND OVERSEAS FILIPINOS ACT OF 1995, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Villarica

TO THE COMMITTEE ON OVERSEAS WORKERS AFFAIRS

House Bill No. 8198, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING A DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE IN THE 6TH DISTRICT OF BATANGAS PROVINCE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Santos-Recto

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 8199, entitled:

“AN ACT UPGRADING THE LIPA CITY HOSPITAL INTO A SECONDARY

LEVEL HOSPITAL AND INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY FOR GENERAL CARE SERVICES TO TWO HUNDRED (200), APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Santos-Recto

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 8200, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR COMPENSATION FOR LOSS OR DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTIES IN MARAWI CITY DURING THE 2017 SIEGE OF MARAWI, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Villarín

TO THE COMMITTEE ON DISASTER MANAGEMENT

House Bill No. 8201, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SENIOR CITIZENS DAY CARE CENTER IN EVERY BARANGAY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Aquino-Magsaysay

TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SENIOR CITIZENS

House Bill No. 8202, 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), 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 Sy-Alvarado

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

House Bill No. 8203, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CLIMATE CHANGE

House Bill No. 8207, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) EXTENSION OFFICE LOCATED IN MANDALUYONG CITY INTO A REGULAR LTO DISTRICT OFFICE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Gonzales (A.P.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

House Bill No. 8208, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SECTION TWO OF REPUBLIC ACT 10868 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'AN ACT HONORING AND GRANTING ADDITIONAL BENEFITS AND PRIVILEGES TO FILIPINO CENTENARIANS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES' ”

By Representative Go (M.)

TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SENIOR CITIZENS

House Bill No. 8209, entitled:

“AN ACT EXPANDING THE MANDATE OF SULU SANITARIUM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF JOLO, PROVINCE OF SULU, TO BECOME THE SULU SANITARIUM AND GENERAL HOSPITAL WITH AT LEAST LEVEL 2 CAPABILITY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Sangcopan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 8210, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SEPTEMBER 17 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SIQUIJOR IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ADLAW SA SIQUIJOR' ”

By Representative Rocamora

TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF LAWS

RESOLUTIONS

House Resolution No. 2167, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE PHILIPPINE DELEGATION FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS AT THE 18TH ASIAN GAMES IN JAKARTA AND PALEMBANG, INDONESIA LAST AUGUST 28, 2018 TO SEPTEMBER 2, 2018”

By Representative Lopez (M.L.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Joint Resolution No. 27, entitled:

“JOINT RESOLUTION FOR THE IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION OF THE INCREASES AND SCHEDULED INCREASES IN THE EXCISE TAXES ON FUEL AS IMPOSED IN SECTION 43 OF

R.A. NO. 10963, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'TAX REFORM FOR ACCELERATION AND INCLUSION (TRAIN)' TO STEM INFLATION”

By Representatives Lagman, Daza, Villarin, Alejano, Erice, Quimbo, Bordado, Banal, Zarate, Brosas, Castro (F.L.), Casilao and Elago

TO THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Message dated September 6, 2018, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate on September 5, 2018, passed with amendments House Bill No. 7449, entitled:

“AN ACT APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE BILLION ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED TEN THOUSAND PESOS (₱1,161,710,000.00) AS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2018 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Message dated September 10, 2018, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate on even date passed the following House Bills without amendment:

House Bill No. 5173, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SEPTEMBER 17 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOS BAÑOS, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY AND THE ANNUAL BAÑAMOS FESTIVAL”;

House Bill No. 5552, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING APRIL 3 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBAY, INCLUDING THE CITIES THEREIN, IN COMMEMORATION OF

ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ALBAY DAY' ”;

House Bill No. 622, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING MARCH 24 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF LIGAO, PROVINCE OF ALBAY, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY”;

House Bill No. 5566, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING NOVEMBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ARAW NG MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL' ”;

House Bill No. 5689, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING AUGUST 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF BUTUAN, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS CHARTER DAY ANNIVERSARY, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ADLAW HONG BUTUAN’ ”;

House Bill No. 6689, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING JUNE 17 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL SUR IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY”;

House Bill No. 5258, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING JULY 4 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF LANAO DEL NORTE, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ARAW NG LANAO' ”;

House Bill No. 705, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING DECEMBER 8 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY

OF AGOO, PROVINCE OF LA UNION, TO BE KNOWN AS 'AGOO DAY' ”;

House Bill No. 6160, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SEPTEMBER 7 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF CAVITE, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY”;

House Bill No. 1928, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING JUNE 16 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLANUEVA, PROVINCE OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ARAW NG VILLANUEVA' ”.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Message dated September 10, 2018, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate on even date passed Senate Bill No. 1306, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE BOXING AND COMBAT SPORTS COMMISSION AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR”

in which it requests the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

Message dated September 10, 2018, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate on even date passed with amendment House Bill No. 7044, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING JUNE 18 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD, PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'BACOLOD CITY CHARTER DAY', IN COMMEMORATION OF THE DAY PRESIDENT MANUEL L. QUEZON

SIGNED AND APPROVED INTO EFFECT COMMONWEALTH ACT NO. 326, CREATING THE CITY OF BACOLOD”

TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF LAWS

Message dated September 11, 2018, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate, on August 28, 2018, passed without amendment

House Bill No. 5553, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SEPTEMBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF IFUGAO, IN COMMEMORATION OF THE SURRENDER OF GENERAL TOMOYUKI YAMASHITA, COMMANDER OF THE JAPANESE IMPERIAL ARMY IN THE PHILIPPINES, IN KIANGAN, IFUGAO”

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Message dated September 11, 2018, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate on September 10, 2018 designated Senators Loren B. Legarda, Joseph Victor G. Ejercito, Richard J. Gordon and Franklin M. Drilon as conferees to the Bicameral Conference Committee on the disagreeing votes on House Bill No. 7449, entitled:

“AN ACT APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE BILLION ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED TEN THOUSAND PESOS (₱1,161,710,000.00) AS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2018 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

COMMUNICATION

Report of Dante Roberto P. Maling, Acting Secretary General, House of Representatives, on enrolled bills, submitted to the Office of the President, for His Excellency’s consideration and signature, pursuant to the provision of Rule VI, Section 18, Par. (h) of the Rules of the House of Representatives:

1. House Bill No. 5160, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE MUNICIPALITY OF STO. TOMAS IN THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS INTO A COMPONENT CITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE CITY OF STO. TOMAS”;

2. House Bill No. 6031, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE INTEGRATION OF THE MAASIN CITY COLLEGE INTO THE SOUTHERN LEYTE STATE UNIVERSITY (SLSU) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”; and

3. House Bill No. 6742, entitled:

“AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE ZAMBOANGA CITY MEDICAL CENTER IN ZAMBOANGA CITY FROM FIVE HUNDRED (500) TO EIGHT HUNDRED (800) BEDS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7272, AS AMENDED, ENTITLED 'AN ACT CONVERTING THE ZAMBOANGA REGIONAL HOSPITAL IN ZAMBOANGA CITY INTO ZAMBOANGA CITY MEDICAL CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR' ”

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report by the Committee on Local Government (Committee Report No. 855), re H.B. No. 8230, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY 201, ZONE 20, IN THE CITY OF PASAY, METROPOLITAN MANILA”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 3525

Sponsors: Representatives Acharon and Calixto-Rubiano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report by the Committee on Local Government (Committee Report No. 856), re H.B. No. 8231, entitled:

“AN ACT RENAMING PANGLAO ISLAND IN THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL TO DAUIS-PANGLAO ISLAND”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6241

Sponsors: Representatives Acharon and Relampagos

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report by the Committee on Local Government (Committee Report No. 857), re H.B. No. 8232, entitled:

“AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF LADOL FROM BARANGAY POBLACION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LABEL, PROVINCE OF SARANGANI AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY LADOL”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 1012

Sponsors: Representatives Acharon and Pacquiao

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Marcoleta, the session was suspended at 3:09 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 3:21 p.m.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS

Majority Leader Rolando G. Andaya Jr. acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of Metrobank Foundation President Aniceto Sobrepña, its officers and staff, their program partners, Department of Education Undersecretary Tonisito Umali, and the 2018 Metrobank Foundation Outstanding Filipinos.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 140

On motion of Majority Leader Andaya, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the presentation of Resolution No. 140, entitled: “RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING THE METROBANK FOUNDATION OUTSTANDING FILIPINOS OF 2018,” which the House adopted on September 11, 2018; and upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the title and full text of the measure.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Majority Leader Andaya, the Chair suspended the session at 3:26 p.m. to allow the awardees to approach the lower rostrum for the presentation of the Resolution by Speaker Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo and their photo opportunity with her.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 3:31 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Upon resumption of session, on motion of Rep. Victoria Isabel G. Noel, there being no objection, the Body directed the Secretary General to call the Roll and the following Members were present:

Abayon
Abellanosa
Abu
Abueg
Acharon
Acop
Advincula
Aggabao
Almario
Almonte
Amatong
Andaya
Antonino
Aquino-Magsaysay
Aragones
Arcillas
Atienza
Aumentado
Bataoil
Bautista-Bandigan
Belaro
Belmonte (F.)
Belmonte (J.C.)
Belmonte (R.)

Benitez	Gasataya
Bernos	Gatchalian
Bertiz	Geron
Biazon	Go (M.)
Billones	Gonzales (A.P.)
Bolilia	Gonzales (A.D.)
Bondoc	Gonzalez
Bordado	Gullas
Bravo (A.)	Herrera-Dy
Bravo (M.V.)	Hofer
Brosas	Jalosjos
Bulut-Begtang	Kho
Calalang	Khonghun
Calderon	Labadlabad
Calixto-Rubiano	Lacson
Caminero	Lagman
Campos	Lanete
Canama	Laogan
Cari	Leachon
Casilao	Lobregat
Castelo	Lopez (M.L.)
Castro (F.L.)	Macapagal-Arroyo
Castro (F.H.)	Maceda
Celeste	Madrona
Cerilles	Malapitan
Chavez	Manalo
Chipeco	Mangudatu (S.)
Co	Marcoleta
Cortes	Marcos
Cortuna	Mariño
Crisologo	Marquez
Cuaresma	Martinez
Cueva	Matugas
Dalipe	Mellana
Datol	Mending
Daza	Mirasol
De Vera	Montoro
Defensor	Nieto
Del Mar	Noel
Deloso-Montalla	Nogralas (J.J.)
Dimaporo (A.)	Nolasco
Dimaporo (M.K.)	Oaminal
Durano	Olivarez
Elago	Ong (E.)
Enverga	Ong (H.)
Erice	Ortega (P.)
Ermita-Buhain	Ortega (V.N.)
Escudero	Pacquiao
Espino	Paduano
Estrella	Palma
Fernando	Pancho
Ferrer (J.)	Panotes
Ferrer (L.)	Papandayan
Floirendo	Pineda
Fortun	Plaza
Fortuno	Primicias-Agabas
Garbin	Ramirez-Sato
Garin (S.)	Ramos

Relampagos
 Roa-Puno
 Robes
 Rocamora
 Rodriguez (I.)
 Rodriguez (M.)
 Romero
 Romualdez
 Romualdo
 Roque
 Sagarbarria
 Sahali
 Salceda
 Salimbangon
 Salo
 Salon
 Sambar
 Sandoval
 Sangcopan
 Sarmiento (E.M.)
 Savellano
 Siao
 Silverio
 Singson
 Suansing (E.)
 Suansing (H.)
 Suarez
 Sy-Alvarado
 Tambunting
 Tan (A.)
 Tejada
 Teves
 Ting
 Tinio
 Tolentino
 Treñas
 Tugna
 Tupas
 Ty
 Ungab
 Unico
 Uy (J.)
 Uy (R.)
 Uybarreta
 Vargas
 Vargas-Alfonso
 Velarde
 Velasco-Catera
 Veloso
 Vergara
 Villanueva
 Villarín
 Violago
 Yap (M.)
 Yap (V.)
 Zamora (R.)
 Zarate

With 197 Members responding to the Call, the Chair declared the presence of a quorum. (See Appendix)

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:
 COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 842
 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 8165**

On motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body resumed consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8165 contained in Committee Report No. 842 as reported out by the Committees on Government Reorganization, National Defense and Security, and Appropriations.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the title of the Bill, to wit:

“AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF DISASTER RESILIENCE, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.”

Representative Noel stated that the parliamentary status was that the Bill was in the period of sponsorship and debate and thereafter, upon her motion, the Chair recognized Rep. Joey Sarte Salceda, one of main authors of the measure, for sponsorship and Rep. Jose Christopher Y. Belmonte for his interpellation.

**INTERPELLATION OF
 REPRESENTATIVE BELMONTE (J.C.)**

Representatives Belmonte and Salceda discussed first the Sunset Review with regard to Republic Act (R.A.) No. 10121 or the Philippine Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act of 2010, and how a technical group was created to come up with said evaluation. The Sponsor said that almost everything in said Review was included in the instant Bill but nonetheless expressed his willingness to include any new insights that Representative Belmonte thinks can be incorporated in the Bill to enhance it.

The Members subsequently exchanged views on the definition of terms such as resilience, mitigation, and prevention as used in the Bill; the powers and functions of the proposed Department of Disaster Resilience (DDR); and the need to further improve the provisions of the measure with regard to the functions of the new Department relating to mitigation, prevention, and risk reduction, to which the Sponsor stated he is willing to accept suggestions during the period of amendments. The latter also

pointed out that the instant Bill does not seek to repeal R.A. No. 10121 but in essence, aims to enhance the said law.

Subsequently, Representative Belmonte's interpellation revolved around the possible repeal of R.A. No. 10121, the depth of the DDR's organizational structure, the involvement of local communities and civil society organizations in disaster-related programs, and the projected budget allocations for the new Department as well as for the proposed Local Disaster Resilience Funds that will be used for disaster prevention, mitigation, preparedness programs especially by third- to sixth-class municipalities.

SUSPENSION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 8165

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Marcoleta, there being no objection, the Body suspended the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8165.

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Marcoleta, the Chair recognized Minority Leader Danilo E. Suarez.

RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBER OF THE MINORITY

On motion of Minority Leader Suarez, there being no objection, Rep. Aileen C. Radaza was recognized as a new and additional member of the Minority bloc.

RECOGNITION OF DEPUTY/ASSISTANT MINORITY LEADERS

Likewise, on further motion of Minority Leader Suarez, there being no objection, Rep. Joseph Stephen S. Paduano was recognized as Deputy Minority Leader vice Rep. Alfredo A. Garbin Jr.; and Rep. Orestes T. Salon as Assistant Minority Leader.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS

At this point, Representative Marcoleta acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of guests of Rep. Jeffrey D. Khonghun, Sabiniano S. Canama, Anthony M. Bravo, PhD, Ruby M. Sahali, Divina Grace C. Yu, Harlin Neil J. Abayon III, Cheryl P. Deloso-Montalla, and Luisa Lloren Cuarasma, and of Deputy Speaker Raneo "Ranie" E. Abu.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

The session was suspended at 4:26 p.m. upon motion of Representative Noel.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 4:33 p.m.

APPROVAL OF JOURNAL NO. 18

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body approved Journal No. 18 dated September 11, 2018.

RESUMPTION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 8165

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body resumed the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8165 contained in Committee Report No. 842 as reported out by the Committees on Government Reorganization, National Defense and Security, and Appropriations, entitled:

"AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF DISASTER RESILIENCE, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR."

As to the parliamentary status of the Bill, Representative Noel said it was still in the period of sponsorship and debate; and on her motion, the Chair recognized Representative Salceda to continue his sponsorship of the measure and Rep. Arnel U. Ty for his interpellation.

INTERPELLATION OF REPRESENTATIVE TY

At the outset, Representatives Ty and Salceda debated on the primary function of the proposed Department of Disaster Resilience (DDR) in relation to its disaster preparedness and response, risk reduction and management, and climate change adaptation plans. They then debated on the Department's proposed staff complement and organizational structure, as well as scope of work insofar as assisting the local government units and coordinating with different agencies are concerned.

Although he agreed that there is a need for a particular agency to have the sole responsibility and

accountability over calamity funds, Representative Ty did not discount the possibility, however, that duties and responsibilities may be replicated which may also delay the government's action and response to future disasters.

To Representative Ty's succeeding questions, the Sponsor elucidated on the DDR's role as the lead agency in risk reduction and relief and rehabilitation given the preponderance of disasters in the country. He also explained why the rights of rescuers must also be upheld when disaster victims prevent the government to rescue other victims and how the DDR will address the needs of evacuees under the guidance of upholding human dignity.

He further stressed the need to increase the capacity of the government, by way of funds and expertise, to address potential hazards and consequently reduce the risks brought about by the interaction of climate change and the country's geology.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

Upon request of Representative Ty, on motion of Representative Salceda, the Chair suspended the session at 5:20 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 5:35 p.m.

SUSPENSION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 8165

On motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body suspended the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8165.

BUSINESS FOR THE DAY: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 754 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 7774

On motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 7774 contained in Committee Report No. 754 as reported out by the Committee on Transportation.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the title of the Bill, to wit:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE RIGHTS OF PASSENGERS OF TAXIS, TOURIST CAR TRANSPORT SERVICES (TCTS)

AND OTHER SIMILAR VEHICLES FOR HIRE (VFH).”

As copies of the Bill had been distributed to the Members, on motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body dispensed with the reading of the text of the measure without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House.

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Noel, the Chair recognized Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing, one of the authors of the Bill, for her sponsorship remarks.

SPONSORSHIP REMARKS OF REPRESENTATIVE SUANSING (E.)

Representative Suansing stated that House Bill No. 7774 is a consolidation of several Bills and seeks to constitute a uniform transportation service standard that shall address the basic rights of passengers of taxis, TCTS and VFH.

With the intent to professionalize and to mandate a code of conduct for the transport service drivers, she cited some of the key provisions of the Bill which include, among others: only a duly licensed professional driver and duly certified by the driver's academy of the LTFRB will be allowed to drive taxis; all licensed vehicles to be operated as taxis must be clean, safe, smoke- and foul odor-free, and roadworthy; and that after having been flagged-down or engaged, the driver cannot refuse to transport any passenger without good reason. She said that the Bill also provides for penalties and fines against violators.

Furthermore, Representative Suansing said that it was the late Senator Miriam Defensor-Santiago who had always been her inspiration when finding solutions that would benefit the common man. She then expressed hope that when the Bill becomes a law, it would quell all complaints against erring taxi drivers and other passenger service drivers. She then urged her colleagues to support the passage of the Bill.

SUSPENSION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 7774

Thereupon, on motion of Rep. Jericho Jonas B. Nograles, there being no objection, the Body suspended the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 7774.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), the Chair suspended the session at 5:42 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 5:43 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 7774

Upon resumption of session, on motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), there being no objection, the Body resumed consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 7774 contained in Committee Report No. 754 as reported out by the Committee on Transportation, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE RIGHTS OF PASSENGERS OF TAXIS, TOURIST CAR TRANSPORT SERVICES (TCTS) AND OTHER SIMILAR VEHICLES FOR HIRE (VFH).”

Representative Nograles stated that the parliamentary status of the Bill was that the Bill was in the period of sponsorship and debate.

TERMINATION OF THE PERIOD OF SPONSORSHIP AND DEBATE

Thereupon, there being no Member who wished to interpellate the Sponsor, on motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; and thereafter proceeded to the period of amendments.

TERMINATION OF PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

There being no Committee and individual amendments, on motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of amendments.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 7774

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), there being no objection, the Body approved House Bill No. 7774 on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), the Chair suspended the session at 5:49 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 5:54 p.m.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS

Upon resumption of session, Representative Nograles (J.J.) acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of the guests of Reps. Ma. Lourdes Acosta-Alba, Lorna P. Bautista-Bandigan and Corazon T. Nuñez-Malanyaon.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Nograles (J.J.), the Chair suspended the session at 5:56 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 6:00 p.m.

RECONSIDERATION OF THE APPROVAL OF JOURNALS NO. 17 AND 18

On motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body reconsidered the approval of Journals No. 17 and 18 dated September 10 and 11, 2018, respectively, to include the following amendments, to wit:

- 1) On Journal No. 18, page 13, under the heading “Election of Majority Members to Various Committees,” for the Committee on Ways and Means on the election of Vice Chairperson, the line “Rep. Dakila Carlo E. Cua vice Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing” is amended to read as follows: “Rep. Dakila Carlo E. Cua vice Rep. JOCELYN SY LIMKAICHONG”;
- 2) To attach an Annex to Journal No. 17 containing the names of Members who voted on House Bill No. 8083;
- 3) In the said Annex, to reflect the vote of Rep. Juan Pablo “Rimpy” P. Bondoc as AFFIRMATIVE and the vote of Rep. Vilma Santos-Recto as NEGATIVE; and
- 4) The said Annex should now reflect the number of affirmative votes as 188, negative votes as 15, and abstentions as three.

**APPROVAL OF JOURNALS NO. 17 AND 18,
AS AMENDED**

On motion of Representative Noel, there being no objection, the Body approved Journals No. 17 and 18, dated September 10 and 11, 2018, as amended, respectively.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Noel, the Chair suspended the session at 6:03 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 6:07 p.m.

**RESCINDMENT OF THE APPROVAL
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 7436**

With leave of the House, on motion of Majority Leader Rolando G. Andaya Jr., the Body rescinded the approval of House Bill No. 7436 which was previously approved on Third Reading by the Body and was then under the Bicameral Conference Committee, to the effect that the House will no longer pursue its passage.

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

On successive motions of Majority Leader Andaya, there being no objection, the Body elected the following members of the Majority to the Committees/Special Committees specified hereunder:

Committee on Accounts

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Alexandria P. Gonzales

Committee on Appropriations

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Evelina G. Escudero

Committee on Banks and Financial Intermediaries,
Special Committee on Bases Conversion,
Committee on Economic Affairs,
and Committee on Public Order and Safety

(as additional Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr.

Committee on Civil Service
and Professional Regulation
and Committee on Tourism

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Arthur C. Yap

Committees on Constitutional Amendments,
Committee on Energy, Committee on Health, and
Committee on Housing and Urban Development

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Wilter “Sharky” Wee Palma II

Committee on Foreign Affairs and Committee on
Good Government and Public Accountability

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Ron P. Salo

Committee on Games and Amusements, Committee
on Justice, Committee on Transportation, and
Committee on Ways and Means

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Rose Marie “Baby” J. Arenas

Committee on Higher and Technical Education

(as Member)

Rep. Aurelio “Dong” D. Gonzales Jr. vice Rep. Rogelio J. Espina, MD

Committee on Natural Resources

(as Member)

Rep. Emmanuel F. Madrona vice Rep. Arthur R. Defensor Jr.

**VACANCY OF MEMBERSHIPS DECLARED
IN CERTAIN COMMITTEES**

Thereupon, on successive motions of Majority Leader Andaya, there being no objection, the Body

declared vacant the positions of the following Committee memberships:

1. member no. 2 of the Committee on Labor and Employment; and
2. members no. 35 and 40 of the Committee on Accounts.

ELECTION OF MAJORITY MEMBERS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES/ SPECIAL COMMITTEES

On motion of Majority Leader Andaya, there being no objection, the Body elected the following members of the Majority to the Committees/Special Committee specified hereunder:

Special Committee on East ASEAN Growth Area and Special Committee on Food Security

Rep. Gil “Kabarangay” P. Acosta as member no. 2 and no. 4, respectively

Special Committee on Reforestation, and Committee on National Defense and Security

Rep. Benjamin C. Agarao Jr. as member no. 2 and no. 6, respectively

Committee on Health

Rep. Michelle M. Antonio as member no. 8

Committee on Dangerous Drugs

Rep. Arnolfo “Arnie” A. Teves Jr. as member no. 3

Rep. Rodel M. Batocabe as member no. 6

Special Committee on Bicol Recovery and Economic Development

Rep. Salvador B. Belaro Jr. as member no. 3

Special Committee on Globalization and WTO

Rep. Peter John D. Calderon as member no. 4

Committee on Agriculture and Food

Rep. Wilfredo S. Caminero as member no. 4

Committee on Social Services, and Committee on Aquaculture and Fisheries Resources

Rep. Sabiniano S. Canama as member no. 4 and member no. 6, respectively

Committee on Cooperatives Development

Rep. Sabiniano S. Canama as member no. 3
Rep. Teodoro “Ted” G. Montoro as member no. 5

Committee on Appropriations

Rep. Mohamad Khalid Q. Dimaporo as member no. 10

Committee on Basic Education and Culture, and Committee on Public Works and Highways

Rep. Juliet Marie D. Ferrer as member no. 7 for both Committees

Committee on Public Information

Rep. Benhur B. Lopez Jr. as member no. 3

Committee on Natural Resources, and Committee on Information and Communications Technology

Rep. Francisco Jose F. Matugas II as member no. 4 and member no. 2, respectively

Committee on Revision of Laws and Committee on Accounts

Rep. Maria Valentina G. Plaza as member no. 3 and member no. 7, respectively

Committee on Mindanao Affairs, and Committee on Ways and Means

Rep. Evelyn P. Mellana as member no. 7 and member no. 6, respectively

Committee on Tourism

Rep. Frederick W. Siao as member no. 3
Rep. Evelyn P. Mellana as member no. 6

Committee on Banks and Financial Intermediaries

Rep. Strike B. Revilla as member no. 5

Special Committee on Peace, Reconciliation
and Unity, and Committee on Appropriations

Rep. Shernee Abubakar Tan as member no. 4,
and as Vice Chairperson, respectively

Committee on Energy

Rep. Carlos Roman L. Uybarreta as member
no. 8

Committee on Labor and Employment

Rep. Anna Marie Villaraza-Suarez as member
no. 2

**WITHDRAWAL OF ELECTION OF
REPRESENTATIVE PLAZA FROM
THE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTS**

On motion of Majority Leader Andaya, there
being no objection, the Body approved the with-
drawal of the election of Rep. Maria Valentina G.
Plaza as member no. 7 of the Committee on Ac-
counts.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

The session was suspended at 6:17 p.m. upon
motion of Representative Noel.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 6:19 p.m.

Upon Representative Nograles' (J.J.) motion,
the Chair recognized Rep. Anthony M. Bravo, PhD
for his manifestation.

**ELECTION OF MINORITY MEMBERS
TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES**

On motion of Rep. Anthony M. Bravo, PhD,
there being no objection, the Body elected the fol-
lowing members of the Minority to the Committees
specified hereunder:

Committee on Accounts

(as Members)

Rep. Milagros Aquino-Magsaysay
Rep. Rodel M. Batocabe

Committee on Disaster Management

(as Member)

Rep. Arlene B. Arcillas

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

The session was suspended at 6:21 p.m. on mo-
tion of Representative Nograles (J.J.).

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

At 6:23 p.m., the session resumed.

ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Noel, there being
no objection, the Chair declared the session ad-
journed until ten o'clock in the morning of Monday,
September 17, 2018.

It was 6:24 p.m.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the forego-
ing,

(Sgd.) **MR. DANTE ROBERTO P. MALING**
Acting Secretary General

Approved on September 18, 2018.

DOCUMENTS DISTRIBUTED

Printed copies of the following measures were
distributed to the Members during the session:

1. House Bill No. 8143, entitled: "AN ACT
MANDATING THE DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS TO
PRIORITIZE THE CONSTRUCTION OF
THE NECESSARY INFRASTRUCTURE
TO ENSURE THE ACCESSIBILITY OF
ALL TOURISM SITES IN THE COUN-
TRY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR"

2. House Bill No. 8175, entitled: “AN ACT RENEWING FOR ANOTHER TWENTY-FIVE (25) YEARS THE FRANCHISE GRANTED TO SOUTHERN BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC. UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8147, ENTITLED 'AN ACT GRANTING THE SOUTHERN BROADCASTING NETWORK A FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN, ESTABLISH AND OPERATE COMMERCIAL RADIO/TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES' ”
3. H.B. No. 8176, entitled: “AN ACT RENEWING FOR ANOTHER TWENTY-FIVE (25) YEARS THE FRANCHISE GRANTED TO RADIOWORLD BROADCASTING CORPORATION UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8219, ENTITLED 'AN ACT GRANTING RADIOWORLD BROADCASTING CORPORATION, A FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL, ESTABLISH, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES' ”
4. House Bill No. 8177, entitled: “AN ACT RENEWING FOR ANOTHER TWENTY-FIVE (25) YEARS THE FRANCHISE GRANTED TO RAJAH BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC. TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL, ESTABLISH, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERED FORTY-FIVE HUNDRED AND FIVE, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERED EIGHTY-ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR”

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

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	HERRERA-DY		OLIVAREZ	SILVERIO
	HOFER		ONG (E.)	SINGSON
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	KHONGHUN		PACQUIAO	*** SY-ALVARADO
	LABADLABAD		PADUANO	TAMBUNTING
	LACSON		PALMA	TAN (A.)
	LAGMAN		PANCHO	***** TAN (M.)
***	LANETE	*****	PANGANIBAN	* TAN (S.)
	LAOGAN		PANOTES	TEJADA
*****	LAZATIN		PAPANDAYAN	*** TEVES
	LEACHON	*****	PICHAY	***** TIANGCO
*	LEE	*****	PIMENTEL	TING
*****	LIMKAICHONG		PINEDA	TINIO
	LOBREGAT		PLAZA	*** TOLENTINO
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			AGABAS	
*****	LOPEZ (C.)	*	QUIMBO	TUGNA
	LOPEZ (M.L.)	*****	RADAZA	TUPAS
*****	LOYOLA	***	RAMIREZ-SATO	TY
	MACAPAGAL-ARROYO		RAMOS	***** UMALI
	MACEDA		RELAMPAGOS	* UNABIA
	MADRONA	****	REVILLA	UNGAB
	MALAPITAN		ROA-PUNO	UNICO
	MANALO		ROBES	UY (J.)
****	MANGAOANG		ROCAMORA	UY (R.)
	MANGUDADATU (S.)		RODRIGUEZ (I.)	UYBARRETA
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	MARQUEZ	***	ROMUALDO	** VELASCO-CATERA
	MARTINEZ		ROQUE	VELOSO
	MATUGAS	*****	SACDALAN	VERGARA
	MELLANA		SAGARBARRIA	***** VILLAFUERTE
	MENDING		SAHALI	VILLANUEVA
*****	MENDOZA		SALCEDA	**** VILLARAZA-SUAREZ
*****	MERCADO	***	SALIMBANGON	***** VILLARICA
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	NOEL		SANGCOPAN	YAP (V.)
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*****	NOGRALES (K.A.)	*****	SARMIENTO (C.)	**** ZAMORA (M.C.)
	NOLASCO		SARMIENTO (E.M.)	*** ZAMORA (R.)
*****	NUÑEZ-MALANYAON	***	SAVELLANO	ZARATE
**	OAMINAL	*	SEMA	***** ZUBIRI

* Appeared after the Roll Call

** On official mission

*** Attending 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

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