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CALL TO ORDER

At 4:00 p.m., Deputy Speaker Frederick “Eric” 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.

ROLL CALL

Thereupon, on motion of Rep. Johnny Ty Pimentel, there being no objection, the Chair directed the Secretary General to call the Roll and the following Members were present:

Abellanos
Abu
Abueg
Acharon
Acop
Acosta
Adiong
Aggabao
Albano
Alejano
Almario
Almonte
Alvarez (F.)
Alvarez (P.)
Amatong
Angara-Castillo
Antonio
Aquino-Magsaysay
Aragones
Arcillas
Arenas
Atienza
Bag-ao
Barbers
Bataoil
Bautista-Bandigan
Belaro
Belmonte (F.)
Belmonte (J.C.)
Benitez
Bertiz
Billones
Biron
Bolilia

Bondoc
Bordado
Bravo (A.)
Bravo (M.V.)
Brosas
Calderon
Calixto-Rubiano
Caminero
Canama
Cari
Casilao
Castelo
Castro (F.L.)
Catamco
Cayetano
Cerilles
Chavez
Chipeco
Cojuangco
Collantes
Cortes
Cortuna
Cua
Cuaresma
Cueva
Dalipe
Datol
Daza
De Jesus
De Vera
Defensor
Del Mar
Del Rosario
Deloso-Montalla
Dimaporo (A.)
Dimaporo (M.K.)
Duavit
Durano
Dy
Eriguel
Ermita-Buhain
Escudero
Espina
Eusebio
Evardone
Fariñas
Ferrer (J.)
Ferriol-Pascual
Flores
Fortuno
Garbin
Garcia (G.)

Garcia-Albano	Panotes
Garin (S.)	Papandayan
Gasataya	Pimentel
Gatchalian	Pineda
Go (A.C.)	Primicias-Agabas
Go (M.)	Quimbo
Gonzaga	Radaza
Gonzales (A.P.)	Relampagos
Gonzales (A.D.)	Roa-Puno
Gonzalez	Robes
Gullas	Rocamora
Herrera-Dy	Rodriguez (I.)
Hofer	Rodriguez (M.)
Jalosjos	Roman
Javier	Romualdez
Kho	Romualdo
Khonghun	Roque (H.)
Lacson	Sacdalan
Lagman	Sagarbarria
Lanete	Sahali
Lazatin	Salceda
Lee	Salimbangon
Limkaichong	Salo
Lopez (B.)	Salon
Lopez (M.L.)	Sambar
Loyola	Sandoval
Macapagal-Arroyo	Santos-Recto
Maceda	Sarmiento (C.)
Madrona	Sarmiento (E.M.)
Malapitan	Savellano
Manalo	Siao
Mangaoang	Silverio
Mangudadatu (Z.)	Suansing (E.)
Marcoleta	Suansing (H.)
Marcos	Suarez
Marquez	Tambunting
Martinez	Tan (A.)
Mending	Tan (S.)
Mendoza	Tejada
Mercado	Teves
Mirasol	Tiangco
Montoro	Ting
Nava	Tinio
Nieto	Tolentino
Noel	Treñas
Nogralas (K.A.)	Tugna
Nolasco	Tupas
Oaminal	Ty
Ocampo	Umali
Olivarez	Unabia
Ong (E.)	Ungab
Ong (H.)	Unico
Ortega (P.)	Uy (R.)
Ortega (V.N.)	Uybarreta
Paduano	Vargas
Palma	Vargas-Alfonso
Pancho	Velarde
Panganiban	Velasco

Velasco-Catera
Veloso
Vergara
Villanueva
Villaraza-Suarez
Villarica
Villarin
Violago
Yap (A.)
Yap (M.)
Yap (V.)
Yu
Zamora (R.)
Zarate
Zubiri

With 217 Members responding to the Call, the Chair declared the presence of a quorum. (See Appendix)

APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

On motion of Representative Pimentel, there being no objection, the Body approved Journal No. 22, dated September 11, 2017.

REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Pimentel, 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 Communications and Committee Reports, which were referred to the appropriate Committees hereunder indicated:

BILLS ON FIRST READING

House Bill No. 6375, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING MT. SAGE BROADCASTING NETWORK INCORPORATED A FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL, ESTABLISH, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN RADIO BROADCASTING STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE OF BUKIDNON AND IN REGION TEN”

By Representative Roque (R.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE FRANCHISES

House Bill No. 6376, entitled:

“AN ACT PROMOTING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, CONVERSION, IMPORTATION, AND MAINSTREAM USE OF ELECTRIC, HYBRID, AND OTHER ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECOLOGY

House Bill No. 6377, entitled:

“AN ACT GRANTING TEN PERCENT DISCOUNT TO ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS ON ALL THEIR EDUCATION RELATED PURCHASES”

By Representative Castelo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 6378, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING SOGOD ZIPLINE ALONG THE VICINITY OF AGAS-AGAS BRIDGE IN SOGOD, SOUTHERN LEYTE AS A TOURISM SITE”

By Representative Mercado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM

House Bill No. 6379, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7227, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9400, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE BASES CONVERSION AND DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1992”

By Representative Calixto-Rubiano

TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON BASES CONVERSION

House Bill No. 6380, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING EACH LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT TO ALLOT TO COOPERATIVES TWO PERCENT (2%) OF ITS APPROPRIATIONS FOR LOCAL

DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991' ”

By Representatives Geron, Bravo (A.) and Canama

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 6381, entitled:

“AN ACT REQUIRING LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS AND ESTABLISHMENTS TO INSTALL CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION (CCTV) OR VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM IN THE PREMISES OF PRIVATE ESTABLISHMENTS AND PUBLIC PLACES”

By Representative Benitez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY

House Bill No. 6382, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INTEGRATED SCHOOL IN BARANGAY MAUWAY, CITY OF MANDALUYONG, TO BE KNOWN AS THE SENATE PRESIDENT NEPTALI A. GONZALES INTEGRATED SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Gonzales (A.P.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 6383, entitled:

“AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN BY ESTABLISHING A RETIREMENT BENEFIT SYSTEM, AUGMENTING EMPLOYEE BENEFITS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Hofer

TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE

House Bill No. 6384, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING THE PROVINCE OF MARINDUQUE A MINING-FREE ZONE”

By Representative Velasco-Catera

TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

RESOLUTIONS

House Resolution No. 1298, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES REQUESTING FOR THE CREATION AND ORGANIZATION OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MARAWI RECOVERY, RECONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION”

By Representative Mending

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1299, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION COMMENDING PHILIPPINE SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL (PSHS) EASTERN VISAYAS CAMPUS SCHOLAR HILLARY DIANE ANDALES FOR HER VIDEO ENTRY IN THE BREAKTHROUGH JUNIOR CHALLENGE ORGANIZED BY THE BREAKTHROUGH PRIZE FOUNDATION”

By Representative Aumentado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1300, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO IMMEDIATELY CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW ON EXISTING LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING PRE-NEED COMPANIES AND HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS (HMOs) IN THE PHILIPPINES, WHICH ARE CURRENTLY IMPLEMENTED BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSION, IN

LIGHT OF RECENT REPORTS ON FINANCIAL LOSSES OF PRE-NEED COMPANIES, THE PROLIFERATION OF HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS (HMOs), AND THE PERCEIVED LACK OF REGULATION THEREOF, AND TO RECOMMEND APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION”

By Representative Evardone

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1301, entitled:

“RESOLUTION LAUDING THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF OUR PHILIPPINE ATHLETES AT THE 29TH SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES”

By Representative Aglipay-Villar

TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

House Resolution No. 1302, entitled:

“RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING THE TAGUM COOPERATIVE FOR ITS OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS AND LEADERSHIP AS A COOPERATIVE AND FOR ITS SIGNIFICANT ROLE AND CONTRIBUTION TO COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT”

By Representatives Geron, Bravo (A.) and Canama

TO THE COMMITTEE ON COOPERATIVES DEVELOPMENT

House Resolution No. 1303, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEMISE OF MOVIE TELEVISION REVIEW AND CLASSIFICATION BOARD (MTRCB) BOARD MEMBER 'MR. MARIO HERNANDO' ”

By Representative Olivarez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1304, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEMISE OF FORMER SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS AND PHILIPPINE CONSTRUCTION MAGNATE, ENGINEER DAVID M. CONSUNJI”

By Representative Olivarez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1305, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY AND THE DANGEROUS DRUGS COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN URGENT COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION ON THE ON GOING POLICIES OF THE GOVERNMENT ON THE WAR ON DRUGS”

By Representative Erice

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1306, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION OF THE 'CATS MOTORS PHILIPPINES' FOR THE MERCEDES BENZ LEMON LAW IN ACCORDANCE AND COMPLIANCE TO THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT 7394 (CONSUMER ACT OF THE PHILIPPINES)”

By Representative Romero

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 1307, entitled:

“RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING, COMMENDING AND EXPRESSING OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SOUTHEAST ASIAN (SEA) GAMES TRIATHLETE PARTICIPANTS, GOLD MEDALISTS MARION KIM MANGROBANG AND NIKKO BRYAN HUEL GAS, AND SILVER MEDALISTS MARIA CLAIRE ADORNA AND JOHN LEERAMS CHICANO”

By Representatives Velasco-Catera, Velasco and Uybarreta

TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

ADDITIONAL COAUTHORS

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

Rep. Lawrence H. Fortun for House Bill No. 3357;

Reps. Rogelio J. Espina, M.D. and Raul A. Daza for House Bill No. 4383;

Reps. Yedda Marie K. Romualdez and Geraldine B. Roman for House Bill No. 6251;

Rep. Ricardo "RJ" T. Belmonte Jr. for House Bills No. 4367, 5483, 6154, and 6221;

Rep. Bernadette "BH" Herrera-Dy for House Bills No. 2716, 4115, 4116, 5213, 5900, 5985, and 6029;

Rep. "Kuya" Jose Antonio R. Sy-Alvarado for House Bills No. 480, 2287, 5615, 5670, 5745, 5789, 5945, 6011, 6019, 6143, 6144, 6235, 6239, 6240, 6255, 6283, 6299, 6301, 6302, 6307, 6320, 6327, 6328, 6329, 6330, 6340, 6349, 6350, 6355, 6358, 6359, and 6360;

Rep. Manuel Jose "Mannix" M. Dalipe for House Bills No. 6283 and 6308;

Rep. Gus S. Tambunting for House Bills No. 3541 and 5745;

Rep. Lorna C. Silverio for House Bills No. 2208, 3688, 3976, and 4210;

Rep. Tricia Nicole Q. Velasco-Catera for House Bill No. 5698;

Rep. Alfredo "Albee" B. Benitez for House Bill No. 4982;

Rep. Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon for House Bill No. 373;

Reps. Frederick "Erick" F. Abueg and Jose Christopher Y. Belmonte for House Bill No. 5675;

Rep. Micaela S. Violago for House Bill No. 6023;

Rep. Xavier Jesus D. Romualdo for House Bills No. 5828 and 6026;

Rep. John Marvin "Yul Servo" C. Nieto for House Bills No. 6209, 6251, and 6372;

Rep. Jose "Pingping" I. Tejada for House Bill No. 2716;

Rep. Lianda B. Bolilia for House Bill No. 6256;

Rep. Manuel Luis T. Lopez for House Resolutions No. 1250 and 1251;

Rep. Rodante D. Marcoleta for House Bills No. 6314, 6315, and 6317;

Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing for House Bill No. 6095;

Rep. Ron P. Salo for House Bills No. 2625, 4344, and 4703;

Rep. Salvador B. Belaro Jr. for House Bills No. 5540, 6093, 6146, 6150, 6233, and 6251 and House Resolution No. 1183;

Reps. Romeo M. Acop and Edcel C. Lagman for House Bill No. 6093;

Rep. Teodoro "Ted" G. Montoro for House Bills No. 4115, 4116, 5213, 5900, 5985, and 6029; and

Rep. Juan Pablo "Rimpy" P. Bondoc for House Bill No. 4982.

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters dated 6 September 2017 of Roger E. Dino, Deputy Director, Office of the General Counsel and Legal Services, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP), furnishing the House of Representatives with duly certified and authenticated BSP issuances, to wit:

1. Circular Letter No. CL-2017-050 dated 29 August 2017;

2. Circular Letter No. CL-2017-051 dated 31 August 2017; and
3. Memorandum No. M-2017-025 dated 25 August 2017.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES
COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report by the Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 377), re H.B. No. 6389, entitled:

“AN ACT UPGRADING THE SERVICES AND FACILITIES OF THE LA UNION MEDICAL CENTER IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF AGOO, PROVINCE OF LA UNION, BY INCREASING ITS BED CAPACITY TO THREE HUNDRED (300) AND ESTABLISHING A TRAUMA CENTER THEREIN, AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE OF ITS PERSONNEL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 606

Sponsors: Representatives Tan (A.), Eriguel and Nograles (K.A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report by the Committee on Public Works and Highways and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 378), re H.B. No. 6391, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY ANDUYAN, MUNICIPALITY OF TUBAO, PROVINCE OF LA UNION TO BARANGAY SAN PASCUAL, MUNICIPALITY OF TUBA, PROVINCE OF BENGUET INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 700

Sponsors: Representatives Lobregat, Nograles (K.A.) and Eriguel

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

ADDITIONAL REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

On further motion of Representative Pimentel, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the Additional Reference of Business.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the following Message from the President which was referred to the appropriate Committee hereunder indicated:

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

MALACAÑAN PALACE
MANILA

12 September 2017

SPEAKER PANTALEON D. ALVAREZ
House Speaker
House of Representatives
Batasan Hills, Quezon City

Mr. Speaker,

Pursuant to the provisions of Article VI, Section 26 (2), of the 1987 Constitution, I hereby certify to the necessity of the immediate enactment of House Bill No. 6215, entitled:

“AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES FROM JANUARY ONE TO DECEMBER THIRTY-ONE, TWO THOUSAND AND EIGHTEEN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

in order to address the need to maintain continuous government operations following the end of the current fiscal year, to expedite the funding of various programs, projects and activities for FY 2018, and to ensure budgetary preparedness that will enable the government to effectively perform its Constitutional mandate.

Best regards.

Very truly yours,

(SGD.) RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE

Copy Furnished:

Sen. Aquilino “Koko” Pimentel III
Senate President
The Philippine Senate
Pasay City

Sec. Adelino B. Sitoy
Head
Presidential Legislative Liaison Office
2/F New Executive Bldg.
Malacañang, Manila

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS

Representative Pimentel then acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of guests of Rep. Ruby M. Sahali.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 101
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 4982**

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Pimentel, there being no objection, the Body resumed consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 4982 as embodied in Committee Report No. 101 and reported out by the Committee on Women and Gender Equality.

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

“AN ACT PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF SEXUAL ORIENTATION OR GENDER IDENTITY OR EXPRESSION (SOGIE) AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR.”

Whereupon, Representative Pimentel stated that the parliamentary status of the measure was that it was in the period of individual amendments and on his motion, the Chair recognized Rep. Sol Aragonés, Vice Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee, to sponsor the measure.

QUERY OF REPRESENTATIVE ATIENZA

On motion of Representative Pimentel, the Chair recognized Rep. Jose L. Atienza Jr. who asked some clarificatory questions; and Representative Aragonés affirmed that the measure does not concern itself with same sex marriage and stated that a seminary is for the training of priests while a convent or nunnery is for the training of nuns.

**AMENDMENT OF
REPRESENTATIVE ATIENZA**

As accepted by the Sponsor, there being no objection, the Body approved the individual amendment in Section 4(h) of the Bill, as presented on the floor by Representative Atienza.

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Pimentel, there being no objection, the Chair recognized Rep. Kaka J. Bag-ao.

**AMENDMENT OF
REPRESENTATIVE BAG-AO**

As accepted by the Sponsor, there being no objection, the Body approved the individual amendment also in Section 4(h) of the Bill, as presented on the floor by Representative Bag-ao.

**TERMINATION OF THE PERIOD
OF INDIVIDUAL AMENDMENTS**

There being no other individual amendment, on motion of Representative Pimentel, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of individual amendments.

**APPROVAL ON SECOND READING
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 4982, AS AMENDED**

On motion of Representative Pimentel, there being no objection, the Body approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 4982, as amended.

**APPROVAL ON THIRD READING
OF CERTAIN HOUSE BILLS**

On successive motions of Representatives Pimentel/Ron P. Salo, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the approval on Third Reading of the following House Bills, printed copies of which were distributed to the Members on the dates mentioned herein, pursuant to Section 58, Rule X of the amended Provisional Rules of the House:

Distributed on August 30, 2017:

1. House Bill No. 6016, entitled: “AN ACT REGULATING THE ISSUANCE, USE AND REDEMPTION OF GIFT CHECKS, GIFT CERTIFICATES AND GIFT CARDS”;

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the amended Provisional Rules of the House, a second Roll Call was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abellanosa
Abu
Acharon
Acop
Acosta

Adiong	Defensor
Aggabao	Del Mar
Albano	Deloso-Montalla
Alejano	Dimaporo (A.)
Almonte	Dimaporo (M.K.)
Alvarez (F.)	Duavit
Alvarez (P.)	Durano
Amatong	Dy
Angara-Castillo	Eriguel
Antonio	Ermita-Buhain
Aquino-Magsaysay	Escudero
Aragones	Espina
Arcillas	Eusebio
Arenas	Evardone
Atienza	Fariñas
Bag-ao	Ferrer (J.)
Barbers	Ferriol-Pascual
Bataoil	Flores
Bautista-Bandigan	Fortuno
Belaro	Fuentebella
Belmonte (F.)	Garbin
Belmonte (J.C.)	Garcia (G.)
Benitez	Garcia-Albano
Bertiz	Garin (R.)
Billones	Garin (S.)
Biron	Gasataya
Bolilia	Go (A.C.)
Bondoc	Go (M.)
Bordado	Gonzaga
Bravo (A.)	Gonzales (A.P.)
Bravo (M.V.)	Gonzales (A.D.)
Brosas	Gonzalez
Calderon	Gullas
Calixto-Rubiano	Herrera-Dy
Caminero	Hofer
Canama	Javier
Cari	Kho
Casilao	Khonghun
Castelo	Lacson
Castro (F.L.)	Lagman
Castro (F.H.)	Lanete
Catamco	Lazatin
Cerilles	Lee
Chavez	Limkaichong
Chipeco	Lopez (B.)
Cojuangco	Lopez (C.)
Collantes	Lopez (M.L.)
Cortes	Macapagal-Arroyo
Cortuna	Maceda
Crisologo	Madrona
Cua	Malapitan
Cuaresma	Manalo
Cueva	Mangaoang
Dalipe	Mangudadatu (Z.)
Datol	Marcoleta
Daza	Marcos
De Jesus	Marquez
De Vera	Martinez

Mending	Tan (S.)
Mendoza	Tejada
Mercado	Teves
Mirasol	Tiangco
Montoro	Ting
Nava	Tinio
Nieto	Tugna
Noel	Tupas
Nogralles (K.A.)	Ty
Nolasco	Umali
Oaminal	Unabia
Olivarez	Ungab
Ong (E.)	Unico
Ong (H.)	Uy (R.)
Ortega (P.)	Uybarreta
Ortega (V.N.)	Vargas
Paduano	Vargas-Alfonso
Palma	Velarde
Pancho	Velasco
Panganiban	Velasco-Catera
Panotes	Veloso
Papandayan	Vergara
Pimentel	Villanueva
Pineda	Villaraza-Suarez
Primicias-Agabas	Villarica
Quimbo	Villarin
Radaza	Violago
Relampagos	Yap (A.)
Robes	Yap (M.)
Rocamora	Yap (V.)
Rodriguez (I.)	Yu
Rodriguez (M.)	Zarate
Roman	Zubiri
Romualdez	
Romualdo	
Roque (H.)	<i>Negative:</i>
Sacdalan	
Sagarbarria	None
Sahali	
Salceda	
Salimbangon	<i>Abstention:</i>
Salo	
Salon	
Sambar	None
Sandoval	
Santos-Recto	
Sarmiento (C.)	
Sarmiento (E.M.)	
Savellano	
Sema	
Siao	
Silverio	
Suansing (E.)	
Suansing (H.)	
Suarez	
Sy-Alvarado	
Tambunting	
Tan (A.)	

With 212 affirmative votes, no negative votes, and no abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 6016.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF GUESTS

At this point, Representatives Pimentel/Juan Pablo "Rimpy" P. Bondoc acknowledged the presence in the Session Hall of guests of Reps Alexandria P. Gonzales, Carlos Isagani T. Zarate, and Bondoc.

**APPROVAL ON THIRD READING
OF CERTAIN HOUSE BILLS**

(Continuation)

Distributed on August 30, 2017:

2. House Bill No. 6177, entitled: “AN ACT RATIONALIZING THE INCOME REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CREATION OF A MUNICIPALITY, THE DECLARATION OF HIGHLY URBANIZED STATUS IN THE CASE OF COMPONENT CITIES AND THE CREATION OF A PROVINCE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 442(a), 452(a), 453 AND 461(a), (b) AND (c) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991'”;

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the amended Provisional Rules of the House, a second Roll Call was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abellanosa
Abu
Acharon
Acop
Acosta
Adiong
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Albano
Alejano
Almonte
Alvarez (F.)
Alvarez (P.)
Amatong
Angara-Castillo
Antonio
Aquino-Magsaysay
Aragones
Arcillas
Arenas
Atienza
Aumentado
Bag-ao
Barbers
Bataoil
Bautista-Bandigan

Belaro
Belmonte (F.)
Belmonte (J.C.)
Benitez
Bertiz
Billones
Biron
Bolilia
Bondoc
Bordado
Bravo (A.)
Bravo (M.V.)
Brosas
Calderon
Calixto-Rubiano
Caminero
Canama
Cari
Casilao
Castelo
Castro (F.L.)
Castro (F.H.)
Catamco
Cerilles
Chavez
Chipeco
Cojuangco
Collantes
Cortes
Cortuna
Crisologo
Cua
Cuaresma
Cueva
Dalipe
Datol
Daza
De Jesus
De Vera
Defensor
Del Mar
Deloso-Montalla
Dimaporo (A.)
Dimaporo (M.K.)
Duavit
Durano
Dy
Eriguel
Ermita-Buhain
Escudero
Espina
Eusebio
Evardone
Fariñas
Ferrer (J.)
Ferriol-Pascual
Flores
Fortuno

Fuentebella	Pancho
Garbin	Panganiban
Garcia (G.)	Panotes
Garcia-Albano	Papandayan
Garin (R.)	Pimentel
Garin (S.)	Pineda
Gasataya	Primicias-Agabas
Go (A.C.)	Quimbo
Go (M.)	Radaza
Gonzaga	Relampagos
Gonzales (A.P.)	Robes
Gonzales (A.D.)	Rocamora
Gonzalez	Rodriguez (I.)
Gullas	Rodriguez (M.)
Herrera-Dy	Roman
Hofer	Romualdez
Javier	Romualdo
Kho	Roque (H.)
Khonghun	Sacdalan
Lacson	Sagarbarria
Lagman	Sahali
Lanete	Salceda
Lazatin	Salimbangon
Lee	Salo
Limkaichong	Salon
Lopez (B.)	Sambar
Lopez (C.)	Sandoval
Lopez (M.L.)	Santos-Recto
Macapagal-Arroyo	Sarmiento (C.)
Maceda	Sarmiento (E.M.)
Madrona	Savellano
Malapitan	Sema
Manalo	Siao
Mangaoang	Silverio
Mangudadatu (Z.)	Suansing (E.)
Marcoleta	Suansing (H.)
Marcos	Suarez
Marquez	Sy-Alvarado
Martinez	Tambunting
Mellana	Tan (A.)
Mending	Tan (S.)
Mendoza	Tejada
Mercado	Teves
Mirasol	Tiangco
Montoro	Ting
Nava	Tinio
Nieto	Tugna
Noel	Tupas
Nogralas (K.A.)	Ty
Nolasco	Umali
Oaminal	Unabia
Olivarez	Ungab
Ong (E.)	Unico
Ong (H.)	Uy (R.)
Ortega (P.)	Uybarreta
Ortega (V.N.)	Vargas
Paduano	Vargas-Alfonso
Palma	Velarde

Velasco
Velasco-Catera
Veloaso
Vergara
Villanueva
Villaraza-Suarez
Villarica
Villarin
Violago
Yap (A.)
Yap (M.)
Yap (V.)
Yu
Zarate
Zubiri

Negative:

None

Abstention:

None

With 214 affirmative votes, no negative votes, and no abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 6177.

**APPROVAL ON THIRD READING
OF CERTAIN HOUSE BILLS**
(Continuation)

Distributed on August 30, 2017:

3. House Bill No. 2290, entitled: "AN ACT DECLARING JULY 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN PASIG CITY, TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'ANNIVERSARY DAY OF PASIG CITY'";

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the amended Provisional Rules of the House, a second Roll Call was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abellanosa
Abu
Acharon
Acop
Acosta
Adiong

Aggabao
Albano
Alejano
Almonte
Alvarez (F.)
Alvarez (P.)
Amatong
Angara-Castillo
Antonio
Aquino-Magsaysay
Aragones
Arcillas
Arenas
Atienza
Aumentado
Bag-ao
Barbers
Bataoil
Bautista-Bandigan
Belaro
Belmonte (F.)
Belmonte (J.C.)
Benitez
Bertiz
Billones
Biron
Bolilia
Bondoc
Bordado
Bravo (A.)
Bravo (M.V.)
Brosas
Calderon
Calixto-Rubiano
Caminero
Canama
Cari
Casilao
Castelo
Castro (F.L.)
Castro (F.H.)
Catamco
Cerilles
Chavez
Chipeco
Cojuangco
Collantes
Cortes
Cortuna
Crisologo
Cua
Cuaresma
Cueva
Dalipe
Datol
Daza
De Jesus
De Vera

Defensor
Del Mar
Deloso-Montalla
Dimaporo (A.)
Dimaporo (M.K.)
Duavit
Durano
Dy
Eriguel
Ermita-Buhain
Escudero
Espina
Eusebio
Evardone
Fariñas
Ferrer (J.)
Ferriol-Pascual
Flores
Fortuno
Fuentebella
Garbin
Garcia (G.)
Garcia-Albano
Garin (R.)
Garin (S.)
Gasataya
Go (A.C.)
Go (M.)
Gonzaga
Gonzales (A.P.)
Gonzales (A.D.)
Gonzalez
Gullas
Herrera-Dy
Hofer
Javier
Kho
Khonghun
Lacson
Lagman
Lanete
Lazatin
Lee
Limkaichong
Lopez (B.)
Lopez (C.)
Lopez (M.L.)
Macapagal-Arroyo
Maceda
Madrona
Malapitan
Manalo
Mangaoang
Mangudadatu (Z.)
Marcoleta
Marcos
Marquez
Martinez
Mellana
Mending
Mendoza
Mercado
Mirasol
Montoro
Nava
Nieto
Noel
Nogralas (J.J.)
Nogralas (K.A.)
Nolasco
Oaminal
Olivarez
Ong (E.)
Ong (H.)
Ortega (P.)
Ortega (V.N.)
Paduano
Palma
Pancho
Panganiban
Panotes
Papandayan
Pimentel
Pineda
Primicias-Agabas
Quimbo
Radaza
Relampagos
Robes
Rocamora
Rodriguez (I.)
Rodriguez (M.)
Roman
Romualdez
Romualdo
Roque (H.)
Sacdalan
Sagarbarria
Sahali
Salceda
Salimbangon
Salo
Salon
Sambar
Sandoval
Santos-Recto
Sarmiento (C.)
Sarmiento (E.M.)
Savellano
Sema
Siao
Silverio
Suansing (E.)
Suansing (H.)
Suarez
Sy-Alvarado

Tambunting
Tan (A.)
Tan (S.)
Tejada
Teves
Tiangco
Ting
Tinio
Tugna
Tupas
Ty
Umali
Unabia
Ungab
Unico
Uy (R.)
Uybarreta
Vargas
Vargas-Alfonso
Velarde
Velasco
Velasco-Catera
Velo
Vergara
Villanueva
Villaraza-Suarez
Villarica
Villarin
Violago
Yap (A.)
Yap (M.)
Yap (V.)
Yu
Zarate
Zubiri

Negative:

None

Abstention:

None

With 215 affirmative votes, no negative votes, and no abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 2290.

**APPROVAL ON THIRD READING
OF CERTAIN HOUSE BILLS**
(Continuation)

Distributed on August 30, 2017:

4. House Bill No. 6161, entitled: "AN ACT DECLARING JANUARY 21 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF RODRIGUEZ, PROVINCE OF RIZAL,

IN COMMEMORATION OF THE BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HONORABLE EULOGIO 'AMANG' ADONA RODRIGUEZ, SR.'";

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the amended Provisional Rules of the House, a second Roll Call was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abellanosa
Abu
Acharon
Acop
Acosta
Adiong
Aggabao
Albano
Alejano
Almonte
Alvarez (F.)
Alvarez (P.)
Amatong
Angara-Castillo
Antonio
Aquino-Magsaysay
Aragones
Arcillas
Arenas
Atienza
Aumentado
Bag-ao
Barbers
Bataoil
Bautista-Bandigan
Belaro
Belmonte (F.)
Belmonte (J.C.)
Benitez
Bertiz
Billones
Biron
Bolilia
Bondoc
Bordado
Bravo (A.)
Bravo (M.V.)
Brosas
Calderon
Calixto-Rubiano
Caminero
Canama

Cari	Javier
Casilao	Kho
Castelo	Khonghun
Castro (F.L.)	Lacson
Castro (F.H.)	Lagman
Catamco	Lanete
Cerilles	Lazatin
Chavez	Lee
Chipeco	Limkaichong
Cojuangco	Lopez (B.)
Collantes	Lopez (C.)
Cortes	Lopez (M.L.)
Cortuna	Macapagal-Arroyo
Crisologo	Maceda
Cua	Madrona
Cuaresma	Malapitan
Cueva	Manalo
Dalipe	Mangaoang
Datol	Mangudadatu (Z.)
Daza	Marcoleta
De Jesus	Marcos
De Vera	Marquez
Defensor	Martinez
Del Mar	Mellana
Deloso-Montalla	Mending
Dimaporo (A.)	Mendoza
Dimaporo (M.K.)	Mercado
Duavit	Mirasol
Durano	Montoro
Dy	Nava
Eriguel	Nieto
Ermita-Buhain	Noel
Escudero	Nogralas (J.J.)
Espina	Nogralas (K.A.)
Eusebio	Nolasco
Evardone	Oaminal
Fariñas	Olivarez
Ferrer (J.)	Ong (E.)
Ferriol-Pascual	Ong (H.)
Flores	Ortega (P.)
Fortuno	Ortega (V.N.)
Fuentebella	Paduano
Garbin	Palma
Garcia (G.)	Pancho
Garcia-Albano	Panganiban
Garin (R.)	Panotes
Garin (S.)	Papandayan
Gasataya	Pimentel
Gatchalian	Pineda
Go (A.C.)	Primicias-Agabas
Go (M.)	Quimbo
Gonzaga	Radaza
Gonzales (A.P.)	Relampagos
Gonzales (A.D.)	Robes
Gonzalez	Rocamora
Gullas	Rodriguez (I.)
Herrera-Dy	Rodriguez (M.)
Hofer	Roman

Romualdez
Romualdo
Roque (H.)
Sacdalan
Sagarbarria
Sahali
Salceda
Salimbangon
Salo
Salon
Sambar
Sandoval
Santos-Recto
Sarmiento (C.)
Sarmiento (E.M.)
Savellano
Sema
Siao
Silverio
Suansing (E.)
Suansing (H.)
Suarez
Sy-Alvarado
Tambunting
Tan (A.)
Tan (S.)
Tejada
Teves
Tiangco
Ting
Tinio
Tugna
Tupas
Ty
Umali
Unabia
Ungab
Unico
Uy (R.)
Uybarreta
Vargas
Vargas-Alfonso
Velarde
Velasco
Velasco-Catera
Velo
Vergara
Villanueva
Villaraza-Suarez
Villarica
Villarin
Violago
Yap (A.)
Yap (M.)
Yap (V.)
Yu
Zarate
Zubiri

Negative:

None

Abstention:

None

With 216 affirmative votes, no negative votes, and no abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 6161.

APPROVAL ON THIRD READING OF CERTAIN HOUSE BILLS

(Continuation)

Distributed on August 30, 2017:

5. House Bill No. 6239, entitled: "AN ACT DECLARING NOVEMBER 5 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF ORMOC, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, TO BE KNOWN AS 'ORMOC FLASH FLOOD MEMORIAL DAY'"; and

Distributed on September 8, 2017:

6. House Bill No. 6283, entitled: "AN ACT RECOGNIZING THE OBSERVANCE OF NOVEMBER 17 OF EVERY YEAR AS NATIONAL STUDENTS' DAY."

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the amended Provisional Rules of the House, a second Roll Call was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abellanosa
Abu
Acharon
Acop
Acosta
Adiong
Aggabao
Albano
Alejano
Almario
Almonte
Alvarez (F.)
Alvarez (P.)
Amatong

Angara-Castillo	Dy
Antonio	Eriguel
Aquino-Magsaysay	Ermita-Buhain
Aragones	Escudero
Arcillas	Espina
Arenas	Eusebio
Atienza	Evardone
Aumentado	Fariñas
Bag-ao	Ferrer (J.)
Barbers	Ferriol-Pascual
Bataoil	Flores
Bautista-Bandigan	Fortuno
Belaro	Fuentebella
Belmonte (F.)	Garbin
Belmonte (J.C.)	Garcia (G.)
Benitez	Garcia-Albano
Bertiz	Garin (R.)
Billones	Garin (S.)
Biron	Gasataya
Bolilia	Gatchalian
Bondoc	Go (A.C.)
Bordado	Go (M.)
Bravo (A.)	Gonzaga
Bravo (M.V.)	Gonzales (A.P.)
Brosas	Gonzales (A.D.)
Calderon	Gonzalez
Calixto-Rubiano	Gullas
Caminero	Herrera-Dy
Canama	Hofer
Cari	Javier
Casilao	Kho
Castelo	Khonghun
Castro (F.L.)	Lacson
Castro (F.H.)	Lagman
Catamco	Lanete
Cerilles	Lazatin
Chavez	Lee
Chipeco	Limkaichong
Cojuangco	Lopez (B.)
Collantes	Lopez (C.)
Cortes	Lopez (M.L.)
Cortuna	Macapagal-Arroyo
Crisologo	Maceda
Cua	Madrona
Cuaresma	Malapitan
Cueva	Manalo
Dalipe	Mangaoang
Datol	Mangudadatu (Z.)
Daza	Marcoleta
De Jesus	Marcos
De Vera	Marquez
Defensor	Martinez
Del Mar	Mellana
Deloso-Montalla	Mending
Dimaporo (A.)	Mendoza
Dimaporo (M.K.)	Mercado
Duavit	Mirasol
Durano	Montoro

Nava
Nieto
Noel
Nograles (J.J.)
Nograles (K.A.)
Nolasco
Oaminal
Olivarez
Ong (E.)
Ong (H.)
Ortega (P.)
Ortega (V.N.)
Paduano
Palma
Pancho
Panganiban
Panotes
Papandayan
Pimentel
Pineda
Primicias-Agabas
Quimbo
Radaza
Relampagos
Robes
Rocamora
Rodriguez (I.)
Rodriguez (M.)
Roman
Romualdez
Romualdo
Roque (H.)
Sacdalan
Sagarbarria
Sahali
Salceda
Salimbangon
Salo
Salon
Sambar
Sandoval
Santos-Recto
Sarmiento (C.)
Sarmiento (E.M.)
Savellano
Sema
Siao
Silverio
Suansing (E.)
Suansing (H.)
Suarez
Sy-Alvarado
Tambunting
Tan (A.)
Tan (S.)
Tejada
Teves
Tiangco

Ting
Tinio
Tugna
Tupas
Ty
Umali
Unabia
Ungab
Unico
Uy (R.)
Uybarreta
Vargas
Vargas-Alfonso
Velarde
Velasco
Velasco-Catera
Velo
Vergara
Villanueva
Villaraza-Suarez
Villarica
Villarin
Violago
Yap (A.)
Yap (M.)
Yap (V.)
Yu
Zarate
Zubiri

Negative:

None

Abstention:

None

With 217 affirmative votes, no negative votes, and no abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill Nos. 6239 and 6283.

**BUSINESS FOR THE DAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 271
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 5777**

On successive motions of Rep. Deogracias Victor “DV” B. Savellano, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 5777, as contained in Committee Report No. 271 and submitted by the Committees on Health, and Appropriations, strengthening the national and local health and nutrition programs for pregnant and lactating women, adolescent girls of reproductive age and teen-age mothers, infants and young children in the first 1,000 days; dispensed with the reading of the text thereof without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; as concurred by

Rep. Angelina “Helen” D. L. Tan, M.D., Chairperson of the Committee on Health, adopted the Explanatory Note thereof as the sponsorship remarks on the measure; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of Committee and individual amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

**BUSINESS FOR THE DAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 364
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 6276**

On motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6276, as contained in Committee Report No. 364 and submitted by the Committee on Energy.

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

“AN ACT ENSURING THE CONTINUOUS AND UNINTERRUPTED TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY, THE PROTECTION OF THE INTEGRITY AND RELIABILITY OF THE TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS, AND THE PROMOTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES IN VIOLATION THEREOF.”

As copies of the Bill had been distributed to the Members, on motion of Representative Savellano, 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 Savellano, the Chair recognized Rep. Lord Allan Jay Q. Velasco, Chairperson of the Committee on Energy, to sponsor the measure.

**SPONSORSHIP REMARKS OF
REPRESENTATIVE VELASCO**

Representative Velasco initially stated that House Bill No. 6276 was a substitute bill originally authored by Reps. Carlos Roman L. Uybarreta and Reynaldo V. Umali. He explained why it was important to ensure the continuous and uninterrupted flow of electricity; protect the integrity and reliability of transmission and distribution facilities; and promote public safety. After citing the leading cause of voltage and power outages and the danger of people living near transmission towers and electric power lines, he appealed to the Body to approve the measure.

**INTERPELLATION OF
REPRESENTATIVE TINIO**

Upon recognition by the Chair, Rep. Antonio L. Tinio clarified whether the Bill intends to restrict the issuance of restraining orders or writs of injunctions. He also asked if the Sponsor was amenable to amend Section 10 of the measure so that it will be clear that the prohibition would apply only to lower courts and not the Supreme Court.

Representative Velasco agreed to amend the pertinent provision accordingly.

**TERMINATION OF THE PERIOD
OF SPONSORSHIP AND DEBATE**

There being no other interpellations, on motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of sponsorship and debate.

PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

On motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the period of amendments.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

The Chair *motu proprio* suspended the session at 5:20 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 5:21 p.m.

**SUSPENSION OF CONSIDERATION
ON SECOND READING
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6276**

On motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body suspended the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 6276.

**APPROVAL ON SECOND READING
OF CERTAIN BILLS UNDER THE
BUSINESS FOR THE DAY**

On successive motions of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House Bills calendared under the Business for the Day, as contained in various Committee Reports submitted by the Committee on Legislative Franchises; dispensed with the reading of the texts thereof without prejudice to their insertion into the Record of the

House; as moved by Rep. Franz E. Alvarez, Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee, adopted the Explanatory Notes as the sponsorship remarks on the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of Committee and individual amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Bill No. 6314, as contained in Committee Report No. 370, granting Streamtech Systems Technologies Inc. a franchise to construct, install, establish, operate and maintain telecommunications systems throughout the Philippines;
2. House Bill No. 6315, as contained in Committee Report No. 371, granting the Volunteer Lifecare Ministries, Inc. a franchise to construct, install, establish, maintain and operate non-commercial radio broadcasting stations in the Philippines; and
3. House Bill No. 6317, as contained in Committee Report No. 373, granting the Magnum.Air (SkyJet) Inc. a franchise to establish, operate and maintain domestic and international air transport services.

CONTINUATION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6276

On motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body resumed the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 6276, as contained in Committee Report No. 364 and submitted by the Committee on Energy, entitled:

“AN ACT ENSURING THE CONTINUOUS AND UNINTERRUPTED TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY, THE PROTECTION OF THE INTEGRITY AND RELIABILITY OF THE TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS, AND THE PROMOTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES IN VIOLATION THEREOF.”

As to parliamentary status of the Bill, Representative Savellano mentioned that it was in the period of amendments, and upon his motion, the Chair recognized Representative Velasco, Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee.

INDIVIDUAL AMENDMENTS

Upon the request of Representative Tinio, there being no objection, the Body approved the amendments in Section 10, line 34 of page 4, as presented on the floor by Representative Velasco.

TERMINATION OF THE PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

There being no other amendments, on motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of amendments.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6276, AS AMENDED

On motion of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 6276, as amended.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF CERTAIN BILLS UNDER THE BUSINESS FOR THE DAY

On further successive motions of Representative Savellano, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House Bills calendared under the Business for the Day, as contained in various Committee Reports submitted by the Committee on Local Government; dispensed with the reading of the texts thereof without prejudice to their insertion into the Record of the House; on motion of Rep. Pedro B. Acharon Jr., Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee, adopted the Explanatory Notes as the sponsorship remarks on the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; approved the amendments as presented on the floor by Rep. Roger G. Mercado; terminated the period of amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Bill No. 6331, as contained in Committee Report No. 375, providing for the reapportionment of Southern Leyte into two (2) legislative districts; and
2. House Bill No. 990, as contained in Committee Report No. 376, separating the City of Calamba from the Second Legislative District of Laguna to constitute the Lone Legislative District of the City of Calamba;

ELECTION OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

At this point, on motion of Majority Leader Rodolfo C. Fariñas, there being no objection, the Body elected the following Members from the Majority to the Committee/Special Committee hereunder indicated:

1. Rep. Maria Valentina G. Plaza as Chairperson of the Committee on People's Participation; and
2. Rep. Deogracias Victor "DV" B. Savellano as Chairperson of the Special Committee on the North Luzon Growth Quadrangle, vice Rep. Maximo B. Dalog.

**BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 369
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 6311**

On successive motions of Representative Bernadette "BH" Herrera-Dy, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6311, as contained in Committee Report No. 369 and submitted by the Committees on Health, and Appropriations, increasing the bed capacity of the Narra Municipal Hospital in Narra, Palawan from ten (10) to one hundred (100) bed capacity to be known as the Governor Alfredo M. Abueg Sr. Memorial Hospital; dispensed with the reading of the text thereof without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; adopted the Explanatory Note as the sponsorship remarks on the measure; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; approved the amendments as presented on the floor by Rep. Herrera-Dy; terminated the period of amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

**RECONSIDERATION OF THE
APPROVAL ON SECOND READING
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6311**

Whereupon, on motion of Majority Leader Fariñas, there being no objection, the Body reconsidered the approval on Second Reading of House Bill No. 6311, entitled:

"AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE NARRA MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NARRA, PROVINCE OF PALAWAN, FROM TEN (10) TO ONE HUNDRED (100) BED CAPACITY, AND NAMING IT AS THE GOVERNOR ALFREDO MENDOZA ABUEG SR. MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR."

At this point, Deputy Speaker Abueg relinquished the Chair to Rep. Juan Pablo "Rimpy" P. Bondoc.

**APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF
HOUSE BILL NO. 6311, AS AMENDED**

On successive motions of Representative Herrera-Dy, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6311, as contained in Committee Report No. 369 and submitted by the Committees on Health, and Appropriations; adopted the Explanatory Note as the sponsorship remarks on the measure; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; approved the amendments as presented on the floor by Rep. Herrera-Dy; terminated the period of amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting, as amended.

**OMNIBUS APPROVAL ON SECOND
READING OF HOUSE BILLS UNDER
THE BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY
AND FRIDAY**

On an omnibus motion of Rep. Herrera-Dy, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House Bills calendared under the Business for Thursday and Friday, as contained in various Committee Reports submitted by the Committees concerned; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the Record of the House; adopted the Explanatory Notes as the sponsorship remarks on the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of Committee and individual amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Bill No. 868, as contained in Committee Report No. 274 and submitted by the Committee on Natural Resources, reclassifying as agricultural land open to disposition under the provisions of the amended Public Land Act the land covered by Proclamation No. 602 declaring as eco-tourism park and campsite a certain parcel of land of the public domain in Barangays Lubigan, Moriones, and Iba in San Jose, Tarlac"; and
2. House Bill No. 6294, as contained in Committee Report No. 366 and submitted by the Committees on Health, and Appropriations, increasing the bed capacity of the Biliran Provincial Hospital in Larrababal, Naval, Biliran from seventy-five (75) to two hundred (200) beds.

At this point, Representative Bondoc relinquished the Chair to Deputy Speaker Abueg.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS ON INQUIRIES IN AID OF LEGISLATION

In accordance with the Rules governing inquiries, in aid of legislation, on motion of Rep. Herrera-Dy, there being no objection, the Body approved to refer the following House Resolutions on inquiries in aid of legislation to the appropriate Committees hereunder indicated:

1. House Resolution No. 1217, on the appropriateness and currentness of the civil engineering curriculum, with particular intention to earthquake design – to the Committee on Higher and Technical Education;
2. House Resolution No. 1220, on the recent avian influenza virus (Bird Flu) outbreak in the country – to the Committee on Health;
3. House Resolution No. 1223, on the status of the implementation of the proposed pilot on-site medium rise building project for socialized housing in Doña Imelda, Quezon City – to the Committee on Housing and Urban Development;
4. House Resolution No. 1224, on the status of the universal charge being administered by the Power Sector Assets and Liabilities Management (PSALM) Corp. – to the Committee on Energy;
5. House Resolution No. 1234, on the effects on education of the implementation of General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade-World Trade Organization (GATT-WTO) and other globalization policies and programs and programs in the country – to the Committees on Higher and Technical Education, and Basic Education and Culture;
6. House Resolution No. 1254, on the cases filed against Abdullah Makapaar, a.k.a. Commander Bravo, and his warrant of arrest in relation to the 2008 MILF attack in Lanao del Norte – to the Committee on Justice;
7. House Resolution No. 1255, on the status of the cases filed and findings regarding the Indonesians using Philippine Hajj passports during the 2016 Hajj pilgrimage – to the Committee on Foreign Affairs;
8. House Resolution No. 1256, on the conduct of the 2017 Hajj pilgrimage headed by the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos – to the Committee on Muslim Affairs;
9. House Resolution No. 1257, on the security briefing on the Mindanao Region – to the Committee on National Defense and Security;
10. House Resolution No. 1259, on the implementation of Republic Act No. 8794 or the Motor Vehicle User's Charge Law – to the Committee on Public Works and Highways;
11. House Resolution No. 1286, on the Bahay Aruga Pasig Youth Facility's prolonged custody of minors arrested in the August 31, 2017 dispersal in East Bank Floodway, Brgy. Sta. Lucia, Pasig City – to the Committee on Welfare of Children;
12. House Resolution No. 1290, on the status of the recommendations of a 2011 World Bank review of core business systems and supporting information and communication technology infrastructure of the Bureau of Customs – to the Committee on Ways and Means; and
13. House Resolution No. 1291, on the continuous decline of the quality of Philippine sports as exemplified in the 2017 Southeast Asian games debacle – to the Committee on Youth and Sports Development.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Rep. Herrera-Dy, the Chair suspended the session at 5:49 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

At 5:49 p.m., the session resumed.

ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION

Subsequently, on motion of Rep. Arthur R. Defensor Jr., there being no objection, the Chair declared the session adjourned until four o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, September 18, 2017.

It was 5:49 p.m.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing.

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

Approved on September 18, 2017.

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MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE**Journal No. 24****Wednesday, September 13, 2017**

**** 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
ALBANO	***** CAGAS	ESCUDERO
***** ALCALA	CALDERON	ESPINA
ALEJANO	CALIXTO-RUBIANO	* ESPINO
** ALMARIO	CAMINERO	***** ESTRELLA
ALMONTE	***** CAMPOS	EUSEBIO
**** ALONTE	CANAMA	EVARDONE
ALVAREZ (F.)	CARI	FARIÑAS
**** ALVAREZ (M.)	CASILAO	***** FERNANDO
ALVAREZ (P.)	CASTELO	FERRER (J.)
**** AMANTE	CASTRO (F.L.)	* FERRER (L.)
AMATONG	* CASTRO (F.H.)	FERRIOL-PASCUAL
**** ANDAYA	CATAMCO	***** FLOIRENDO
ANGARA-CASTILLO	** CAYETANO	FLORES
***** ANTONINO	* CELESTE	***** FORTUN
ANTONIO	**** CERAFICA	FORTUNO
AQUINO-MAGSAYSAY	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	DATOL	GONZALES (A.P.)
BAUTISTA-BANDIGAN	DAZA	GONZALES (A.D.)
BELARO	DE JESUS	GONZALEZ
BELMONTE (F.)	***** DE VENECIA	**** GORRICETA

GULLAS	*** OCAMPO	SILVERIO
***** HERNANDEZ	OLIVAREZ	***** SINGSON
HERRERA-DY	ONG (E.)	SUANSING (E.)
HOFER	ONG (H.)	SUANSING (H.)
*** JALOSJOS	ORTEGA (P.)	SUAREZ
JAVIER	ORTEGA (V.N.)	* SY-ALVARADO
KHO	* PACQUIAO	TAMBUNTING
KHONGHUN	PADUANO	TAN (A.)
***** LABADLABAD	PALMA	* TAN (M.)
LACSON	PANCHO	TAN (S.)
LAGMAN	PANGANIBAN	TEJADA
LANETE	PANOTES	TEVES
***** LAOGAN	PAPANDAYAN	TIANGCO
LAZATIN	***** PICHAY	TING
* LEACHON	PIMENTEL	TINIO
LEE	PINEDA	*** TOLENTINO
LIMKAICHONG	* PLAZA	*** TREÑAS
***** LOBREGAT	PRIMICIAS-AGABAS	TUGNA
LOPEZ (B.)	QUIMBO	TUPAS
* LOPEZ (C.)	RADAZA	***** TURABIN-HATAMAN
LOPEZ (M.L.)	***** RAMIREZ-SATO	TY
*** LOYOLA	***** RAMOS	UMALI
MACAPAGAL-ARROYO	RELAMPAGOS	UNABIA
MACEDA	* REVILLA	UNGAB
MADRONA	** ROA-PUNO	UNICO
MALAPITAN	ROBES	***** UY (J.)
MANALO	ROCAMORA	UY (R.)
MANGAOANG	RODRIGUEZ (I.)	UYBARRETA
***** MANGUDADATU (S.)	RODRIGUEZ (M.)	VARGAS
MANGUDADATU (Z.)	ROMAN	VARGAS-ALFONSO
MARCOLETA	***** ROMERO	VELARDE
MARCOS	ROMUALDEZ	VELASCO
***** MARIÑO	ROMUALDO	VELASCO-CATERA
MARQUEZ	ROQUE (H.)	VELOSO
MARTINEZ	***** ROQUE (R.)	VERGARA
***** MATUGAS	SACDALAN	***** VILLAFUERTE
* MELLANA	SAGARBARRIA	VILLANUEVA
MENDING	SAHALI	VILLARAZA-SUAREZ
MENDOZA	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	

* 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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