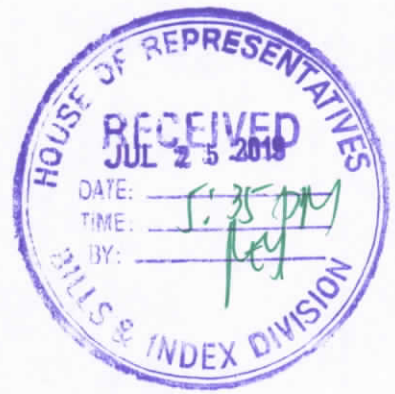


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HOUSE BILL NO. 2890



Introduced by Hon. John Marvin "Yul Servo" C. Nieto

Explanatory Note:


15 As a manifestation of support to this timely piece of legislation, this
16 representation respectfully refiles this bill, which has constantly been
17 receiving support the past present Congress.

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19 This measure seeks to postpone the upcoming Barangay and Sangguniang
20 (SK) elections. The scheduled date of the aforementioned elections is on May
21 2020; this representation proposes to amend it to a later date.

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23 The term of Barangay and SK officials is stretched too thin. They are only
24 given two years to serve which has proven detrimental to the
25 implementation of various projects and programs aimed at help their
26 respective constituents. To remedy this issue, this bill proposes to move the
27 2020 Barangay and SK elections to October 2022; granting their term two
28 additional years in order to efficiently fulfill their duties and mandate.

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30 In view of the foregoing, the swift passage of this measure is earnestly
31 sought.

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53 **AN ACT POSTPONING THE MAY 2020 SYNCHRONIZED BARANGAY**
54 **AND SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN ELECTIONS, AMENDING FOR THE**
55 **PURPOSE REPUBLICACT NO.9164, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLICACT**
56 **NO.9340, REPUBLICACT NO. 10632, REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10656,**
57 **REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10923 AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10952**

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

60 **SECTION 1.** Section 1 of Republic Act No. 9164, as amended by Republic
61 Act No. 9340, Republic Act No. 10656, Republic Act No. 10923 and Republic
62 Act No. 10952, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

63 "SECTION 1. Date of Election. - There shall be synchronized barangay
64 and sangguniang kabataan elections, which shall be held on July 15,
65 2002. Subsequent synchronized barangay and sangguniang kabataan
66 elections shall be held on the last Monday of October 2007 and every
67 three (3) years thereafter: *Provided*, That the barangay and
68 sangguniang kabataan elections on the second Monday of May 2020
69 shall be postponed to the last Monday of October 2022. Subsequent
70 synchronized barangay and sangguniang kabataan elections shall be
71 held on the last Monday of October 2025 and every three (3) years
72 thereafter."

73 **SEC. 2.** . Section 4 of Republic Act No. 9164, as amended by Republic Act
74 No. 9340, Republic Act No. 10923 and Republic Act No. 10952, is hereby
75 further amended to read as follows:

76 "SEC. 4. Assumption of Office. - The term of office of the barangay and
77 sangguniang kabataan officials elected under this Act shall commence
78 at noon of November 30 next following their election: *Provided*,
79 however, That the term of office of the barangay and sangguniang
80 kabataan officials elected in the October 2022 Elections and
81 subsequently thereafter, shall commence at noon of November 30 next
82 following their election."

83 **SEC. 3. Hold Over.** - Until their successors shall have been duly elected and
84 qualified, all incumbent barangay officials shall remain in office, unless
85 sooner removed or suspended for cause.

86 **SEC.4. Implementing Rules and Regulations.** - The COMELEC shall,
87 within ninety (90) days after the effectivity o this Act, promulgate such rules
88 and regulations necessary to implement this Act.

89 **SEC. 5. Separability Clause.** - If any provision or part hereof is declared
90 unconstitutional, the remainder of this Actor any provision not affected shall
91 remain in full force and effect.

92 **SEC. 6. Repealing Clause.** - All laws, presidential decrees, executive
93 orders, rules and regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions
94 of this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

95 **SEC. 7. Effectivity** - This Act shall take effect immediately after its
96 publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general
97 circulation.

98 *Approved,*