



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6144

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AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE CAGAYAN VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER (CVMC) IN TUGUEGARAO CITY, PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN, FROM FIVE HUNDRED (500) TO ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BEDS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:

1 SECTION 1. The bed capacity of the Cagayan Valley Medical
2 Center (CVMC) shall be increased from five hundred (500) to one
3 thousand (1,000) beds. Any future increase in bed capacity shall be
4 consistent with the hospital development plan which shall be
5 prepared and submitted by the Medical Center Chief of the CVMC
6 to the Department of Health (DOH) to reflect the development goals
7 of the hospital.

8 SEC. 2. The existing professional health care services and
9 facilities of the CVMC are also hereby upgraded to conform with

1 and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for
2 in Section 1 hereof.

3 SEC. 3. The existing workforce of the CVMC, which includes
4 doctors, nurses, and support personnel, shall also be increased
5 correspondingly. The Secretary of the DOH shall, after consultation
6 with the Medical Center Chief of the CVMC, and in coordination
7 with the Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management
8 and the Commissioner of the Civil Service Commission, determine
9 the additional new positions to be created and filled up.

10 SEC. 4. The Secretary of Health shall immediately include in
11 the program of the DOH the implementation of this Act, the funding
12 of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations
13 Act.

14 SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after
15 its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a national newspaper of
16 general circulation.

Approved,

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