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**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

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- I. ROLL CALL
- II. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL OF THE PREVIOUS SESSION
- III. REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

**BILLS ON FIRST READING**

House Bill No. 4162, entitled:

“AN ACT RENEWING FOR ANOTHER TWENTY-FIVE (25) YEARS THE FRANCHISE GRANTED TO ROMEO CABRESTANTE SERVANDO UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8202, TITLED 'AN ACT GRANTING ROMEO CABRESTANTE SERVANDO, A FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL, ESTABLISH, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE OF PALAWAN' ”

By Representatives Abueg-Zaldivar and Acosta

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE FRANCHISES**

House Bill No. 4163, entitled:

“AN ACT TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF PASSENGERS BY MANDATING ALL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION DRIVERS WHO HAVE BEEN APPREHENDED TO BRING THEM TO A SAFE PLACE WITH EASY ACCESS TO PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION BEFORE THE VEHICLE IS IMPOUNDED AND PROVIDING PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF”

By Representative Bautista

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

House Bill No. 4164, entitled:

“AN ACT RECLASSIFYING AS AGRICULTURAL A PARCEL OF LAND OF THE PUBLIC DOMAIN SITUATED AT LOURDES, ALUBIJID, MISAMIS ORIENTAL, ISLAND OF MINDANAO, AND EMBRACED IN PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 739, DATED NOVEMBER 26, 2004, FOR THE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (S-AND-T) PARK SITE PURPOSES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY OF SOUTHERN PHILIPPINES (USTP)”

By Representative Rodriguez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

House Bill No. 4165, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Lim

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON OVERSEAS WORKERS AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4166, entitled:

“AN ACT DESIGNATING THE 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF NOVEMBER EVERY YEAR AS THE NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR ROAD CRASH VICTIMS, SURVIVORS, AND THEIR FAMILIES, ENSURING ITS MEANINGFUL OBSERVANCE”

By Representative Sarmiento

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

House Bill No. 4167, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEFINITION OF PUBLIC UTILITY, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE COMMONWEALTH ACT NO. 146, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'PUBLIC SERVICE ACT', AS AMENDED”

By Representatives Suansing (Estrellita) and Suansing (Horacio)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4168, entitled:

“AN ACT SEPARATING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES INTO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES REDEFINING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Pichay

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND  
THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

House Bill No. 4169, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER 7157, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE FOREIGN SERVICE ACT OF 1991, TO INCREASE EDUCATIONAL ALLOWANCE FOR FOREIGN SERVICE PERSONNEL, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4170, entitled:

“AN ACT APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE BILLION ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED TEN THOUSAND PESOS (P1,161,710,000.00) AS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS**

House Bill No. 4171, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING THE NORTHWEST PANAY PENINSULA, LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF NABAS, MALAY AND BURUANGA, PROVINCE OF AKLAN, AND IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF LIBERTAD AND PANDAN, PROVINCE OF ANTIQUE, AS A PROTECTED AREA UNDER THE CATEGORY OF NATURAL PARK, PROVIDING FOR ITS MANAGEMENT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

House Bill No. 4172, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE LAND BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES TO PRIORITIZE THE AGRICULTURAL AND FISHERIES SECTOR IN THE GRANT OF LOANS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER 3844, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES**

House Bill No. 4173, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT FOR FILIPINOS OVERSEAS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON OVERSEAS WORKERS AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4174, entitled:

“AN ACT EXPANDING THE COVERAGE OF MICRO ENTERPRISES AS BENEFICIARIES OF THE MAGNA CARTA FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER 6977, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT**

House Bill No. 4175, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE BORACAY ISLAND COUNCIL, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

House Bill No. 4176, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE AKLAN AIRPORT AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER AND OPERATE THE KALIBO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND THE CATICLAN AIRPORT, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES AND PRIVATIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

House Bill No. 4177, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 5 OF REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER 8799, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE, HARMONIZING THE SAME WITH SECTION 29 OF REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER 8791, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE GENERAL BANKING LAW OF 2000, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES**

House Bill No. 4178, entitled:

“AN ACT REORGANIZING THE BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION, CREATING THE IMMIGRATION ACT OF THE PHILIPPINES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE**

House Bill No. 4179, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING INCENTIVES FOR THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, CONVERSION AND IMPORTATION OF ELECTRONIC, HYBRID AND OTHER ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Cabochan

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECOLOGY**

House Bill No. 4180, entitled:

“AN ACT TO PROVIDE TIME OFF WITH PAY FOR EMPLOYEES WHO DONATE ORGAN, BONE MARROW, BLOOD, OR BLOOD PLATELETS”

By Representative Cabochan

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

House Bill No. 4181, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A POLICY 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 PARCELS OF LAND WITHIN THE ISLAND CLASSIFIED AS AGRICULTURAL LAND OPEN TO DISPOSITION UNDER PROCLAMATION NO. 1064 AND PROVIDING ENVIRONMENTAL SAFEGUARDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cabochan

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

House Bill No. 4182, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN EDUCATION PRINTING OFFICE”

By Representative Cabochan

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE**

House Bill No. 4183, entitled:

“AN ACT REQUIRING MANDATORY COMPUTER EDUCATION IN ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOLS AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES”

By Representative Cabochan

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE**

House Bill No. 4184, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE SCIENCE NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL LANA O DEL SUR CAMPUS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Balindong

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

House Bill No. 4185, entitled:

“AN ACT RENAMING LA MESA ECO PARK TO GINA LOPEZ ECO PARK”

By Representative Castelo

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

House Bill No. 4186, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AN ACROSS THE BOARD INCREASE OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND PESOS (P15,000.00) TO THE BASIC SALARY OF ALL ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Olivarez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS**

House Bill No. 4187, entitled:

“AN ACT EXEMPTING PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWD) FROM THE PAYMENT OF PARKING FEES IN ALL COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS AND GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS THAT CHARGE PARKING FEES, THEREBY AMENDING SECTION 32 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10754, ALSO KNOWN AS THE 'MAGNA CARTA FOR DISABLED PERSONS' ”

By Representative Olivarez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICES**

House Bill No. 4188, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FIELD OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) IN THE PROVINCE OF MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Ty

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION**

House Bill No. 4189, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Olivarez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON OVERSEAS WORKERS AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4190, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING FOUR (4) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF ORMOC, PROVINCE OF LEYTE AND SIX (6) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT, ONE BRANCH TO BE STATIONED IN EACH OF THE MUNICIPALITIES OF PALOMPON, KANANGA, ISABEL, MERIDA, ALBUERA AND MATAG-OB, IN THE PROVINCE OF LEYTE, EIGHTH JUDICIAL REGION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (I) AND SECTION 30 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980', AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Torres-Gomez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE**

House Bill No. 4191, entitled:

“AN ACT INCREASING THE AUTHORIZED CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURES OF CANDIDATES AND POLITICAL PARTIES AND DEFINING AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE FOR THIS PURPOSE, AMENDING SECTION 13 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7166, ENTITLED, 'AN ACT PROVIDING FOR SYNCHRONIZED NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS AND FOR ELECTORAL REFORMS, AUTHORIZING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES' ”

By Representative Villanueva (Noel)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON SUFFRAGE AND ELECTORAL REFORMS**

House Bill No. 4192, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING MALASAKIT CENTERS TO COMPLEMENT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11223 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE ACT' BY REQUIRING PHILHEALTH TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN MALASAKIT CENTERS IN ALL DOH, LGU, SUC, AND DND HOSPITALS IN THE COUNTRY, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Gonzalez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

House Bill No. 4193, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE MAGNA CARTA FOR BARANGAYS”

By Representative Abellanos

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

House Bill No. 4194, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ARCHIPELAGIC SEA LANES IN THE PHILIPPINE ARCHIPELAGIC WATERS, PRESCRIBING THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF FOREIGN SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT EXERCISING THE RIGHT OF ARCHIPELAGIC SEA LANES PASSAGE”

By Representative Hofer

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4195, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING AND DEFINING THE MARITIME ZONES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES”

By Representative Hofer

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

House Bill No. 4196, entitled:

“AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE UTILIZATION OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT) IN ALL PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS AND HIGH SCHOOLS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (Victor)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE**

House Bill No. 4197, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA FOR TRICYCLE DRIVERS AND OPERATORS, INSTITUTIONALIZING MECHANISMS FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Yap (Victor)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

House Bill No. 4198, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE CONVERGENCE STRATEGY FOR SUSTAINABLE RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PROVIDING THE IMPLEMENTING MECHANISMS THEREFOR”

By Representative Yap (Victor)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

House Bill No. 4199, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TIMBANGAN NG BAYAN CENTER IN ALL MARKETS NATIONWIDE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CHAPTER II OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7394, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'CONSUMER ACT OF THE PHILIPPINES' ”

By Representative Romualdo

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND INDUSTRY**

House Bill No. 4200, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING THE MUNICIPALITIES OF STO. DOMINGO, STA. CATALINA, BANTAY, SAN ILDEFONSO, SAN VICENTE, SINAIT, CABUGAO, SAN JUAN, MAGSINGAL AND CAOAYAN, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR AS TOURIST DESTINATIONS, PROVIDING FOR THEIR DEVELOPMENT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Savellano

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM**

House Bill No. 4201, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE CANCER CENTER, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

House Bill No. 4202, entitled:

“AN ACT ENCOURAGING YOUTH SECTOR PARTICIPATION IN THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE A 'TULONG KABATAAN SA AGRIKULTURA PROGRAM' AND A 'TULONG KABATAAN SA AGRIKULTURA TRUST FUND', APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD**

House Bill No. 4203, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA OF WORKERS IN INFORMAL ECONOMY INSTITUTIONALIZING MECHANISMS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT**

House Bill No. 4204, entitled:

“AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTY IMPOSED AGAINST POLLUTIONS OF NAVIGABLE WATERS BY AMENDING SECTION 7 PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 979 PROVIDING FOR THE REVISION OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 600 GOVERNING MARINE POLLUTION”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECOLOGY**

House Bill No. 4205, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING A MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP AND RETURN SERVICE PROGRAM FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF QUALIFIED FILIPINOS WHO WILL SERVE AS PRIMARY CARE WORKERS IN PRIORITY BARANGAYS, MUNICIPALITIES, AND CITIES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION**

House Bill No. 4206, entitled:

“AN ACT ENSURING THE AVAILABILITY, ADEQUACY, ACCESSIBILITY AND SAFETY OF FOOD TO EVERY FILIPINO”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON FOOD SECURITY**

House Bill No. 4207, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTING POLICIES FOR THE PROTECTION AND WELFARE OF CAREGIVERS IN THE PRACTICE OF THEIR PROFESSION”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

House Bill No. 4208, entitled:

“AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE CLOSED-CIRCUIT TELEVISION VIDEO (CCTV) AND THE PROCEDURE FOR ACCESS TO THE IMAGES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY**

House Bill No. 4209, entitled:

“AN ACT PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE AND ALTERNATIVE MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER MOBILITY OPTIONS TO IMPROVE AIR QUALITY, INCREASE EFFICIENCY, REDUCE ROAD CONGESTION, AND CONTRIBUTE TO POSITIVE HEALTH IMPACTS IN OUR SOCIETY”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

House Bill No. 4210, entitled:

“AN ACT PROMOTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF PUBLIC MATH AND SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOLS IN PREVIOUSLY UNDERSERVED AREAS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE**

House Bill No. 4211, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN BARANGAY NAGKAIKANG NAYON, QUEZON CITY, METRO MANILA TO BE KNOWN AS NAGKAIKANG NAYON NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE**

House Bill No. 4212, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING TRICYCLE DRIVER TRAINING AND MOTORIST AWARENESS PROGRAMS”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

House Bill No. 4213, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SUPER HEALTH CENTER AND LYING-IN CLINIC IN BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER, QUEZON CITY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

House Bill No. 4214, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTING INCLUSIVE AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INCLUSIVE EDUCATION LEARNING RESOURCE CENTERS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH WITH SPECIAL NEEDS IN ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS DIVISIONS, PROVIDING FOR STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE**

House Bill No. 4215, entitled:

“AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF GOVERNMENT AMBULANCES, PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFORE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

House Bill No. 4216, entitled:

“AN ACT PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF ETHNICITY, RACE, RELIGION OR BELIEF, SEX OR GENDER OR SEXUAL ORIENTATION, LANGUAGE, DISABILITY, EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, AND OTHER FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION, PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Vargas

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS**

House Bill No. 4217, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 15 AND 16 OF REPUBLIC ACT 10071 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'NATIONAL PROSECUTION SERVICE ACT OF 2010,' APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Velasco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE**

House Bill No. 4218, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NATIONAL PROGRAM TO SUPPORT AND CARE FOR THE ABANDONED, NEGLECTED, AND VOLUNTARY COMMITTED CHILDREN, CREATING A SPECIAL TRUST FUND, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON WELFARE OF CHILDREN**

House Bill No. 4219, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SPORTS COMPLEX IN THE CITY OF TAYABAS, PROVINCE OF QUEZON”

By Representatives Villaraza-Suarez, Suarez (David), Suarez (Aleta), Enverga and Tan (Angelina)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT**

House Bill No. 4220, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING A DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE SECOND (2<sup>ND</sup>) LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF AKLAN, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS**

## **RESOLUTIONS**

House Resolution No. 260, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO EXERCISE ITS OVERSIGHT FUNCTION AND TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RA NO. 10592”

By Representative Garbin

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 261, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO ADOPT AN INSTITUTIONAL POLICY DISALLOWING THE USE OF DISPOSABLE PLASTIC WATER BOTTLES”

By Representative Pacquiao (Alberto)

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECOLOGY**

House Resolution No. 262, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON SUFFRAGE AND ELECTORAL REFORMS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE ALLEGATIONS OF ELECTORAL FRAUD, SPECIFICALLY, THE USE OF FALSE ADDRESSES OF REGISTERED VOTERS”

By Representative Sarmiento

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 263, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE HOUSE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION, IN AID OF LEGISLATION ON THE DELAYED CONTRACTS AND PROJECTS OF THE NATIONAL IRRIGATION ADMINISTRATION (NIA) AND TO DEMAND THE AGENCY TO EFFECTIVELY PURSUE THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT (COA) TO ADDRESS ITS INEFFICIENCIES”

By Representative Herrera-Dy

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 264, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING THE METROBANK FOUNDATION OUTSTANDING FILIPINOS OF 2019”

By Representative Bravo

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 265, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PHILIPPINES ON THE DEATH OF HON. JULIAN BACUS DAAN, INCUMBENT CITY COUNCILOR OF TALISAY, CEBU, FORMER MEMBER OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF CEBU AND AN ICON IN THE PRESERVATION AND PROMOTION OF VISAYAN CULTURE AND ARTS”

By Representative Lagon

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 266, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE TO IMMEDIATELY APPOINT A SECRETARY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SETTLEMENTS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT WHO CAN SHEPHERD THE NEWLY-CREATED AGENCY INTO FULFILLING ITS MANDATE AS PROVIDED UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11201, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SETTLEMENTS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT' ”

By Representative Deloso-Montalla

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

House Resolution No. 267, entitled:

“RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION, THE INCIDENT OF THE DREDGING BEING CARRIED OUT BY PACIFIC OFFSHORE EXPLORATION INC. (POEI), WHETHER OR NOT THE SAME IS MINING OR DREDGING OF CAGAYAN RIVER, THE POTENTIAL OF MAGNETITE MINING IN OUR ECONOMIC PROGRESS WITHOUT COMPROMISING OUR RESPONSIBILITY TO PROTECT OUR RICH NATURAL RESOURCES, DETERMINE IF THERE CAN BE A BALANCE BETWEEN THESE TWO SEEMINGLY CONFLICTING OBJECTIVES AND A REVIEW OF THE EXISTING LAWS RELEVANT THERETO”

By Representative Barzaga

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 268, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION COMMENDING MR. JERARD JACINTO FOR HIS EXEMPLARY PERFORMANCE IN THE SEVENTH (7<sup>TH</sup>) FINA WORLD JUNIORS SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD IN BUDAPEST, HUNGARY”

By Representative Crisologo

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT**

House Resolution No. 269, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION URGING THE PROPER COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION ON THE CONTROVERSIAL AND GROSSLY DISADVANTAGEOUS SALE OF UCPB PROPERTY BY ITS PRESIDENT HIGINIO MACADAEG JR.”

By Representatives Romero and Pineda

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 270, entitled:

“RESOLUTION CALLING FOR INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION OF THE QUEZON CITY MALL INCIDENT INVOLVING A TRANSGENDER, WITH PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO GET THE SIDE OF THE JANITRESS, THE SECURITY GUARD, AND MALL MANAGEMENT CONCERNED AS WELL”

By Representatives Villanueva (Eduardo) and Rivera

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 271, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE PROCUREMENT OF AT LEAST TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT (25%) OF THE ANNUAL SCHOOL DESKS AND ARM CHAIRS REQUIREMENT OF ALL PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE AS PROVIDED FOR IN EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 879”

By Representative Savellano

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 272, entitled:

“RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF SCUBA DIVING SAFETY RULES AND REGULATIONS”

By Representative Biazon

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 273, entitled:

“RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL VOLUNTEER SERVICE COORDINATING AGENCY (PNVSCA) FOR ITS VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND CONGRATULATING THE AGENCY ON ITS 55<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY”

By Representative Robes

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON PEOPLE’S PARTICIPATION**

House Resolution No. 274, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THROUGH THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS, TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE KILLING OF LUMAD LEADER, BAI LEAH TUMBALANG, IN VALENCIA CITY, BUKIDNON AND THE PERSISTENCE OF KILLINGS IN BUKIDNON”

By Representatives Cullamat, Zarate and Gaité

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 275, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY TO INVITE TELECOMMUNICATION FIRMS AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDERS TO SHED LIGHT ON THEIR SLOW AND EXPENSIVE INTERNET SERVICE”

By Representative Marquez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 276, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION COMMENDING SIXTO O. BRILLANTE, JR. FOR HIS HONESTY AND INTEGRITY AFTER RETURNING FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND PESOS TO ITS RIGHTFUL OWNER AT THE NINOY AQUINO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT”

By Representative Bernos

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 277, entitled:

“RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEES ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE, AND HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION TO LOOK INTO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8047 AND OTHER RELATED LAWS ESPECIALLY ON THE PRODUCTION, PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF BOOKS AND TEXTBOOKS WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENACTING LEGISLATIVE MEASURES TO IMPROVE AND ENHANCE THE NATIONAL BOOK POLICY AND NATIONAL BOOK DEVELOPMENT PLAN OF THE COUNTRY”

By Representative Escudero

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

House Resolution No. 278, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION FOR THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH TO CONDUCT CURSORY CHECK, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REAL CURRENT STATUS OF STEM CELL THERAPY IN THE PHILIPPINES, IF THERE ARE ALREADY EVIDENCE AND DATA TO PROVE THAT SUCH TREATMENTS WORK ON A PER DISEASE BASIS, ATTENDANT ETHICAL ISSUES SURROUNDING THIS REGENERATIVE MEDICINE (IF ANY), AND WHETHER CERTAIN REGULATIONS HAVE TO BE PRESCRIBED AGAINST STEM CELL BANK AND PROCEDURES AND/OR CLINICAL APPLICATIONS”

By Representative Castelo

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

Resolution of Both Houses No. 3, entitled:

“RESOLUTION OF BOTH HOUSES PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO CERTAIN ECONOMIC PROVISIONS OF THE 1987 CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES”

By Representative Haresco

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS**

House Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled:

“JOINT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE MANDATE OF THE LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO MONITOR AND OVERSEE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE VISITING FORCES AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO INCLUDE OTHER DEFENSE AND STATUS OF FORCES AGREEMENTS WITH OTHER COUNTRIES CONCURRED WITH BY THE SENATE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 02”

By Representative Hofer

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

House Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled:

“JOINT RESOLUTION DECLARING SEPTEMBER 12, 2019 AS THE CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY OF PHILIPPINE CINEMA”

By Representative Fernandez

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INFORMATION**

## **COMMUNICATIONS**

Letter dated July 23, 2019 of Jaime H. Morente, Commissioner, Bureau of Immigration, Department of Justice, submitting the Bureau’s Agency Action Plan and Status of Implementation (AAPSI) on Audit Observations and Recommendations reflected in the COA Annual Audit Report, FY 2018.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE**

Letter dated 25 July 2019 of Benjamin E. Diokno, Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, submitting their Report to Congress on Public Sector Foreign Loans approved by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) in the Second Quarter of 2019.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES**

Letter dated 25 July 2019 of Humerlito A. Dolor, Provincial Governor, Province of Oriental Mindoro, submitting their Physical and Financial Reports of Operations for the Quarter Ending June 30, 2019, on the Local Government Support Fund – Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces (CMGP) for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS**

Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation for the Quarter ended June 2019 of the Municipality of Corella, Province of Bohol on the Local Government Support Fund attested by D. Hilario D. Tocmo, Municipal Mayor.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS**

Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter ending June 30, 2019 of the Municipality of Balilihan, Province of Bohol on the Local Government Support Fund attested by Maria Puresa V. Chatto, Municipal Mayor.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS**

Letter dated July 30, 2019 of Emmanuel C. De Guzman, President, Polytechnic University of the Philippines, submitting the Status Report regarding Tulong Dunong Program (TDP) and Expanded Students' Grants-in-Aid Program for Poverty Alleviation (ESGP-PA), Fund Utilization and List of Beneficiaries for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter FY2019.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS**

Letter dated July 30, 2019 of Jaime H. Morente, Commissioner, Bureau of Immigration, Department of Justice, submitting the Bureau's Collection Report of the Express Lane Fee for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of CY 2019.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE**

Letter dated August 1, 2019 of RADM Roberto Q. Estioko AFP (Ret), President, National Defense College of the Philippines, Department of National Defense, submitting their Agency Action Plan and Status of Implementation (AAPSI) on the Audit Observations and Recommendations for the Calendar Year 2018 as of 30 April 2019.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY**

Letter dated August 9, 2019 of Dr. Annabelle V. Briones, Director, Industrial Technology Development Institute, submitting their Agency Action Plan and Status of Implementation (AAPSI) of the Observations and Recommendations for Calendar Year 2018 and downwards.

**TO THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION**

# **CALENDAR OF BUSINESS**

## **(September 3, 2019)**

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Continuation of Consideration on Second Reading (Period of Interpellation) of Committee Report No. 2 submitted by the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Appropriations, re H.B. No. 4157, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 4, 5, 20, 22, 27, 28, 34, 40, 50, 73, 112, 117, 204, 222, 237, 237-A, 255, 256, 257, 258, 261, 263, 264, 266, 275, 290, 291, 292 AND ADDING NEW SECTIONS 6-A, 282-A, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315 AND 316 ALL UNDER THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

Sponsors: Representatives Salceda, Ungab, Suansing (Estrellita) and Garin (Sharon)

## **BUSINESS FOR THE DAY**

Report of the Committee on Economic Affairs and the Committee on Trade and Industry (Committee Report No. 3), re H.B. No. 300, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 8 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7042, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'FOREIGN INVESTMENTS ACT OF 1991' ”

Sponsors: Representatives Garin (Sharon) and Gatchalian

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Report of the Committee on Ways and Means (Committee Report No. 4), re H.B. No. 304, entitled:

“AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 22, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 34, 37, 38, 39, 42, 51, 52, 54, 56, 57, 73, 108, 121, 122, 123, 174, 176, 179, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, AND 199; AND REPEALING SECTIONS 127, 175, 177, 178, 180, 192, AND 193; ALL UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

Sponsor: Representative Salceda

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Report of the Committee on Economic Affairs (Committee Report No. 5), re H.B. No. 78, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEFINITION OF PUBLIC UTILITY, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE COMMONWEALTH ACT NO. 146, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'PUBLIC SERVICE ACT', AS AMENDED”

Sponsor: Representative Garin (Sharon)

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House Resolution No. 279, entitled:

“RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE MEN AND WOMEN OF THE PHILIPPINE CINEMA IN CELEBRATION OF ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF CONTINUOUSLY PROVIDING MEANINGFUL, EDUCATIONAL, AMUSING AND ENTERTAINING WORKS OF ART WHICH REMAIN TO BE THE HALLMARKS OF THE LOCAL FILM INDUSTRY”

Sponsor: Representative Fernandez