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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 373

Submitted by the Committees on Higher and Technical Education and Appropriations on

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Re: House Bill No. _____

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 5158

Sponsors: Representatives Mark O. Go, Eric Go Yap, and Deogracias Victor "DV" B. Savellano

Mr. Speaker:

The Committees on Higher and Technical Education and Appropriations, to which was referred:

House Bill No. 5158, introduced by Rep. Deogracias Victor "DV" B. Savellano, entitled:

"AN ACT

ESTABLISHING A FIELD OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) IN VIGAN CITY, ILOCOS SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR";


have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. **6974**, entitled:


"AN ACT

ESTABLISHING A PROVINCIAL OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) IN VIGAN CITY, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 5158 with Reps. Deogracias Victor "DV" B. Savellano, Mark O. Go, and Eric Go Yap as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,


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Chairperson
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MARK O. GO
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THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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HOUSE BILL NO. 6974
(In substitution of House Bill No. 5158)

**Introduced by Representatives DEOGRACIAS VICTOR "DV" B. SAVELLANO,
MARK O. GO, and ERIC GO YAP**

1 **AN ACT**

2 **ESTABLISHING A PROVINCIAL OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER**
3 **EDUCATION (CHED) IN VIGAN CITY, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR, AND**
4 **APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**
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6 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in*
7 *Congress assembled:*

8 **SECTION 1.** There shall be established a provincial office of the Commission on
9 Higher Education (CHED) in the Province of Ilocos Sur, to be known as the CHED-Ilocos
10 Sur Provincial Office, which shall be headed by a provincial director. The CHED-Ilocos Sur
11 Provincial Office shall be located in Vigan City, Province of Ilocos Sur.
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13 **SEC. 2.** Within sixty (60) days from the approval of this Act, the CHED, in
14 coordination with the Department of Budget and Management (DBM), shall determine the
15 organizational structure and staffing pattern for the CHED-Ilocos Sur Provincial Office. The
16 said organizational structure and staffing pattern shall be submitted by the Chairperson of the
17 CHED to the Secretary of the DBM for approval.
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19 **SEC. 3.** The Chairperson of the CHED shall immediately include in the CHED's
20 programs the operationalization of the CHED-Ilocos Sur Provincial Office.
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22 **SEC. 4.** The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act shall be
23 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.
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25 **SEC. 5.** The CHED shall issue the necessary rules and regulations for the effective
26 implementation of this Act within sixty (60) days from its approval.
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28 **SEC. 6.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official*
29 *Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.
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31 *Approved.*