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CALL TO ORDER

At 2:05 p.m. of Tuesday, August 31, 2021, Deputy Speaker Juan Pablo “Rimpy” P. Bondoc called the session to order.

PRAYER AND NATIONAL ANTHEM

The Members observed a minute of silent prayer and thereafter sang the National Anthem.

ROLL CALL

Thereupon, on motion of Rep. Xavier Jesus D. Romualdo, there being no objection, the Chair directed the Secretary General to call the Roll and the following Members were present:

Abante	Babasa	Calixto	Erice
Abaya	Bagatsing	Caminero	Eriguel
Abellanosa	Balindong	Campos	Ermita-Buhain
Abu	Bañas-Nogralles	Canama	Escudero
Abueg-Zaldivar	Barba	Caoagdan	Espina
Abunda	Barbers	Cardema	Espino
Acosta	Baronda	Cari	Estrella
Acosta-Alba	Barzaga	Castelo	Fariñas (R.C.)
Adiong	Bascug	Castro (F.L.)	Fariñas I (R.C.)
Advincula	Bautista	Castro (F.H.)	Fernandez
Agabas	Bautista-Bandigan	Cayetano (A.P.)	Fernando
Agarao	Belmonte	Cayetano (M.L.)	Ferrer (J.M.)
Aglipay	Benitez	Celeste	Ferrer (L.)
Aguinaldo	Bernos	Chatto	Flores
Albano	Biazon	Chipeco	Fortun
Almario	Billones	Chungalao	Fortuno
Alonte	Biron	Co (A.N.)	Frasco
Alvarez (F.)	Bolilia	Co (E.)	Fuentebella
Alvarez (G.)	Bondoc	Cojuangco	Gaite
Alvarez (P.)	Bordado	Collantes	Garbin
Amante-Matba	Bravo	Crisologo	Garcia (J.E.)
Amatong	Brosas	Cua	Garcia (P.J.)
Angara	Bulut	Cuaresma	Garcia (V.)
Aragones	Bustos	Cueva	Garin (J.)
Arbison	Cabatbat	Cullamat	Garin (S.)
Arenas	Cabochan	Dagooc	Gasataya
Arroyo	Cabredo	Dalipe	Gatchalian
Atienza	Cagas	Dalog	Gato
Aumentado	Calderon	Daza	Geron
		De Jesus	Go (E.C.)
		de Venecia	Go (M.)
		Defensor (L.)	Gonzaga
		Defensor (M.)	Gonzales (A.)
		Delos Santos	Gonzales (N.)
		Deloso-Montalla	Gonzalez
		Dimaporo (A.)	Gorriceta
		Dimaporo (M.K.)	Guico
		Duavit	Gullas
		Dujali	Guya
		Duterte	Haresco
		Dy (F.)	Hataman
		Dy (F.M.C.)	Hernandez
		Dy (I.P.)	Herrera-Dy
		Ebcas	Hofer
		Ecleo	Jalosjos
		Elago	Javier
		Enverga	Jimenez

Kho (E.)	Panotes	Teves (A.)	Vargas Alfonso
Kho (W.)	Peña	Teves (J.)	Velasco
Khonghun	Pichay	Tiangco	Veloso
Labadlabad	Pimentel	Tolentino	Vergara
Lacson	Pineda	Torres-Gomez	Villa
Lacson-Noel	Plaza	Tulfo	Villafuerte
Lagman	Puno	Tupas	Villanueva (E.)
Lagon	Quimbo	Tutor	Villanueva (N.)
Lara	Radaza	Ty (A.)	Villar
Lazatin	Ramirez-Sato	Ty (D.)	Villaraza-Suarez
Leachon	Remulla	Umali (A.)	Villarica
Legarda	Revilla	Umali (M.V.)	Violago
Lim	Reyes	Unabia	Yap (E.)
Limkaichong	Rivera	Ungab	Yap (V.)
Lopez	Robes	Uy (J.)	Yu
Loyola	Rodriguez	Uy (R.)	Zamora (R.)
Lusotan	Roman	Valeriano	Zamora (W.K.)
Macapagal Arroyo	Romero	Valmayor	Zarate
Maceda	Romualdez (F.M.)	Vargas	Zubiri
Madrona	Romualdez (Y.M.)		
Malapitan	Romualdo		
Mangaoang	Romulo		
Mangudadatu	Roque		
Marcoleta	Sacdalan		
Mariano-Hernandez	Sagarbarria		
Mariño	Sakaluran		
Marquez	Salceda		
Martinez	Salimbangon		
Matba	Salo		
Matugas	Sanchez		
Mendoza	Sangcopan		
Mercado	Santos-Recto		
Momo	Sarmiento		
Natividad-Nagaño	Saulog		
Nava	Savellano		
Nieto	Silverio		
Noel	Singson		
Nogralas (J.J.)	Singson-Meehan		
Nogralas (J.F.F.)	Sinsuat		
Nolasco	Suansing (E.)		
Nuñez-Malanyaon	Suansing (H.)		
Oaminal	Suarez (A.)		
Olivarez	Suarez (D.)		
Ong (J.)	Suntay		
Ong (R.)	Sy-Alvarado		
Ordanes	Taduran		
Ortega	Tallado		
Ouano-Dizon	Tambunting		
Pacquiao (A.)	Tan (A.S.)		
Pacquiao (R.)	Tan (A.)		
Padiernos	Tan (Samier)		
Paduano	Tan (S.A.)		
Palma	Tan (Shernee)		
Pancho	Tejada		

With 298 Members responding to the Call, the Chair declared the presence of a quorum. (See Appendix 1)

REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

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

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the titles of the following Bills and Resolutions on First Reading, Message from the Senate, Communications, and Committee Reports which the Chair referred to the appropriate committees indicated hereunder:

BILLS ON FIRST READING

House Bill No. 10049, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A KADIWA NI ANI AT KITA STORE IN BARANGAY SAN AGUSTIN IN QUEZON CITY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas
 TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 10050, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A KADIWA NI ANI AT KITA STORE IN BARANGAY SAN

BARTOLOME IN QUEZON CITY AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 10051, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF A KADIWA NI
ANI AT KITA STORE IN BARANGAY
STA. LUCIA IN QUEZON CITY AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 10052, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF A KADIWA NI
ANI AT KITA STORE IN BARANGAY
STA. MONICA IN QUEZON CITY AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

House Bill No. 10053, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE MUNICIPALITY
OF MALITA IN THE PROVINCE OF DAVAO
OCCIDENTAL INTO A COMPONENT
CITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE CITY OF
MALITA”

By Representatives Bautista-Bandigan and Bautista
TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 10054, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THE MUNICIPALITY OF
TAGAKAULO FROM THE MUNICIPALITY
OF MALITA IN THE PROVINCE OF
DAVAO OCCIDENTAL”

By Representative Bautista-Bandigan
TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 10056, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PHILIPPINE
DNA DATABASE SYSTEM”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ORDER AND
SAFETY

House Bill No. 10058, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MUSLIM
FILIPINO CEMETERY IN THE
PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON MUSLIM AFFAIRS

House Bill No. 10059, entitled:

“AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE
TRADITIONAL AND COMPLEMENTARY
MEDICINE SYSTEM, AMENDING
FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT
NO. 8423, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE
‘TRADITIONAL AND ALTERNATIVE
MEDICINE ACT OF 1997’ ”

By Representative Vergara
TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 10061, entitled:

“AN ACT RENEWING THE FRANCHISE
GRANTED TO ORO BROADCASTING
NETWORK INC. UNDER REPUBLIC ACT
NO. 8216, ENTITLED ‘AN ACT GRANTING
ORO BROADCASTING NETWORK INC. A
FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL,
OPERATE AND MAINTAIN RADIO
AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING
STATIONS WITHIN MINDANAO AND
OTHER AREAS IN THE PHILIPPINES FOR
ANOTHER TWENTY-FIVE (25) YEARS
FROM THE EFFECTIVITY OF THIS ACT.’ ”

By Representative Silverio
TO THE COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE FRANCHISES

House Bill No. 10078, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD
STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY
CASAY, TO BARANGAY INLAGADIAN,
MUNICIPALITY OF CASIGURAN,
PROVINCE OF SORSOGON INTO A
NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Escudero
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND
HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 10079, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD
STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY CAWIT
EXTENSION, TO BARANGAY BITON,
MUNICIPALITY OF MAGALLANES,
PROVINCE OF SORSOGON INTO A
NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Escudero
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND
HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 10080, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD
STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY
CUMADCAD TO BARANGAY

MACALAYA, MUNICIPALITY OF CASTILLA, PROVINCE OF SORSOGON INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Escudero
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 10081, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY ESCUALA TO BARANGAY INLAGADIAN, MUNICIPALITY OF CASIGURAN, PROVINCE OF SORSOGON INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Escudero
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 10082, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY PANGPANG TO BARANGAY BALOGO, CITY OF SORSOGON, PROVINCE OF SORSOGON INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Escudero
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 10083, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY SOGOY TO BARANGAY SAN RAFAEL, MUNICIPALITY OF CASTILLA, PROVINCE OF SORSOGON INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Escudero
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

House Bill No. 10084, entitled:

“AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY, EXTENDING ITS CORPORATE TERM, AND AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 757 (P.D. 757), ‘CREATING THE NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY AND DISSOLVING THE EXISTING HOUSING AGENCIES, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, PROVIDING

FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

By Representative Noel
TO THE COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

House Bill No. 10085, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST IN THE CITY OF DIGOS, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10086, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BANSALAN, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10087, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF HAGONUY, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10088, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KIBLAWAN, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10089, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MAGSAYSAY, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10090, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST

IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PADADA,
PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10091, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND
DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATANAO,
PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10092, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND
DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MALALAG,
PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10093, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND
DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF STA. CRUZ,
PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10094, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND
DETERMINING A COMMUNITY FOREST
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SULOP,
PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Cagas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFORESTATION

House Bill No. 10096, entitled:

“AN ACT MEMORIALIZING THE
HEROISM OF FILIPINO OLYMPIANS,
ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE AN
OLYMPIAN MEMORIAL AND OTHER
MODES OF COMMEMORATION, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representatives Martinez, Dy (F.M.C.), Nieto,
Malapitan and Maceda
TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS
DEVELOPMENT

House Bill No. 10097, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE DEPARTMENT
OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY FIELD
OFFICE IN GENERAL SANTOS CITY,
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR,
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Bañas-Nogales
TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND INDUSTRY

RESOLUTIONS

House Resolution No. 2157, entitled:

“RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES URGING THE
OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN AND
THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT TO FORM
AND COMMISSION A COMPOSITE
TEAM WHICH WILL FACILITATE AND
EXPEDITE THE RESOLUTION OF ISSUES
AND QUESTIONS ARISING FROM THE
AUDIT REPORTS MADE ON REPORTED
MISMANAGEMENT OF COVID-19 FUNDS
OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AS
WELL AS OTHER AGENCIES”

By Representatives Villanueva (E.) and Rivera
TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

House Resolution No. 2158, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING
AND COMMENDING EUMIR FELIX
DE LOS SANTOS MARCIAL FOR
WINNING THE BRONZE MEDAL IN THE
TOKYO 2020 OLYMPICS MEN’S BOXING
MIDDLEWEIGHT COMPETITION”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2159, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING DEEPEST
CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEMISE
OF THE HONORABLE REPRESENTATIVE
HERMINIO SANCHEZ AQUINO”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2160, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SINCEREST
CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEMISE
OF THE HONORABLE REPRESENTATIVE
PABLO PARAS GARCIA”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2161, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SINCEREST CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEMISE OF THE HONORABLE PHILIPPINES CHARITY SWEEPSTAKES CHAIRMAN MANUEL LIM MORATO”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2162, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING NESTHY ALCAYDE PETECIO FOR WINNING A SILVER MEDAL IN THE TOKYO 2020 OLYMPICS WOMEN’S BOXING FEATHERWEIGHT COMPETITION”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2163, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING CARLO PAALAM FOR WINNING A SILVER MEDAL IN THE TOKYO 2020 OLYMPICS MEN’S BOXING FLYWEIGHT COMPETITION”

By Representative Olivarez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2164, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PROCUREMENT OF COVID-19 VACCINES BY THE PRIVATE SECTOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS THROUGH THE MULTI-PARTY AGREEMENTS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF RAMPING UP VACCINATION IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR AND IN THE RURAL AREAS, AND ACHIEVING HERD IMMUNITY AGAINST COVID-19 FOR THE COUNTRY”

By Representative Rodriguez
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2165, entitled:

“RESOLUTION COMMENDING DEPUTY SPEAKER ABRAHAM ‘BAMBOL’ N. TOLENTINO, PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE (POC), FOR HIS VERY CAPABLE LEADERSHIP OF THE PHILIPPINE TEAM TO THE 2020 TOKYO OLYMPICS THAT SUCCESSFULLY BROUGHT HOME

FOUR (4) MEDALS, INCLUDING THE COUNTRY’S FIRST-EVER GOLD MEDAL”

By Representative Atienza
TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

House Resolution No. 2166, entitled:

“RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND INDUSTRY TO CALL THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY AND THE SMALL BUSINESS CORPORATION TO CONDUCT A BRIEFING ON THE UTILIZATION OF FUNDS APPROPRIATED UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11469 AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11494”

By Representative Gatchalian
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2167, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION URGING NON-COMPLIANT LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS TO ESTABLISH THEIR RESPECTIVE PERSONS WITH DISABILITY AFFAIRS OFFICE (PDAO) IN ACCORDANCE WITH REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10070”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

House Resolution No. 2169, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION URGING THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT FRONTLINE AGENCIES TO DRAFT A COMPREHENSIVE CONTINGENCY PLAN THAT WILL ADDRESS ADVERSE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CONDITIONS SUCH AS PORT CLOSURES”

By Representative Savellano
TO THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

House Resolution No. 2170, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION INTO THE OBSERVED LAPSES OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON INDIGENOUS PEOPLE (NCIP) AND OTHER OBSERVATIONS IN THE 2020 ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT RELEASED BY THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT”

By Representatives Cullamat, Zarate, Gaité, Brosas, Castro (F.L.) and Elago
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2171, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN URGENT INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE QUEZON CITY POPULATION REPORT OF THE PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY FOR 2020”

By Representatives Suntay, Belmonte and Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Message dated August 23, 2021, informing the House of Representatives that on even date, the Senate approved the Conference Committee Report of the Bicameral Conference Committee on the disagreeing provisions of Senate Bill No. 1354 and House Bill No. 8268, entitled:

“AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR PERJURY, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLES 183 AND 184 OF ACT NO. 3815, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE REVISED PENAL CODE’ ”.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

COMMUNICATIONS

Letter dated March 17, 2021 of Mario G. Lipana, Director III, Officer-in-Charge, Regional Office No. IV-A, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with copies of their annual audit reports for the years ending December 31, 2017, December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2019 on the following water districts:

1. Taysan Water District, Taysan, Batangas; and
2. Tiaong Water District, Tiaong, Quezon.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated May 17, 2021 of Gian Carlo F. Occeña, Municipal Mayor, Municipality of Sibalom, Province of Antique, submitting to the House of Representatives copies of their Reports on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Bayanihan Grant to Cities and Municipalities for the months of March and April 2021 which were posted in three (3) conspicuous public places in their locality.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated May 28, 2021 of Mario G. Lipana, Director III, Officer-in-Charge, Regional Office No. IV-A, Commission on Audit, furnishing the

House of Representatives with copies of their annual audit reports on the following water districts:

1. Carmona Water District, Carmona, Cavite (CY 2020);
2. Dasmariñas Water District, Dasmariñas, Cavite (CY 2020);
3. General Mariano Alvarez Water District, General Mariano Alvarez, Cavite (CY 2020);
4. Laguna Water District, Los Baños, Laguna (CY 2020);
5. Metro Lipa Water District, Lipa City, Batangas (CY 2020);
6. San Pedro Water District, San Pedro City, Laguna (CY 2020);
7. Trece Martires City Water District, Trece Martires City, Cavite (CY 2020);
8. Tagaytay City Water District, Tagaytay City, Cavite (CY 2020);
9. Mabitac Water District, Mabitac, Laguna (CYs 2017-2019); and
10. Morong Water District, Morong, Rizal (CYs 2017-2019).

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 9, 2021 of Arth Bryan C. Celeste, City Mayor, City of Alaminos, Province of Pangasinan, forwarding to the House of Representatives a copy of their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Bayanihan Grant to Cities and Municipalities for the month of May 2021 which was posted on their website www.alaminoscity.gov.ph on June 8, 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 9, 2021 of Michael G. Aguinaldo, Chairperson, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with copies of their annual audit reports for the years ending December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020 and management letters for the year ending December 31, 2020 on the following government-owned or -controlled corporations in the National Capital Region:

- A. Annual Audit Reports
 1. Al-Amanah Islamic Investment Bank of the Philippines;
 2. Alabang-Sto. Tomas Development, Inc.;
 3. BCDA Management and Holdings, Incorporated;
 4. CDCP Farms Corporation;
 5. DBP Data Center, Inc.;
 6. DBP Leasing Corporation;

7. DBP Management Corporation;
 8. Employees' Compensation Commission;
 9. First Cavite Industrial Estate, Inc.;
 10. GY Real Estate, Inc.;
 11. Inter-Island Gas Service, Inc.;
 12. Kamayan Realty Corporation;
 13. Landbank Countryside Development Foundation, Inc.;
 14. Lung Center of the Philippines;
 15. Manila Gas Corporation;
 16. Monterrosa Development Corporation;
 17. National Kidney and Transplant Institute;
 18. NDC-Philippine Infrastructure Corporation;
 19. North Luzon Railways Corporation;
 20. Northeastern Luzon Pacific Coastal Service Inc.;
 21. Philippine Center for Economic Development;
 22. Philippine Children's Medical Center;
 23. Philippine Heart Center;
 24. Philippine Institute for Development Studies;
 25. Philippine International Convention Center, Inc.;
 26. Philippine Sugar Corporation;
 27. Pinagkaisa Realty Corporation; and
 28. Social Housing Finance Corporation.
- B. Management Letters
1. Philippine Agricultural Development and Commercial Corporation;
 2. Philippine Forest Corporation; and
 3. ZNAC Rubber Estate Corporation.
- TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 10, 2021 of Michael G. Aguinaldo, Chairperson, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with copies of their annual audit reports for the year ending December 31, 2020 on the following government agencies:

1. Anti-Money Laundering Council;
 2. Central Board of Assessment Appeals;
 3. Government Procurement Policy Board – Technical Support Office;
 4. Insurance Commission;
 5. Legislative-Executive Development Advisory Council;
 6. Municipal Development Fund Office;
 7. National Tax Research Center;
 8. Philippine National Volunteer Service Coordinating Agency;
 9. Public-Private Partnership Center of the Philippines; and
 10. Tariff Commission.
- TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Memorandum dated June 10, 2021 of Secretary Carlito G. Galvez, Jr., Presidential Adviser on Peace, Reconciliation and Unity, Office of the Presidential Adviser on the Peace Process (OPAPP), informing the House of Representatives that OPAPP's Financial Accountability Reports for the month of May 2021 were submitted to the Unified Reporting System (URS) and posted on the OPAPP's official website.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 10, 2021 of Mary Grace D. Reyes, State Auditor III, Officer-in-Charge, Audit Team Leader, Team R16-08 – National Government Sector-State Universities and Colleges and Other Stand-Alone Agencies, COA Regional Satellite Audit Office-Negros Island and Siquijor, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with a copy of their annual audit report on the Carlos A. Hilado Memorial State College for the year ending December 31, 2020.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 11, 2021 of Jerry P. Treñas, City Mayor, City of Iloilo, notifying the House of Representatives that their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Bayanihan Grant to Cities and Municipalities for the month of May 2021 was posted on their website www.iloilocity.gov.ph and in three (3) conspicuous public places in their locality.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 11, 2021 of Mario G. Lipana, Director III, Officer-in-Charge, Regional Office No. IV-A, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with a copy of their annual audit report on the Philippine Council for Agriculture, Aquatic and Natural Resources Research and Development (PCAARRD) for the year ending December 31, 2020.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 16, 2021 of Mario G. Lipana, Director III, Officer-in-Charge, Regional Office No. IV-A, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with a copy of their annual audit report on the Forest Products Research and Development Institute (FPRDI) for the year ending December 31, 2020.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letters dated June 17, 2021 of Roy Cecil D. Ibay, Regulatory Affairs, submitting to the House of Representatives copies of the following annual reports for the year ending December 31, 2020:

1. Digitel Mobile Phils., Inc.;
2. Primeworld Digital Systems, Inc.;
3. Smart Broadband, Inc.; and
4. Smart Communications, Inc.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY

Letter dated June 18, 2021 of Benjamin E. Diokno, Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of their Report on Economic and Financial Developments in the Philippines for the first quarter of 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES

Letter dated June 24, 2021 of Ma. Corazon S. Gomez, Regional Director, Regional Office No. III, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with copies of Reports on the Results of Audit of the accounts and operations of the following water districts in Region III for the year ending December 31, 2020:

1. Santa Rosa (NE) Water District, Santa Rosa, Nueva Ecija;
2. Concepcion Water District, Concepcion, Tarlac;
3. Hagonoy Water District, Hagonoy, Bulacan;
4. Balanga Water District, Balanga, Bataan;
5. Marilao Water District, Marilao, Bulacan;
6. City of San Fernando Water District, City of San Fernando, Pampanga;
7. Subic Water District, Subic, Zambales;
8. Cabanatuan City Water District, Cabanatuan City, Nueva Ecija;
9. Dinalupihan Water District, Dinalupihan, Bataan;
10. Angat Water District, Angat, Bulacan;
11. Tarlac City Water District, Tarlac City, Tarlac;
12. Bulacan Water District, Bulakan, Bulacan;
13. Guagua Water District, Guagua, Pampanga;
14. Lubao Water District, Lubao, Pampanga;
15. Guimba Water District, Guimba, Nueva Ecija;
16. Limay Water District, Limay, Bataan;
17. San Miguel Water District, San Miguel, Bulacan;
18. Meycauayan Water District, City of Meycauayan, Bulacan;
19. Plaridel Water District, Plaridel, Bulacan;

20. Mabalacat City Water District, Mabalacat City, Pampanga;

21. Floridablanca Water District, Floridablanca, Pampanga;

22. Cabiao Water District, Cabiao, Nueva Ecija;

23. Norzagaray Water District, Norzagaray, Bulacan;

24. Bocaue Water District, Bocaue, Bulacan;

25. Sta. Maria Water District, Santa Maria, Bulacan;

26. San Rafael Water District, San Rafael, Bulacan;

27. Angeles City Water District, Angeles City, Pampanga;

28. Orani Water District, Orani, Bataan;

29. City of Malolos Water District, City of Malolos, Bulacan;

30. San Jose Del Monte City Water District, City of San Jose Del Monte, Bulacan;

31. Calumpit Water District, Calumpit, Bulacan;

32. Mariveles Water District, Mariveles, Bataan;

33. Bustos Water District, Bustos, Bulacan; and

34. Baliwag Water District, Baliwag, Bulacan.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated June 25, 2021 of Maria Eloisa A. Cajeles, State Auditor III, OIC-Audit Team Leader, Commission on Audit, furnishing the House of Representatives with a copy of their annual audit report on the President Ramon Magsaysay State University, Iba, Zambales for the year ending December 31, 2020.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Certification letter issued on June 29, 2021 by Gamaliel A. Cordoba, Commissioner, National Telecommunications Commission (NTC), certifying that Smart Communications, Inc. (Smart) is an existing telecommunications company duly authorized by the NTC to operate nationwide which is compliant to the payment of the supervision and regulation fee and its submission of annual reports.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY

Letter dated June 30, 2021 of Michael G. Aguinaldo, Chairperson, Commission on Audit, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of their Annual Report on Appropriations, Allotments, Obligations, and Disbursements of National Government Agencies (Including Off-Budgetary Funds) for FY 2020.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Annual Audit Reports on the following water districts for the year ending December 31, 2020:

1. Kabacan Water District, Kabacan, Cotabato;
2. Pigcawayan Water District, Pigcawayan, Cotabato;
3. M'lang Water District, M'lang, Cotabato;
4. Tulunan Water District, Tulunan, Cotabato;
5. Metro Midsayap Water District, Midsayap, Cotabato;
6. Surallah Water District, Surallah, South Cotabato;
7. Norala Water District, Norala, South Cotabato;
8. Lebak Water District, Lebak, Sultan Kudarat;
9. Sultan Kudarat Water District, Tacurong City, Sultan Kudarat; and
10. Kalamansig Water District, Kalamansig, Sultan Kudarat.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

2019 Actuarial Valuation of the Social Security Fund of the Philippines

TO THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES AND PRIVATIZATION

Annual Audit Report on the Catanduanes State University, Virac, Catanduanes for the year ending December 31, 2020 (CD format)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Annual Audit Reports on the following water districts in the Province of Zamboanga del Norte for the year ending December 31, 2020:

1. Sindangan Water District;
2. Rizal Water District;
3. Labason Water District;
4. Liloy Water District;
5. Siocon Water District;
6. President Manuel A. Roxas Water District; and
7. Polanco Water District.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1161), re H.B. No. 10063, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES IN THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF MAASIN, PROVINCE OF SOUTHERN LEYTE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE

SECTION 29 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’, AS AMENDED”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6068

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Mercado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1162), re H.B. No. 10064, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF MAASIN AND IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOGOD, PROVINCE OF SOUTHERN LEYTE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (I) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’, AS AMENDED”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6067

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Mercado

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1163), re H.B. No. 10065, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF BAYBAY, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (I) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’, AS AMENDED”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 4147

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Cari

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1164), re H.B. No. 10066, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE FAMILY COURT IN THE NINTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DIPLAHAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (J) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’, AS AMENDED”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 4063

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Palma

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1165), re H.B. No. 10067, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THREE (3) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURT IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF NAVOTAS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 14 (D) AND 27 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’, AS AMENDED”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 3013

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Tiangco

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1166), re H.B. No. 10068, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE SIXTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF SILAY, PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14(G)

OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6518

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Benitez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1167), re H.B. No. 10069, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CABAGAN, PROVINCE OF ISABELA, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14(B) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6485

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Albano

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1168), re H.B. No. 10070, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING TEN (10) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND THREE (3) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 14(E) AND 29 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7088

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Fernandez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1169), re H.B. No. 10071, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN THE SIXTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF STA. BARBARA AND PAVIA, PROVINCE OF ILOILO, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 30 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7201

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Gorriceta

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1170), re H.B. No. 10072, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN LEONARDO, PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14(C) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6771

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Natividad-Nagaño

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1171), re H.B. No. 10073, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES IN THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF KIDAPAWAN, PROVINCE OF COTABATO, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 14 (M) AND 29 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS

‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7781

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Caoagdan

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1172), re H.B. No. 10074, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF AGOO, PROVINCE OF LA UNION, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (A) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7363

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Eriguel

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1173), re H.B. No. 10075, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING FOUR (4) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF DIADI, QUEZON, SANTA FE, AND ALFONSO CASTAÑEDA, RESPECTIVELY, ALL IN THE PROVINCE OF NUEVA VIZCAYA, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 30 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7570

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Cuaresma

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1174), re H.B. No. 10076, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KAWIT, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 30 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7731

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Abaya

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1175), re H.B. No. 10077, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING THREE (3) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE TENTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF VALENCIA, PROVINCE OF BUKIDNON, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (K) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS ‘THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980’ ”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7990

Sponsors: Representatives Veloso, Yap (E.) and Roque

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Tourism and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1176), re H.B. No. 10095, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING THE SAUD BEACH LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PAGUDPUD, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS NORTE, A TOURISM DESTINATION, PROVIDING FOR ITS DEVELOPMENT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 6353

Sponsors: Representatives Aragones, Yap (E.), Fariñas (R.C.) and Fariñas I (R.C.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Information and Communications Technology, the Committee on Ways and Means, and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 1177), re H.B. No. 10098, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY HUBS NATIONWIDE”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bills Numbered 1655, 4115, 7398 and 7403

Sponsors: Representatives Yap (V.), Salceda, Yap (E.), Cabochan and Benitez

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Public Works and Highways (Committee Report No. 1178), re H.R. No. 2172, entitled:

“RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE NATIONAL ECONOMIC AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS TO CONSIDER THE MUNICIPALITY OF VALLADOLID IN THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL AS THE ENTRY AND EXIT POINT OF THE PROPOSED BRIDGE CONNECTING THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL TO THE ISLAND PROVINCE OF GUIMARAS”

recommending its adoption in substitution of House Resolution No. 721

Sponsors: Representatives Madrona and Ferrer (J.M.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Special Committee on Creative Industry and Performing Arts, the Committee on Appropriations, and the Committee on Ways and Means (Committee Report No. 1179), re H.B. No. 10107, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE PROMOTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE PHILIPPINE CREATIVE INDUSTRIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bills Numbered 4692, 6476 and 8101

Sponsors: Representatives de Venecia, Yap (E.) and Salceda

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Economic Affairs, the Committee on Trade and Industry, the Committee

on Appropriations, and the Committee on Ways and Means (Committee Report No. 1180), re H.B. No. 10108, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE IN THE CITY OF ILOILO, PROVINCE OF ILOILO, CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE METRO ILOILO SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE AUTHORITY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 5794

Sponsors: Representatives Garin (S.), Tiangco, Yap (E.), Salceda and Baronda
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Economic Affairs, the Committee on Trade and Industry, the Committee on Appropriations, and the Committee on Ways and Means (Committee Report No. 1181), re H.B. No. 10109, entitled:

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF SAN JOSE AND MAGSAYSAY, PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO, CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE OCCIDENTAL MINDORO SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE AUTHORITY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 263

Sponsors: Representatives Garin (S.), Tiangco, Yap (E.), Salceda and Ramirez-Sato
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report of the Committee on Youth and Sports Development (Committee Report No. 1182), re H.R. No. 2183, entitled:

“RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING THE UNPARALLELED SUPPORT AND EXEMPLARY MENTORSHIP OF THE OFFICIALS OF THE PHILIPPINE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE, INC., UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF PRESIDENT ABRAHAM ‘BAMBOL’ TOLENTINO THAT ENABLED THE FILIPINO ATHLETES TO ACHIEVE EXCELLENT PERFORMANCES IN THE 2020 TOKYO SUMMER OLYMPIC GAMES AND FOR MAKING HISTORY BY WINNING THE FIRST EVER GOLD AND THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF OLYMPIC MEDALS FOR THE PHILIPPINES SINCE

IT FIRST COMPETED IN THE OLYMPICS IN 1924”

recommending its adoption in substitution of House Resolution No. 2110

Sponsors: Representatives Dy (F.M.C.) and Albano
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

APPROVAL OF JOURNAL NO. 4

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved Journal No. 4 dated August 23 to 25, 2021.

PRIVILEGE HOUR

With leave of the House, on successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Chair declared a Privilege Hour and thereafter recognized Rep. Mark O. Go for his privilege speech.

PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REPRESENTATIVE GO (M.)

Speaking via Zoom, Representative Go, in commemoration of Baguio City’s 112th founding anniversary on September 1, paid tribute to the city by sharing how it was discovered and narrating the roles of originators who contributed to its development. He also relayed how Baguio, with its value for culture and creativity, was declared a “Creative City”; and added that the challenging times it faced brought about a special brand of bayanihan called *inayan*.

He then shared his plans to introduce measures that would further strengthen the city’s legacy; thanked his colleagues for supporting key bills for the city such as revising the Baguio City Charter, creating a specialized high school for sports and the arts, and rehabilitating Kennon Road; invited everyone to visit the City when possible; and called on his colleagues to join him in his commitment to safeguard the same.

REFERRAL OF PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REPRESENTATIVE GO (M.)

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body referred Representative Go’s privilege speech to the Committee on Rules.

PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REPRESENTATIVE SUNTAY

Recognized by the Chair upon motion of Representative Romualdo, Rep. Jesus “Bong” C. Suntay talked about the Philippine Statistics Authority’s 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH), particularly that of Quezon City.

He remarked that the census was questionable as it recorded a mere 0.81% population increase despite the city’s steady growth and recorded increase in births, and PSA’s 2015 annual population growth rate of 2.42%.

After pointing out that the population decline in certain city districts is unrealistic even with the current pandemic, Representative Suntay stressed that the census represents a myriad of things crucial to the city’s continued progress and development, among which is the determination of its share of the internal revenue allotment. Expressing concern on the census’ possible effects on the city’s delivery of services, particularly on pandemic response, he said that it is imperative to have an accurate population census.

Subsequently, he requested Congress, through the appropriate committee, to conduct an investigation into PSA’s alleged manifest errors in its 2020 CPH to ensure that none of the city’s residents are unjustly deprived of much-needed resources.

REFERRAL OF PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF REPRESENTATIVE SUNTAY

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body referred Representative Suntay’s privilege speech to the Committee on Rules.

TERMINATION OF PRIVILEGE HOUR

Thereafter, on another motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body terminated the Privilege Hour.

APPROVAL ON THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Whereupon, on successive motions of Rep. Christopher V.P. de Venecia, 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 August 26, 2021, pursuant to Section 58, Rule X of the Rules of the House:

1. House Bill No. 8895, entitled: “AN ACT EXEMPTING CRITICAL MEDICAL PRODUCTS, ESSENTIAL GOODS, INPUTS, RAW MATERIALS, AND EQUIPMENT FROM TAXES, DUTIES, AND OTHER FEES DURING PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCIES”

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the Rules of the House, a roll call vote was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abu	Cabatbat
Acosta-Alba	Cabochan
Adiong	Cabredo
Advincula	Cagas
Aglipay	Calderon
Aguinaldo	Calixto
Albano	Caminero
Almario	Campos
Alonte	Caoagdan
Alvarez (F.)	Castelo
Alvarez (G.)	Castro (F.L.)
Amante-Matba	Castro (F.H.)
Angara	Cayetano (A.P.)
Arbison	Cayetano (M.L.)
Arenas	Celeste
Arroyo	Chatto
Atienza	Chipeco
Babasa	Collantes
Balindong	Crisologo
Barba	Cuaresma
Bascug	Cueva
Bautista	Cullamat
Bautista-Bandigan	Dagooc
Belmonte	Dalog
Benitez	de Venecia
Bernos	Defensor (L.)
Billones	Delos Santos
Bolilia	Deloso-Montalla
Bordado	Dimaporo (A.)
Bravo	Duterte
Brosas	Dy (F.)
Bustos	Dy (F.M.C.)

Dy (I.P.)	Matugas	Tambunting	Valeriano
Ebcas	Momo	Tan (A.S.)	Valmayor
Ecleo	Natividad-Nagaño	Tan (A.)	Vargas
Elago	Nava	Tan (S.A.)	Vargas Alfonso
Erice	Nieto	Tejada	Velasco
Eriguell	Noel	Tiangco	Villafuerte
Espina	Nogralles (J.J.)	Tolentino	Villanueva (N.)
Espino	Olivarez	Tulfo	Villaraza-Suarez
Estrella	Ong (J.)	Tutor	Villarica
Fariñas (R.C.)	Ong (R.)	Ty (D.)	Violago
Ferrer (J.M.)	Ordanes	Umali (A.)	Yap (E.)
Ferrer (L.)	Ortega	Umali (M.V.)	Yu
Flores	Ouano-Dizon	Unabia	Zamora (R.)
Fortuno	Pacquiao (R.)	Ungab	Zamora (W.K.)
Frasco	Padiernos	Uy (R.)	Zarate
Fuentebella	Paduano		
Gaite	Palma	<i>Negative:</i>	
Garbin	Pancho	None	
Garcia (P.J.)	Panotes		
Garcia (V.)	Peña	<i>Abstention:</i>	
Garin (J.)	Pimentel		
Gasataya	Plaza	None	
Gato	Quimbo		
Geron	Radaza		
Go (M.)	Ramirez-Sato		
Gonzales (A.)	Remulla		
Gonzales (N.)	Revilla		
Gorriceta	Reyes		
Guico	Robes		
Gullas	Rodriguez		
Guya	Roman		
Hernandez	Romualdez (F.M.)		
Herrera-Dy	Romualdez (Y.M.)		
Hofer	Romualdo		
Jalosjos	Romulo		
Javier	Roque		
Jimenez	Sacdalan		
Labadlabad	Sakaluran		
Lacson	Salceda		
Lacson-Noel	Salimbangon		
Lara	Salo		
Lazatin	Sanchez		
Legarda	Sangcopan		
Lim	Santos-Recto		
Limkaichong	Sarmiento		
Lopez	Saulog		
Loyola	Savellano		
Lusotan	Silverio		
Maceda	Singson-Meehan		
Madrona	Suansing (E.)		
Mangaoang	Suansing (H.)		
Mariano-Hernandez	Suarez (D.)		
Marquez	Suntay		
Martinez	Taduran		

With 202 affirmative votes, zero negative votes, and zero abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 8895. (See also Appendix 2)

APPROVAL ON THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

(Continuation)

- House Bill No. 9990, entitled: "AN ACT EXEMPTING INCENTIVES, REWARDS, BONUSES AND OTHER FORMS OF EMOLUMENTS RECEIVED BY NATIONAL ATHLETES AND COACHES FROM TAXES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10699, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'NATIONAL ATHLETES AND COACHES BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES ACT' "

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the Rules of the House, a roll call vote was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abu	Advincula
Acosta-Alba	Aglipay
Adiong	Aguinaldo

Albano	Deloso-Montalla	Maceda	Salimbangon
Almario	Dimaporo (A.)	Madrona	Salo
Alonte	Duterte	Mangaoang	Sanchez
Alvarez (F.)	Dy (F.)	Mariano-Hernandez	Sangcopan
Alvarez (G.)	Dy (F.M.C.)	Marquez	Santos-Recto
Amante-Matba	Dy (I.P.)	Martinez	Sarmiento
Angara	Ebcas	Matugas	Saulog
Arbison	Ecleo	Momo	Savellano
Arenas	Elago	Natividad-Nagaño	Silverio
Arroyo	Erice	Nava	Singson-Meehan
Atienza	Eriguel	Nieto	Suansing (E.)
Babasa	Espina	Noel	Suansing (H.)
Balindong	Espino	Nogralles (J.J.)	Suarez (D.)
Barba	Estrella	Olivarez	Suntay
Bascug	Fariñas (R.C.)	Ong (J.)	Taduran
Bautista	Ferrer (J.M.)	Ong (R.)	Tambunting
Bautista-Bandigan	Ferrer (L.)	Ordanes	Tan (A.S.)
Belmonte	Flores	Ortega	Tan (A.)
Benitez	Fortuno	Ouano-Dizon	Tan (S.A.)
Bernos	Frasco	Pacquiao (A.)	Tejada
Billones	Fuentebella	Pacquiao (R.)	Tiangco
Bolilia	Gaite	Padiernos	Tolentino
Bordado	Garbin	Paduano	Tulfo
Bravo	Garcia (P.J.)	Palma	Tutor
Brosas	Garcia (V.)	Pancho	Ty (D.)
Bustos	Garin (J.)	Panotes	Umali (A.)
Cabatbat	Gasataya	Peña	Umali (M.V.)
Cabochan	Gatchalian	Pimentel	Unabia
Cabredo	Gato	Plaza	Ungab
Cagas	Geron	Quimbo	Uy (R.)
Calderon	Go (M.)	Radaza	Valeriano
Calixto	Gonzales (A.)	Ramirez-Sato	Valmayor
Caminero	Gonzales (N.)	Remulla	Vargas
Campos	Gorriceta	Revilla	Vargas Alfonso
Caoagdan	Guico	Reyes	Velasco
Castelo	Gullas	Robes	Villafuerte
Castro (F.L.)	Guya	Rodriguez	Villanueva (N.)
Castro (F.H.)	Hernandez	Roman	Villaraza-Suarez
Cayetano (A.P.)	Herrera-Dy	Romualdez (F.M.)	Villarica
Cayetano (M.L.)	Hofer	Romualdez (Y.M.)	Violago
Celeste	Jalosjos	Romualdo	Yap (E.)
Chatto	Javier	Romulo	Yu
Chipeco	Jimenez	Roque	Zamora (R.)
Collantes	Labadlabad	Sacdalan	Zamora (W.K.)
Crisologo	Lacson	Sakaluran	Zarate
Cuaresma	Lacson-Noel	Salceda	
Cueva	Lara		
Cullamat	Lazatin	<i>Negative:</i>	
Dagooc	Legarda		
Dalipe	Lim	None	
Dalog	Limkaichong		
de Venecia	Lopez	<i>Abstention:</i>	
Defensor (L.)	Loyola		
Delos Santos	Lusotan	None	

With 205 affirmative votes, zero negative votes, and zero abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 9990. (See also Appendix 2)

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Romualdo, the Chair recognized Rep. Arlene D. Brosas to explain, via Zoom, her vote on House Bill No. 8895 which was earlier approved on Third Reading.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE OF REPRESENTATIVE BROSAS ON HOUSE BILL NO. 8895

Representative Brosas, while voting in the affirmative, expressed her reservations on House Bill No. 8895. Although she recognized the need to ensure sufficient supply of medical products and essential goods during a pandemic, she asserted the need to highlight the implications of exempting wholesale imports from tax duties which will only favor large and foreign companies, and adversely affect the competitiveness of their local counterparts. She then recommended focusing on establishing national industries for the manufacture of goods and commodities.

APPROVAL ON THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS (Continuation)

3. House Bill No. 9878, entitled: "AN ACT CONVERTING THE ORIENTAL MINDORO PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN CALAPAN CITY, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO INTO A REGIONAL HOSPITAL, TO BE KNOWN AS THE MIMAROPA REGIONAL HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"
4. House Bill No. 9917, entitled: "AN ACT ESTABLISHING IN THE CITY OF MEYCAUAYAN, PROVINCE OF BULACAN, A TERTIARY HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'OSPITAL NG MEYCAUAYAN', AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the Rules of the House, a roll call vote was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abu	Cayetano (M.L.)
Abueg-Zaldivar	Celeste
Acosta-Alba	Chatto
Adiong	Chipeco
Advincula	Collantes
Aglipay	Crisologo
Aguinaldo	Cua
Albano	Cuaresma
Almario	Cueva
Alonte	Cullamat
Alvarez (F.)	Dagooc
Alvarez (G.)	Dalipe
Amante-Matba	Dalog
Angara	de Venecia
Arbison	Defensor (L.)
Arenas	Delos Santos
Arroyo	Deloso-Montalla
Atienza	Dimaporo (A.)
Babasa	Duterte
Balindong	Dy (F.)
Barba	Dy (F.M.C.)
Baronda	Dy (I.P.)
Bascug	Ebcas
Bautista	Ecleo
Bautista-Bandigan	Elago
Belmonte	Eric
Benitez	Eriguel
Bernos	Espina
Biazon	Espino
Billones	Estrella
Bolilia	Fariñas (R.C.)
Bordado	Ferrer (J.M.)
Bravo	Ferrer (L.)
Brosas	Flores
Bustos	Fortuno
Cabatbat	Frasco
Cabochan	Fuentebella
Cabredo	Gaite
Cagas	Garbin
Calderon	Garcia (P.J.)
Calixto	Garcia (V.)
Caminero	Garin (J.)
Campos	Gasataya
Caoagdan	Gatchalian
Castelo	Gato
Castro (F.L.)	Geron
Castro (F.H.)	Go (M.)
Cayetano (A.P.)	Gonzales (A.)

Gonzales (N.)	Ramirez-Sato
Gorriceta	Remulla
Guico	Revilla
Gullas	Reyes
Guya	Robes
Hernandez	Rodriguez
Herrera-Dy	Roman
Hofer	Romualdez (F.M.)
Jalosjos	Romualdez (Y.M.)
Javier	Romualdo
Jimenez	Romulo
Labadlabad	Roque
Lacson	Sacdalan
Lacson-Noel	Sakaluran
Lagman	Salceda
Lara	Salimbangon
Lazatin	Salo
Legarda	Sanchez
Lim	Sangcopan
Limkaichong	Santos-Recto
Lopez	Sarmiento
Loyola	Saulog
Lusotan	Savellano
Maceda	Silverio
Madrona	Singson-Meehan
Mangaoang	Suansing (E.)
Mariano-Hernandez	Suansing (H.)
Marquez	Suarez (D.)
Martinez	Suntay
Matugas	Taduran
Momo	Tambunting
Natividad-Nagaño	Tan (A.S.)
Nava	Tan (A.)
Nieto	Tan (S.A.)
Noel	Tejada
Nogralas (J.J.)	Tiangco
Olivarez	Tolentino
Ong (J.)	Tulfo
Ong (R.)	Tutor
Ordanes	Ty (D.)
Ortega	Umali (A.)
Ouano-Dizon	Umali (M.V.)
Pacquiao (A.)	Unabia
Pacquiao (R.)	Ungab
Padiernos	Uy (R.)
Paduano	Valeriano
Palma	Valmayor
Pancho	Vargas
Panotes	Vargas Alfonso
Peña	Velasco
Pimentel	Villafuerte
Plaza	Villanueva (N.)
Quimbo	Villaraza-Suarez
Radaza	Villarica

Violago	Zamora (R.)
Yap (E.)	Zamora (W.K.)
Yu	Zarate

Negative:

None

Abstention:

None

With 210 affirmative votes, zero negative votes, and zero abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill Nos. 9878 and 9917. (See also Appendix 2)

APPROVAL ON THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

(Continuation)

5. House Bill No. 9885, entitled: "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 240-KILOMETER TRANS-MINDANAO SUPERHIGHWAY CONNECTING FOUR PROVINCIAL CAPITALS IN THE CARAGA AND NORTHERN MINDANAO REGIONS TO THE LAGUINDINGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"
6. House Bill No. 9886, entitled: "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE TRI-LEVEL INTERCHANGE ALONG M.C. BRIONES STREET CORNER U.N. AVENUE, MANDAUE CITY, PROVINCE OF CEBU AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the Rules of the House, a roll call vote was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abu	Aguinaldo
Abueg-Zaldivar	Albano
Acosta-Alba	Almario
Adiong	Alonte
Advincula	Alvarez (F.)
Aglipay	Alvarez (G.)

Amante-Matba	Duterte	Madrona	Salo
Angara	Dy (F.)	Mangaoang	Sanchez
Arbison	Dy (F.M.C.)	Mariano-Hernandez	Sangcopan
Arenas	Dy (I.P.)	Marquez	Santos-Recto
Arroyo	Ebcas	Martinez	Sarmiento
Atienza	Ecleo	Matugas	Saulog
Babasa	Elago	Momo	Savellano
Balindong	Erice	Natividad-Nagaño	Silverio
Barba	Eriguel	Nava	Singson-Meehan
Baronda	Espina	Nieto	Suansing (E.)
Bascug	Espino	Noel	Suansing (H.)
Bautista	Estrella	Nogralas (J.J.)	Suarez (D.)
Bautista-Bandigan	Fariñas (R.C.)	Olivarez	Suntay
Belmonte	Ferrer (J.M.)	Ong (J.)	Taduran
Benitez	Ferrer (L.)	Ong (R.)	Tambunting
Bernos	Flores	Ordanes	Tan (A.S.)
Biazon	Fortuno	Ortega	Tan (A.)
Billones	Frasco	Ouano-Dizon	Tan (S.A.)
Bolilia	Fuentebella	Pacquiao (A.)	Tejada
Bordado	Gaite	Pacquiao (R.)	Tiangco
Bravo	Garbin	Padiernos	Tolentino
Brosas	Garcia (P.J.)	Paduano	Tulfo
Bustos	Garcia (V.)	Palma	Tutor
Cabatbat	Garin (J.)	Pancho	Ty (D.)
Cabochan	Gasataya	Panotes	Umali (A.)
Cabredo	Gatchalian	Peña	Umali (M.V.)
Cagas	Gato	Pimentel	Unabia
Calderon	Geron	Plaza	Ungab
Calixto	Go (M.)	Quimbo	Uy (R.)
Caminero	Gonzales (A.)	Radaza	Valeriano
Campos	Gonzales (N.)	Ramirez-Sato	Valmayor
Caoagdan	Gorriceta	Remulla	Vargas
Castelo	Guico	Revilla	Vargas Alfonso
Castro (F.L.)	Gullas	Reyes	Velasco
Castro (F.H.)	Guya	Robes	Villafuerte
Cayetano (A.P.)	Hernandez	Rodriguez	Villanueva (N.)
Cayetano (M.L.)	Herrera-Dy	Roman	Villaraza-Suarez
Celeste	Hofer	Romualdez (F.M.)	Villarica
Chatto	Jalosjos	Romualdez (Y.M.)	Violago
Chipeco	Javier	Romualdo	Yap (E.)
Collantes	Jimenez	Romulo	Yu
Crisologo	Labadlabad	Roque	Zamora (R.)
Cua	Lacson	Sacdalan	Zamora (W.K.)
Cuaresma	Lacson-Noel	Sakaluran	Zarate
Cueva	Lagman	Salceda	Zubiri
Cullamat	Lara	Salimbangon	
Dagooc	Lazatin		
Dalipe	Legarda	<i>Negative:</i>	
Dalog	Lim		
de Venecia	Limkaichong	None	
Defensor (L.)	Lopez		
Delos Santos	Loyola	<i>Abstention:</i>	
Deloso-Montalla	Lusotan		
Dimaporo (A.)	Maceda	None	

With 211 affirmative votes, zero negative votes, and zero abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill Nos. 9885 and 9886. (See also Appendix 2)

APPROVAL ON THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

(Continuation)

- House Bill No. 9887, entitled: “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE ANTIQUE PROVINCIAL TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT CENTER TO BE LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF HAMTIC, AND THE PANDAN, ANTIQUE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT CENTER, TO BE LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PANDAN, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

The Chair then directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting. Thereafter, pursuant to the Rules of the House, a roll call vote was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Abu	Barba
Abueg-Zaldivar	Baronda
Acosta-Alba	Bascug
Adiong	Bautista
Advincula	Bautista-Bandigan
Aglipay	Belmonte
Aguinaldo	Benitez
Albano	Bernos
Almario	Biazon
Alonte	Billones
Alvarez (F.)	Bolilia
Alvarez (G.)	Bordado
Amante-Matba	Bravo
Angara	Brosas
Arbison	Bustos
Arenas	Cabatbat
Arroyo	Cabochan
Atienza	Cabredo
Babasa	Cagas
Balindong	Calderon

Calixto	Go (M.)
Caminero	Gonzales (A.)
Campos	Gonzales (N.)
Caoagdan	Gorriceta
Castelo	Guico
Castro (F.L.)	Gullas
Castro (F.H.)	Guya
Cayetano (A.P.)	Hernandez
Cayetano (M.L.)	Herrera-Dy
Celeste	Hofer
Chatto	Jalosjos
Chipeco	Javier
Collantes	Jimenez
Crisologo	Labadlabad
Cua	Lacson
Cuaresma	Lacson-Noel
Cueva	Lagman
Cullamat	Lara
Dagooc	Lazatin
Dalipe	Legarda
Dalog	Lim
de Venecia	Limkaichong
Defensor (L.)	Lopez
Delos Santos	Loyola
Deloso-Montalla	Lusotan
Dimaporo (A.)	Maceda
Duterte	Madrona
Dy (F.)	Mangaoang
Dy (F.M.C.)	Mariano-Hernandez
Dy (I.P.)	Marquez
Ebcas	Martinez
Ecleo	Matugas
Elago	Momo
Erice	Natividad-Nagaño
Eriguel	Nava
Espina	Nieto
Espino	Noel
Estrella	Nogralas (J.J.)
Fariñas (R.C.)	Olivarez
Ferrer (J.M.)	Ong (J.)
Ferrer (L.)	Ong (R.)
Flores	Ordanes
Fortuno	Ortega
Frasco	Ouano-Dizon
Fuentebella	Pacquiao (A.)
Gaite	Pacquiao (R.)
Garbin	Padiernos
Garcia (P.J.)	Paduano
Garcia (V.)	Palma
Garin (J.)	Pancho
Gasataya	Panotes
Gatchalian	Peña
Gato	Pimentel
Geron	Plaza

Quimbo	Tambunting
Radaza	Tan (A.S.)
Ramirez-Sato	Tan (A.)
Remulla	Tan (S.A.)
Revilla	Tejada
Reyes	Tiangco
Robes	Tolentino
Rodriguez	Tulfo
Roman	Tutor
Romualdez (F.M.)	Ty (D.)
Romualdez (Y.M.)	Umali (A.)
Romualdo	Umali (M.V.)
Romulo	Unabia
Roque	Ungab
Sacdalan	Uy (R.)
Sakaluran	Valeriano
Salceda	Valmayor
Salimbangon	Vargas
Salo	Vargas Alfonso
Sanchez	Velasco
Sangcopan	Villa
Santos-Recto	Villafuerte
Sarmiento	Villanueva (N.)
Saulog	Villaraza-Suarez
Savellano	Villarica
Silverio	Violago
Singson-Meehan	Yap (E.)
Suansing (E.)	Yu
Suansing (H.)	Zamora (R.)
Suarez (D.)	Zamora (W.K.)
Suntay	Zarate
Taduran	Zubiri

Negative:

None

Abstention:

None

With 212 affirmative votes, zero negative votes, and zero abstentions, the Body approved on Third Reading House Bill No. 9887. (See also Appendix 2)

TRANSMITTAL TO THE SENATE OF HOUSE BILLS

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body directed the Secretary General to immediately transmit to the Senate copies of the House Bills that had just been approved on Third Reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 823 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 8927

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body resumed the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8927 contained in Committee Report No. 823 as submitted by the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

“AN ACT PENALIZING THE SMUGGLING OF FOREIGN CURRENCY AND OTHER MONETARY INSTRUMENTS IN BULK INTO OR OUT OF THE PHILIPPINES.”

Representative Romualdo stated that the parliamentary status was that the Bill was in the period of sponsorship and debate.

TERMINATION OF PERIOD OF SPONSORSHIP AND DEBATE

There being no interpellations, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; and thereafter, proceeded to the period of amendments.

SUSPENSION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 8927

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body suspended the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8927.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS CALENDARED UNDER THE BUSINESS FOR THE DAY

On successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House Bills calendared under the Business for the Day contained in various committee reports as submitted by the committees indicated hereunder; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the records of the House, as copies thereof had been previously distributed to the Members; adopted the Explanatory Notes of the Bills as the sponsorship remarks on the

measures, upon motion of Representative de Venecia whom the Chair recognized to sponsor the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate in the absence of interpellations; 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. 9925 contained in Committee Report No. 1103 as submitted by the Committees on Disaster Resilience, and Appropriations, providing monetary compensation to qualified claimants, through the Task Force Bangon Marawi, for the loss or destruction of residential and commercial properties as a result of the 2017 armed conflict between the Armed Forces of the Philippines and terrorist groups in Marawi City, Lanao del Sur;
2. House Bill No. 9850 contained in Committee Report No. 1090 as submitted by the Committee on Higher and Technical Education, integrating a comprehensive study of Philippine History during World War II into the higher education curriculum;
3. House Bill No. 9841 contained in Committee Report No. 1089 as submitted by the Committees on Justice, and Appropriations, creating a Shari'a Judicial District comprising Palawan and Puerto Princesa City and creating therein one Shari'a District Court to be stationed in Puerto Princesa City and two Shari'a Circuit Courts in Taytay and Brooke's Point, Palawan;
4. House Bill No. 9884 contained in Committee Report No. 1095 as submitted by the Committee on Transportation, regulating the use and other activities related to vintage automobiles and other historical, classic, or collector motor vehicles, and providing for their exemption from the standards and restrictions set by laws enacted and regulations adopted after the date of their manufacture; and
5. House Bill No. 9852 contained in Committee Report No. 1093 as submitted by the Committees on Youth and Sports Development, and Appropriations, institutionalizing the conduct of summer youth camps in every barangay.

**BUSINESS FOR THE DAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1114
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 9943**

On successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body then considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 9943 contained in Committee Report No. 1114 as submitted by the Committee on Women and Gender Equality, prohibiting the practice of child marriage and imposing penalties for violations thereof; dispensed with the reading of the text of the measure without prejudice to its insertion into the records of the House, as copies thereof had been previously distributed to the Members; inserted into the records of the House the sponsorship speech of Deputy Speaker Bernadette "BH" Herrera-Dy, the main author of the Bill, upon her request; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate in the absence of interpellations; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of committee and individual amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

**RESUMPTION OF CONSIDERATION
ON SECOND READING
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 8927**

On motion of Representative de Venecia, there being no objection, the Body resumed the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 8927 contained in Committee Report No. 823 as submitted by the Committee on Ways and Means, entitled:

“AN ACT PENALIZING THE SMUGGLING OF FOREIGN CURRENCY AND OTHER MONETARY INSTRUMENTS IN BULK INTO OR OUT OF THE PHILIPPINES.”

Representative de Venecia stated that the Bill was in the period of amendments; and upon his motion, the Chair recognized Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing, vice-chairperson of the sponsoring committee and a principal author of House Bill No. 8927, to sponsor the measure via Zoom.

PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

Representative Suansing said that she was ready to consider proposed amendments on behalf of her committee chairperson, Rep. Joey Sarte Salceda.

There being no committee amendments, on motion of Representative de Venecia, there being no objection, the Body proceeded with the consideration of individual amendments. Upon the latter's further motion, the Chair recognized Rep. Sharon S. Garin to propose her individual amendments via Zoom.

INDIVIDUAL AMENDMENTS OF REPRESENTATIVE GARIN (S.)

As proposed by Representative Garin and accepted by the Sponsor, there being no objection, the Body approved the amendments on page 4.

TERMINATION OF PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

There being no further amendments, on motion of Rep. Cristal L. Bagatsing, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of amendments.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 8927, AS AMENDED

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 8927, as amended, through *viva voce* voting.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

At 3:49 p.m., the Chair *motu proprio* suspended the session.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 3:51 p.m. with Deputy Speaker Deogracias Victor "DV" B. Savellano presiding.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

On successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the consideration of the following House Resolutions; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the records of the House, as copies thereof had been distributed to the Members; approved the amendments in the text as well as the title of House Resolution No. 1828 as presented on the floor by Representative Bagatsing; and unanimously adopted the same through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Resolution No. 1849, entitled: "RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES TO DESIGNATE EVERY 12TH OF JUNE AS THE 'PHILIPPINE TRADITIONAL WEAR DAY' TO FURTHER PROMOTE FILIPINO CULTURAL HERITAGE AND TRADITIONS";
2. House Resolution No. 1886, entitled: "RESOLUTION URGING THE NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS AND OTHER RELEVANT GOVERNMENT AGENCIES TO ENSURE THE CONSERVATION, PRESERVATION, AND PROTECTION OF THE ANTIQUE RICE TERRACES AND THE ETHNIC HERITAGE AND TRADITIONS OF THE IRAYNON-BUKIDNON INDIGENOUS PEOPLE RESIDING IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN REMIGIO, PROVINCE OF ANTIQUE FOR THE APPRECIATION AND BENEFIT OF THE PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS";
3. House Resolution No. 1978, entitled: "RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONTINUE PROVIDING EDUCATION SERVICES FOR THE DURATION OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, BY PRODUCING TELEVISION-BASED LECTURES FOR PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, IN COORDINATION WITH THE PRESIDENTIAL COMMUNICATIONS OPERATIONS OFFICE AND GOVERNMENT-OWNED PTV 4 AND IBC 13 TELEVISION STATIONS TO HELP THE GOVERNMENT ATTAIN GOAL 4 OF THE UNITED NATIONS' 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AIMED AT ENSURING INCLUSIVE AND EQUITABLE QUALITY EDUCATION AND PROMOTE LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL";
4. House Resolution No. 1677, entitled: "RESOLUTION DECLARING A HOUSING CRISIS AND URGING THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT TO MOBILIZE RESOURCES TO ACCELERATE HOUSING PRODUCTION

AND PROVIDE ADEQUATE HOUSING TO UNDERSERVED FAMILIES”); and

5. House Resolution No. 1828, entitled: “RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING DR. POTENCIANO ‘YONG’ STO. DOMINGO LARRAZABAL III FOR BEING THE FIRST FILIPINO TO CONQUER THE WORLD MARATHON CHALLENGE HELD ON FEBRUARY 07 TO 13, 2020,” as amended by Representative Bagatsing.

ADOPTION OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1043

On successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body considered and subsequently adopted the findings and recommendations contained in Committee Report No. 1043 on House Resolution No. 1454, as submitted by the Committee on Poverty Alleviation, urging the Committee on Rural Development to review the criteria and qualifications of the poorest of the poor provinces of the Department of Agriculture Special Area for Agricultural Development Program.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 907 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 9178

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body resumed the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 9178 contained in Committee Report No. 907 as submitted by the Committees on Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise Development, and Appropriations.

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

“AN ACT FURTHER PROMOTING ENTREPRENEURSHIP BY STRENGTHENING, EMPOWERING, AND ENHANCING THE FINANCING AND OTHER SUPPORT PROGRAMS FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6977, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ‘MAGNA CARTA FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (MSMEs)’.”

Representative Romualdo stated that the parliamentary status was that the Bill was in the period of sponsorship and debate and upon his motion, the Chair recognized Representative de Venecia to sponsor the measure.

SPONSORSHIP REMARKS OF REPRESENTATIVE DE VENECIA

Upon request of Representative de Venecia, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved to consider the Explanatory Note of the Bill as the sponsorship remarks on the measure.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 9178

Thereafter, on successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of sponsorship and debate on House Bill No. 9178 in the absence of interpellations; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of committee and individual amendments; and approved the measure on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

MANIFESTATION OF REPRESENTATIVE SANGCOPAN

Recognized by the Chair upon motion of Representative Romualdo, Rep. Amihilda J. Sangcopan manifested that as one of the sponsors of House Bill No. 9925, she would like to put on record that she would be submitting a written sponsorship speech considering that the measure had already been approved earlier on Second Reading.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1039 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 9561

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body resumed the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 9561 contained in Committee Report No. 1039 as submitted by the Committees on Health, and Appropriations.

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

“AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH SECURITY COUNCIL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.”

Representative Romualdo stated that the parliamentary status was that the Bill was in the period of sponsorship and debate and upon his motion, the Chair recognized Rep. Angelina “Helen” D.L. Tan, MD, chairperson of the Committee on Health, for her sponsorship of the measure via Zoom and Rep. Carlos Isagani T. Zarate for his interpellation.

INTERPELLATION OF REPRESENTATIVE ZARATE

To Representative Zarate’s initial question, Representative Tan (A.) stated that the primary objective in creating the Philippine Health Security Council (PHSC) under House Bill No. 9561 is to institutionalize national health security.

To her colleague’s next queries, the Sponsor explained that 1) PHSC differs from the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF) in that the latter is neither well-defined nor permanent while the former is a continuing body that will apply whole-of-government and whole-of-society approaches; and 2) PHSC and IATF can coexist, and in case of conflicting assessments, the former’s recommendations will prevail.

In response to Representative Zarate’s succeeding questions, the Sponsor replied that PHSC’s local counterparts will not pose any conflict as regards jurisdiction since the council’s national and local structure is well-defined; explained the importance of coordination between government agencies; and stated that the national and local councils will meet quarterly, adding that planning for public health emergencies is a continuous and multi-year process.

While the Sponsor assured him that the fund for the creation of PHSC will be charged against the appropriations of concerned agencies, Representative Zarate reiterated his position that the Bill will entail a huge budgetary requirement from the health sector’s already limited resources.

Thereupon, Representatives Zarate and Tan debated on the rationale behind the inclusion of the security sector, particularly the Armed Forces of the Philippines and the Department of National Defense, in the composition of PHSC.

Representative Zarate next pointed out that international health protocols do not require the creation of a new structure and added that there are

existing structures that already comply with said protocols. However, Representative Tan stated that the Joint External Evaluation tool of the World Health Organization has recommended the creation of PHSC which will establish the country’s health security action plan.

Both Members next delved into the powers of PHSC, under Sections 6 and 12 of the proposed measure, to authorize the procurement and disposition of medical supplies and equipment during public health emergencies.

In closing, Representative Zarate expressed belief that it would be better to strengthen the functions of existing health agencies in order to concentrate the limited resources on the already overwhelmed health care system of the country.

TERMINATION OF PERIOD OF SPONSORSHIP AND DEBATE

There being no other Member who wished to interpellate the Sponsor, on successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of sponsorship and debate and thereafter, proceeded to the period of amendments.

PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

There being no committee amendments, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to consider individual amendments.

On further motion of Representative Romualdo, the Chair recognized Rep. Cheryl P. Deloso-Montalla to introduce her amendment via Zoom.

AMENDMENT OF REPRESENTATIVE DELOSO-MONTALLA

As proposed by Representative Deloso-Montalla and accepted by the Sponsor, there being no objection, the Body approved the amendment on page 7, Section 7, on membership and composition of PHSC.

TERMINATION OF PERIOD OF AMENDMENTS

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

**APPROVAL ON SECOND READING
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 9561, AS AMENDED**

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 9561, as amended, through *viva voce* voting.

**INSERTION INTO THE RECORDS
OF SPONSORSHIP SPEECH OF
DEPUTY SPEAKER HATAMAN**

At this point, Representative Romualdo stated that Deputy Speaker Mujiv S. Hataman initially intended to deliver a sponsorship speech on House Bill No. 9925, but due to connectivity problems, he requested that he be allowed to submit his sponsorship speech instead.

Hence, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved to insert the said sponsorship speech into the records of the House.

**CHANGE OF REFERRAL
OF HOUSE BILL NO. 7842**

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body changed the referral of House Bill No. 7842, from the Committee on Public Order and Safety to the Committees on Justice, National Defense and Security, and Public Order and Safety.

RECOMMITMENT OF HOUSE BILL NO. 9543

Upon the request of the Committee on Banks and Financial Intermediaries, through its chairperson Rep. Junie E. Cua, and pursuant to the Rules of the House, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved to recommit House Bill No. 9543 as reported out under Committee Report No. 1029 to the said Committee.

**RATIFICATION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 8268
AND SENATE BILL NO. 1354**

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body considered and subsequently ratified through *viva voce* voting the Conference Committee Report on the disagreeing provisions of House Bill No. 8268 and Senate Bill No. 1354, increasing the penalties for perjury.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the session was suspended until two o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, September 1, 2021.

It was 5:04 p.m. of Tuesday, August 31, 2021.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 2:07 p.m. of Wednesday, September 1, 2021 with Deputy Speaker Juan Pablo “Rimpy” P. Bondoc presiding.

ADDITIONAL REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

On motion of Rep. Lianda B. Bolilia, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the Additional Reference of Business.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the titles of the following Bills and Resolutions on First Reading, Communications, and Subpoena Duces Tecum which the Chair referred to the appropriate committees indicated hereunder:

BILLS ON FIRST READING

House Bill No. 10099, entitled:

“AN ACT PROTECTING THE RIGHT OF ATHLETES TO REPRESENT THE PHILIPPINES AS PART OF THE NATIONAL TEAM AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF”

By Representative Tambunting
TO THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

House Bill No. 10100, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTILLING AND STRENGTHENING THE SENSE OF PATRIOTISM AND NATIONALISM AMONG THE YOUTH THROUGH THE INSTITUTIONALIZATION, DEVELOPMENT, AND ADMINISTRATION OF FUNDAMENTAL AND SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS IN THE BASIC EDUCATION CURRICULUM IN ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS”

By Representative Tambunting
TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND CULTURE

House Bill No. 10101, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAM AND PROVIDING JOB OPPORTUNITIES TO INMATES IN DETENTION FACILITIES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Tambunting
TO THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

House Bill No. 10102, entitled:

“AN ACT AUTHORIZING HEALTH AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS TO ENGAGE IN THE PRACTICE OF ULTRASONOGRAPHY, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7431, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ‘RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY ACT OF 1992’”

By Representative Tan (A.)
TO THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

House Bill No. 10103, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING MAULAWIN SPRING PROTECTED LANDSCAPE IN BARANGAYS CALIMPAK, SAN PEDRO I, MAGSAYSAY AND HIMBUBULO WESTE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF GUINAYANGAN, PROVINCE OF QUEZON AS ECO-TOURISM ZONE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

By Representative Tan (A.)
TO THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM

House Bill No. 10104, entitled:

“AN ACT PROHIBITING THE DETENTION OF COVID PATIENTS IN HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS DUE TO THEIR UNPAID HOSPITAL BILLS OR MEDICAL EXPENSES, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREOF”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado
TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

House Bill No. 10105, entitled:

“AN ACT CRIMINALIZING THE USE OF FAKE VACCINATION CARD AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREOF”

By Representative Sy-Alvarado
TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE

House Bill No. 10106, entitled:

“AN ACT DEFINING AND CRIMINALIZING VACCINE HOARDING AND UNAUTHORIZED VACCINATION IN TIMES OF PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCIES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE

RESOLUTIONS

House Resolution No. 2173, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE THIRTEEN

AWARDEES CONFERRED BY
THE CULTURAL CENTER OF THE
PHILIPPINES FOR THE YEAR 2021”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION AND
CULTURE

House Resolution No. 2174, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND
COMMENDING CHEF JOHANNE SIY FOR
RECEIVING THE AWARD FOR FEMALE
OF THE YEAR IN THE 2021 SINGAPORE’S
WORLD GOURMET AWARDS”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2175, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND
COMMENDING THE CORDILLERA
REGIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL
GLEE CLUB FOR WINNING TWO
GOLD MEDALS AT THE 8TH BALI
INTERNATIONAL CHOIR FESTIVAL”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CREATIVE
INDUSTRY AND PERFORMING ARTS

House Resolution No. 2176, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND
COMMENDING GIGIL FOR WINNING
BRONZE AT THE 2021 CANNES LIONS
FESTIVAL OF CREATIVITY”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CREATIVE
INDUSTRY AND PERFORMING ARTS

House Resolution No. 2177, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING
AND COMMENDING THE MANILA
SYMPHONY JUNIOR ORCHESTRA FOR
WINNING GOLD AT THE 2021 VIENNA
MUSIC FESTIVAL”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CREATIVE
INDUSTRY AND PERFORMING ARTS

House Resolution No. 2178, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR
FILIPINO ARCHITECTS AND DESIGNERS
SHORTLISTED FOR THE WORLD
ARCHITECTURE FESTIVAL 2021 AND
THE WORLD FESTIVAL OF INTERIORS
2021 AND CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
WINNERS OF WAFX 2021”

By Representative Vargas
TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CREATIVE
INDUSTRY AND PERFORMING ARTS

House Resolution No. 2179, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE
PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE
DEMISE OF FORMER LAS PIÑAS MAYOR
VERGEL ‘NENE’ AGUILAR”

By Representative Tambunting
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2180, entitled:

“RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE HOUSE
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
AND COMMITTEE ON BASIC
EDUCATION AND CULTURE TO
CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF
LEGISLATION, ON THE ALLOCATION
AND DISTRIBUTION OF LAPTOPS
UNDER REPUBLIC ACT 11494 OR THE
BAYANIHAN TO RECOVER AS ONE ACT”

By Representatives Castro (F.L.), Zarate, Gaité,
Cullamat, Brosas and Elago
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2181, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMISSION
ON ELECTIONS TO REVIEW THE
AMOUNTS OF HONORARIA AND
ALLOWANCES GRANTED TO PUBLIC
SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER
PERSONS RENDERING ELECTION
SERVICE PURSUANT TO SECTION 4 OF
REPUBLIC ACT 10756 OR THE *ELECTION
SERVICE REFORM ACT*”

By Representatives Castro (F.L.), Zarate, Gaité,
Cullamat, Brosas and Elago
TO THE COMMITTEE ON SUFFRAGE AND
ELECTORAL REFORMS

House Resolution No. 2182, entitled:

“RESOLUTION URGING THE HOUSE
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
AND COMMITTEE ON BASIC
EDUCATION AND CULTURE TO
CONDUCT AN URGENT INVESTIGATION
IN AID OF LEGISLATION INTO THE
LAPSES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION IN THE UTILIZATION OF
FUNDS FOR THE BASIC EDUCATION
LEARNING CONTINUITY PLAN, AND
OTHER OBSERVATIONS OF THE 2020
ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT RELEASED BY
THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT”

By Representatives Castro (F.L.), Zarate, Gaité,
Cullamat, Brosas and Elago
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

House Resolution No. 2184, entitled:

“RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION BY THE PROPER COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING THE OVERPRICED PROCUREMENT OF GROCERY PACKS BY THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT”

By Representative Defensor (M.)
TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Crisologo, Bagatsing, Savellano, Lim, Tambunting, Legarda, Singson-Meehan, Escudero, Castelo, Sangcopan, Co (A.N.), Taduran, Quimbo, Suntay, Vargas, Bautista, Belmonte, Rodriguez, Ong (R.), Baronda, Eriguel, Robes, Vergara, Arenas, Elago, Nieto, Tiangco, Sagarbarria and Go (M.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

COMMUNICATIONS

House Resolution No. 2185, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE PASSING OF MS. VENUS REYES-NAVALTA”

By Representatives Velasco, de Venecia, Benitez, Delos Santos, Bolilia, Santos-Recto, Revilla, Alonte, Barba, Maceda, Macapagal Arroyo, Crisologo, Bagatsing, Savellano, Lim, Tambunting, Legarda, Singson-Meehan, Escudero, Castelo, Sangcopan, Co (A.N.), Taduran, Quimbo, Suntay, Vargas, Bautista, Belmonte, Rodriguez, Ong (R.), Baronda, Eriguel, Robes, Vergara, Arenas, Elago, Nieto, Tiangco, Sagarbarria and Go (M.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Letters dated July 9, 2021 of Rebecca A. Ynares, Provincial Governor, Province of Rizal, submitting to the House of Representatives copies of their Reports on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Bayanihan Grant to Provinces for the months of February, March, April and May 2021, including copies of certifications that the same were posted on their official website (www.rizalprovince.ph).
TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letters dated July 13, 2021 of Albert S. Garcia, Provincial Governor, Province of Bataan, submitting to the House of Representatives the following reports for the quarter ending June 30, 2021:

1. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation under the Financial Assistance to Local Government Units Charged Against the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund;
2. Reports on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund; and
3. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund – Disaster Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Assistance Program.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

House Resolution No. 2186, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE PASSING OF MR. RAMON HOLIFEÑA”

By Representatives Velasco, de Venecia, Benitez, Delos Santos, Bolilia, Santos-Recto, Revilla, Alonte, Barba, Maceda, Macapagal Arroyo, Crisologo, Bagatsing, Savellano, Lim, Tambunting, Legarda, Singson-Meehan, Escudero, Castelo, Sangcopan, Co (A.N.), Taduran, Quimbo, Suntay, Vargas, Bautista, Belmonte, Rodriguez, Ong (R.), Baronda, Eriguel, Robes, Vergara, Arenas, Elago, Nieto, Tiangco, Sagarbarria and Go (M.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Letter dated July 14, 2021 of Mary Therese P. Sitoy - CHO, MDMG, EDL, Mayor, Municipality of Cordova, Province of Cebu, furnishing the House of Representatives with a copy of their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund for the quarter ending June 30, 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

House Resolution No. 2187, entitled:

“A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE PASSING OF MS. VIRGINA MORENO”

By Representatives Velasco, de Venecia, Benitez, Delos Santos, Bolilia, Santos-Recto, Revilla, Alonte, Barba, Maceda, Macapagal Arroyo,

Email dated July 16, 2021 of Laila T. Ramirez, Administrative Officer I, Provincial Treasurer’s

Office, Province of Laguna, forwarding to the House of Representatives a copy of their Quarterly Financial Report of Operations for the quarter ending June 30, 2021 of the Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement under the Local Government Support Fund, attested by Ramil L. Hernandez, Provincial Governor.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Email dated July 16, 2021 of Engr. Anthony L. Orozco, Regional Coordinator, CMGP – Region XIII, forwarding to the House of Representatives copies of their Quarterly Financial Report of Operations of FY 2019 Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement (CMGP) and Quarterly Financial and Physical Reports of Operations of FY 2020 CMGP under the Local Government Support Fund for the quarter ending June 30, 2021, attested by Santiago B. Cane, Jr., Provincial Governor, Province of Agusan del Sur.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Email dated July 16, 2021 of Engr. Anthony L. Orozco, Regional Coordinator, CMGP – Region XIII, forwarding to the House of Representatives copies of the following reports for the quarter ending June 30, 2021:

1. Quarterly Physical Report of Operations of the Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement (CMGP) under the Local Government Support Fund, attested by Aimee A. Jimeno, DVM, Provincial Administrator Designate, Province of Dinagat Islands; and
2. Quarterly Financial Report of Operations of the Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement (CMGP) under the Province of Dinagat Islands Support Fund, attested by Arlene J. Bag-ao, Provincial Governor, Province of Dinagat Islands.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 16, 2021 of Ramon M. Lopez, Secretary, Department of Trade and Industry and Chairperson, Export Development Council, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of their Consolidated 1st and 2nd Quarter Report for 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Letter dated July 19, 2021 of Preciliano M. Ruiz, MNSA, Municipal Mayor, Municipality of San Antonio, Province of Zambales, informing the House of Representatives that their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund – Disaster Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Assistance Program for the quarter ending June 30, 2021 was posted on their website.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 21, 2021 of Rebecca A. Ynares, Provincial Governor, Province of Rizal, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Bayanihan Grant to Provinces for the month of June 2021, including a copy of certification that the same was posted on their official website (www.rizalprovince.ph).

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Email dated July 22, 2021 from the PPDO Nueva Vizcaya, furnishing the House of Representatives with a copy of their Report on CMGP 2020 Status on Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund as of June 30, 2021, attested by Carlos M. Padilla, Provincial Governor.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 22, 2021 of Mario O. Salvador, City Mayor, City of San Jose, Province of Nueva Ecija, informing the House of Representatives that the following reports for the quarter ending June 30, 2021 were posted on their website and in three (3) conspicuous public places in their locality on July 22, 2021:

1. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund – COVID-19 Financial Assistance to Local Government Units;
2. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation under the Financial Assistance to Local Government Units Charged Against the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund;
3. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund – Assistance to Cities for FY 2019; and

4. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund – Disaster Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Assistance Program for FY 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 22, 2021 of Janice G. Ayson-Zales, Deputy Director, Office of the General Counsel and Legal Services, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP), transmitting to the House of Representatives duly certified copies of the following BSP issuances:

1. Memorandum No. M-2021-041 dated 21 July 2021; and
2. Memorandum No. M-2021-040 dated 16 July 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES

Email dated July 23, 2021 of Laila T. Ramirez, Administrative Officer I, Provincial Treasurer's Office, Province of Laguna, forwarding to the House of Representatives a copy of their Quarterly Physical Report of Operations for the quarter ending June 30, 2021 of the Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement under the Local Government Support Fund, attested by Ramil L. Hernandez, Provincial Governor.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 23, 2021 of Maria Anthonette C. Velasco-Allones, Chief Operating Officer, Tourism Promotions Board Philippines, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of their 2020 Annual Report, entitled, "Pivoting Through the Pandemic."

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM

Letter dated July 27, 2021 of Janice G. Ayson-Zales, Deputy Director, Office of the General Counsel and Legal Services, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP), transmitting to the House of Representatives duly certified copies of the following BSP issuances:

1. Circular Letter No. CL-2021-060 dated 27 July 2021;
2. Circular Letter No. CL-2021-059 dated 23 July 2021; and
3. Circular Letter No. CL-2021-058 dated 22 July 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES

Email dated July 27, 2021 of Antonieta Delos Santos, PEO-Pangasinan, forwarding to the House of Representatives a copy of their Quarterly Financial Report of Operations for the quarter ending June 30, 2021 of the Conditional Matching Grant to Provinces for Road Repair, Rehabilitation and Improvement under the Local Government Support Fund, attested by Amado I Espino III, Provincial Governor.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 27, 2021 of Jeri Mae E. Calderon, Municipal Mayor, Municipality of Angono, Province of Rizal, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of a Written Notice notifying that their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation under the Financial Assistance to Local Government Units Charged Against the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund for the month of June 2021 was posted on their website and in three (3) conspicuous public places in their locality.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 27, 2021 of Atty. Rolan C. Paulino, Jr., City Mayor, City of Olongapo, notifying the House of Representatives that their Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund for the month of June 2021 was posted on their website.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 28, 2021 of Cecilia C. Borromeo, President and CEO, Land Bank of the Philippines, submitting to the House of Representatives a copy of their Report on the Utilization of Funds for the Unconditional Cash Transfer Program (2nd Qtr-CY 2021).

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letters dated July 27, 2021 of Lillian Yu-Lozada, CPA, Municipal Mayor, Municipality of Cagwait, Province of Surigao del Sur, notifying the House of Representatives that the following reports for the quarters ending March 31, 2021 and June 30, 2021 were posted in their municipal lobby and on their official website www.cagwait.gov.ph on July 28, 2021:

1. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund – Assistance to Municipalities;

2. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project/Activity Implementation of the Bayanihan Grant to Local Government Units; and
3. Report on Fund Utilization and Status of Program/Project Implementation of the Local Government Support Fund.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Letter dated July 28, 2021 of Jose Miguel R. De La Rosa, Undersecretary, Corporate Affairs Group, National Economic and Development Authority, notifying the House of Representatives that their Quarterly Physical Report of Operations or Budget Accountability Report No. 1 as of June 30, 2021 was submitted through the Department of Budget and Management's Unified Reporting System and uploaded to their Transparency Seal web page on July 28, 2021.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Report dated August 31, 2021 of Honorable Mark Llandro "Dong" L. Mendoza, Secretary General, House of Representatives, on copies of the following enrolled bills which were transmitted to the Office of the President, for His Excellency's consideration and signature, pursuant to Section 18(h), Rule VI of the Rules of the House of Representatives:

1. Consolidated version of House Bill No. 5777 and Senate Bill No. 2232, entitled:
"AN ACT TAXING PHILIPPINE OFFSHORE GAMING OPERATIONS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 22, 25, 27, 28, 106, 108, AND ADDING NEW SECTIONS 125-A AND 288(G) OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"; and
2. Consolidated version of House Bill No. 7406 and Senate Bill No. 1832, entitled:
"AN ACT STRENGTHENING AND MODERNIZING THE BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR".

SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM

Pursuant to Section 154, Rule XXIV of the Rules of the House of Representatives transmitting the Subpoena Duces Tecum dated July 1, 2021, issued by Medwin S. Dizon, Director, Preliminary Investigation, Administrative Bureau-A, Field

Investigation Office I, Office of the Ombudsman, re: Case No. OMB-C-C-18-0293, directing Annabelle C. Hufanda, Officer-in-Charge, Human Resource Management Service, House of Representatives, to submit to the Office of the Ombudsman, thru its Central Records Division, located at the 2nd floor, Ombudsman Annex Building, Agham Road, Diliman, Quezon City, within five (5) days from receipt hereof, certified true copy of the latest and updated Civil Service Commission (CSC) Form 212 (Personal Data Sheet) and Service Record of former Representative Fatima Aliah Q. Dimaporo.

Pursuant to Section 154, Rule XXIV of the Rules of the House of Representatives transmitting the Subpoena Duces Tecum dated August 10, 2021, issued by Maria Olivia Elena A. Roxas, Supervising Director, LSC Case Build-Up Teams, Office of the Ombudsman re: Case No. FF-C-21-0054, directing Honorable Mark Llandro L. Mendoza, Secretary General, House of Representatives, to submit to the General Investigation Bureau – C, Field Investigation Office I (GIB-C, FIO I), 4th floor, Ombudsman Annex Building, Agham Road, Diliman, Quezon City, within five (5) days from receipt hereof, the (1) Latest Personal Data Sheet; and (2) Sworn Statement of Assets, Liabilities, and Networth (SALN) of:

1. Former Representative Arthur F. Celeste from C.Y. 2001 up to 2010;
2. Former Representative Jesus F. Celeste from C.Y. 2010 up to 2019; and
3. Representative Arnold F. Celeste from C.Y. 2019 up to present.

PRIVILEGE HOUR

With the permission of the Speaker and the unanimous consent of the Members, on motion of Representative Bolilia, there being no objection, the Chair declared a Privilege Hour.

Upon Representative Bolilia's subsequent motion, the Chair recognized Deputy Speaker Loren Legarda for her privilege speech through Zoom.

PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF DEPUTY SPEAKER LEGARDA

Deputy Speaker Legarda spoke about the state of the environment amidst the pandemic. Initially, she pointed out that the pandemic had affected the life,

economy, and health of all peoples and countries. She then explained how the climate crisis was real and how its impact was becoming more frequent and severe, if not irreversible, given the fact that global warming was reaching the threshold level of 1.5 degrees Celsius.

She subsequently stressed why the Philippines and the world must put greater emphasis on adaptation by, among others, investing in renewable energy, providing social protection for farmers and fisherfolk affected by recurring weather extremes, promoting green infrastructure, and establishing health emergency management systems.

She also emphasized the need to pass pertinent laws such as the Philippine Ecosystem and Natural Capital Accounting System Bill that she had filed; and to redirect the national budget for climate change adaptation, nature-based solutions, small-scale outdoor tourism, and food and water security, and self-reliance.

In conclusion, she opined that the economy and all of society are fully and entirely dependent on natural resources; and that the only pandemic recovery that will serve the last, the least, and the lost will be one attuned to the climate pathway.

REFERRAL OF PRIVILEGE SPEECH OF DEPUTY SPEAKER LEGARDA

On motion of Representative Bolilia, there being no objection, the Body referred Deputy Speaker Legarda's privilege speech to the Committee on Rules for its appropriate action.

TERMINATION OF PRIVILEGE HOUR

On motion of Representative Bolilia, there being no objection, the Body terminated the Privilege Hour.

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

On an omnibus motion of Representative Bolilia, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House Bills calendared under the Business for Thursday and Friday contained in various committee reports as submitted by the committees indicated hereunder; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the records of the House, as

copies thereof had been previously distributed to the Members; adopted the Explanatory Notes of the Bills as the sponsorship remarks on the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate in the absence of interpellations; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of committee and individual amendments; and approved the measures on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting:

Submitted by the Committees on Aquaculture and Fisheries Resources, and Appropriations:

1. House Bill No. 9933 contained in Committee Report No. 1104, establishing a multi-species marine hatchery in Calbayog City, Samar;
2. House Bill No. 9934 contained in Committee Report No. 1105, establishing a mangrove crab hatchery in Geartag, San Jose, Northern Samar;
3. House Bill No. 9935 contained in Committee Report No. 1106, establishing a multi-species marine hatchery in the Island Garden City of Samal, Davao del Norte;
4. House Bill No. 9936 contained in Committee Report No. 1107, establishing a multi-species marine hatchery in Basey, Samar;
5. House Bill No. 9937 contained in Committee Report No. 1108, establishing inland freshwater fish hatcheries in Carmen and Braulio E. Dujali, Davao del Norte;
6. House Bill No. 9938 contained in Committee Report No. 1109, establishing a freshwater fish hatchery in Bombon, Camarines Sur;
7. House Bill No. 9939 contained in Committee Report No. 1110, establishing a multi-species marine hatchery in Tibiao, Antique;
8. House Bill No. 9940 contained in Committee Report No. 1111, establishing a central multi-species marine hatchery in San Jose, Occidental Mindoro;
9. House Bill No. 9941 contained in Committee Report No. 1112, establishing a technology verification station with tilapia and freshwater prawn hatcheries in Sto. Domingo, Nueva Ecija;

10. House Bill No. 9942 contained in Committee Report No. 1113, establishing multi-species marine hatchery in Barangay Binukawan, Bagac, Bataan;

Submitted by the Committees on Health, and Appropriations:

11. House Bill No. 9980 contained in Committee Report No. 1125, establishing the San Jose Del Monte Mental Wellness Center in San Jose Del Monte City, Bulacan;
12. House Bill No. 10013 contained in Committee Report No. 1151, increasing the bed capacity of the Davao Regional Medical Center in Tagum City, Davao del Norte from 600 to 1,000 beds;
13. House Bill No. 10014 contained in Committee Report No. 1152, increasing the bed capacity of the Eastern Pangasinan District Hospital in Tayug, Pangasinan from 150 to 250 beds;
14. House Bill No. 10055 contained in Committee Report No. 1156, converting La Paz District Hospital in La Paz, Abra, into La Paz General Hospital;

Submitted by the Committee on Local Government:

15. House Bill No. 9971 contained in Committee Report No. 1122, dividing Barangay Pasong Putik in Quezon City into three distinct and independent barangays to be known as Barangay Pasong Putik Proper, Barangay Greater Lagro, and Barangay North Fairview;
16. House Bill No. 10060 contained in Committee Report No. 1158, creating Barangay Poblacion B in M'lang, Cotabato;

Submitted by the Committee on Natural Resources:

17. House Bill No. 10003 contained in Committee Report No. 1146, reclassifying as agricultural land a parcel of land of the public domain in Ozamiz City, Misamis Occidental;
18. House Bill No. 10004 contained in Committee Report No. 1147, reclassifying

as agricultural land parcels of land of the public domain in Don Victoriano, Misamis Occidental;

Submitted by the Committees on Public Works and Highways, and Appropriations:

19. House Bill No. 9984 contained in Committee Report No. 1129, providing for the construction of a four-lane skyway in Davao City;
20. House Bill No. 9985 contained in Committee Report No. 1130, providing for the construction of a national highway from the junction of Linamon-Zamboanga Road traversing Sitio Bucana in Barangay Pigcarangan, Sitio Lamak and Sitio Aloha, in Barangays Poblacion, and Sagadan, all in Tubod, through Barangays Sagadan Baroy and Baroy Daku, in Baroy, through Barangays Raw-An, Gumagamot, Camalan, Pacita, Darumawang Matampay, Darumawang Illaya, and El Salvador, all in Lala, through Barangay Concepcion, and the junction of Linamon-Zamboanga National Road at Barangay Lapinigin in Kapatagan, Lanao del Norte;
21. House Bill No. 9986 contained in Committee Report No. 1131, providing for the construction of Balo-I Bypass Road national highway in Balo-I, Lanao del Norte;
22. House Bill No. 9988 contained in Committee Report No. 1132, mandating the construction of the Quezon-Bicol Expressway;

Submitted by the Committees on Tourism, and Appropriations:

23. House Bill No. 9951 contained in Committee Report No. 1117, declaring the immediate environs of the Saint Matthias Parish Church in Tumauni, Isabela, a tourism destination;
24. House Bill No. 9953 contained in Committee Report No. 1118, declaring the Buhi Lake in Buhi, and the Bato Lake in Bato, Camarines Sur, as ecotourism zones;
25. House Bill No. 9954 contained in Committee Report No. 1119, declaring the Sogod Zipline

along the vicinity of Agas-Agas Bridge in Barangay Kahupian, Sogod, Southern Leyte, a tourism destination;

26. House Bill No. 9975 contained in Committee Report No. 1123, declaring the Kapurpurawan Rock Formation in Burgos, Ilocos Norte, a tourism destination and providing for its development;
27. House Bill No. 9976 contained in Committee Report No. 1124, declaring the Municipality of Doña Remedios Trinidad, Bulacan, a tourism destination and providing for its development;
28. House Bill No. 9982 contained in Committee Report No. 1127, declaring the Pinandagatan Falls in Barangay New Tubigon, Sibagat, Agusan del Sur, an ecotourism site;
29. House Bill No. 9983 contained in Committee Report No. 1128, declaring the Basi Revolt Shrine in Piddig, Ilocos Norte, a tourism destination and providing for its development;
30. House Bill No. 9989 contained in Committee Report No. 1133, declaring Ilocos Sur a tourism development area;
31. House Bill No. 9999 contained in Committee Report No. 1143, identifying tourism development areas in Isabela, mandating support for tourism development, and creating the Isabela Tourism Council;
32. House Bill No. 10008 contained in Committee Report No. 1149, declaring the Maira-ira Cove, popularly known as the “Blue Lagoon”, in Pagudpud, Ilocos Norte, a tourism destination and providing for its development; and
33. House Bill No. 10009 contained in Committee Report No. 1150, declaring the Tau’t Bato Cave in Barangay Ransang, Rizal, Palawan, a tourism destination and providing for its development.

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.

Amihilda J. Sangcopan, there being no objection, the Body approved to refer the following House Resolutions to the appropriate committees indicated hereunder:

1. House Resolution No. 2073, on the state of the Philippine furniture industry – to the Committee on Trade and Industry;
2. House Resolution No. 2075, on the qualifications, research methodologies, partnerships, and composition of Octa Research Philippines – to the Committee on Good Government and Public Accountability;
3. House Resolution No. 2076, on the propriety of the increase in charges of Albany Power and Energy Corp. – to the Committee on Energy;
4. House Resolution No. 2081, on the accurate determination of fit-all, and the proper administration and timely disbursement of the fit-all fund (R.A. 9513, Renewable Energy Act of 2008) – to the Committee on Energy;
5. House Resolution No. 2082, on the brutal killing of Filipino Muslim online trader Nadia Casar – to the Committee on Public Order and Safety;
6. House Resolution No. 2102, on the institutional and administrative impediments preventing the timely release of the special risk allowance to health care workers – to the Committee on Health;
7. House Resolution No. 2103, on the steadily increasing prices of fertilizer – to the Committee on Agriculture and Food;
8. House Resolution No. 2112, on the information censorship methods of Facebook – to the Committee on Public Information;
9. House Resolution No. 2117, on the alleged exploitation of renowned Filipino tattoo artist Apo Whang-od – to the Special Committee on Creative Industry and Performing Arts;
10. House Resolution No. 2121, on the alleged failure of the Department of Health to disburse and utilize allocated and available

funds for the benefit of frontline healthcare workers under Republic Act No. 11494 – to the Committee on Health;

11. House Resolution No. 2123, on the propriety of the guidelines on the establishment, operation and maintenance of tollway service facilities of the Toll Regulatory Board – to the Committee on Transportation;
12. House Resolution No. 2129, on the grave inefficiency, gross incompetence and criminal negligence of the Department of Health – to the Committee on Public Accounts;
13. House Resolution No. 2131, on the proliferation of investment scams in the country – to the Committee on Trade and Industry;
14. House Resolution No. 2137, on the state of the Philippine publishing industry and other related industries – to the Special Committee on Creative Industry and Performing Arts;
15. House Resolution No. 2138, on the reported unpaid COVID-19 pandemic-related benefits to health workers – to the Committee on Health;
16. House Resolution No. 2148, on the issue of exploitation and commodification of the Kalinga culture of tattooing – to the Special Committee on Creative Industry and Performing Arts;
17. House Resolution No. 2154, on the procurement of COVID-19 vaccines by local government units and the private sector through the multi-party agreements – to the Committee on Health; and
18. House Resolution No. 2155, on the status of support pledges made to Mansueto “Onyok” Velasco and other national athletes – to the Committee on Youth and Sports Development.

REFERRAL OF SPEECHES ON INQUIRIES IN AID OF LEGISLATION

In accordance with the Rules Governing Inquiries in Aid of Legislation, on motion of

Rep. Xavier Jesus D. Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved to refer the following speeches delivered by the respective Members on August 23, 2021 to the appropriate committees indicated hereunder:

1. Alleged smuggling of red onions by Rep. Estrellita B. Suansing – to the Committee on Agriculture and Food;
2. “*Kahalagahan ng sariling wika sa panahon ng pandemya*” by Rep. France L. Castro – to the Committee on Basic Education and Culture; and
3. Encouraging the youth to register and vote in the upcoming elections by Rep. Sarah Jane I. Elago – to the Committee on Youth and Sports Development.

ADDITIONAL COAUTHORS

On motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body approved to include as additional coauthors of House Bill Nos. 9943, 9948, 9950, 9970, 9981, 9991 to 9998, 1007, 10015, 10021, 10022, 10057, and 10062, and House Resolution Nos. 1792 and 2168, the names of the Members contained in the list to be submitted by the Committee on Rules.

CHANGE OF REFERRAL OF HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2154

Likewise, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body changed the referral of House Resolution No. 2154 from the Committee on Health to the Committee on Economic Affairs.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Romualdo, the Chair suspended the session at 2:50 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 2:58 p.m.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS CALENDARED UNDER THE BUSINESS FOR THE DAY

On successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House

Bills calendared under the Business for the Day contained in various committee reports as submitted by the Committees on Justice, and Appropriations; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the records of the House, as copies thereof had been previously distributed to the Members, adopted the Explanatory Notes of the Bills as the sponsorship remarks on the measures, on motion of Representative Bolilia whom the Chair recognized to sponsor the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate in the absence of interpellations; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of committee and individual amendments; and approved the House Bills on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Bill No. 9991 contained in Committee Report No. 1135, creating two (2) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court in the Seventh Judicial Region to be stationed in Candijay and Valencia, Bohol;
2. House Bill No. 9992 contained in Committee Report No. 1136, creating two (2) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court in the Fifth Judicial Region to be stationed in Labo, Camarines Norte;
3. House Bill No. 9993 contained in Committee Report No. 1137, creating two (2) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court in the Sixth Judicial Region to be stationed in the City of Passi, Iloilo;
4. House Bill No. 9994 contained in Committee Report No. 1138, creating three (3) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court in the Eleventh Judicial Region to be stationed in Davao City;
5. House Bill No. 9995 contained in Committee Report No. 1139, creating one (1) additional branch of the Regional Trial Court in the Tenth Judicial Region to be stationed in Plaridel, Misamis Oriental;
6. House Bill No. 9996 contained in Committee Report No. 1140, creating ten (10) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court and five (5) additional branches of the Municipal Trial Court in Cities in the Fourth Judicial Region to be stationed in the City of Antipolo, Rizal;

7. House Bill No. 9997 contained in Committee Report No. 1141, creating one (1) additional branch of the Municipal Trial Court in the First Judicial Region to be stationed in La Trinidad, Benguet;
8. House Bill No. 9998 contained in Committee Report No. 1142, creating four (4) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court in the Fourth Judicial Region to be stationed in the City of Bacoor, Cavite; and
9. House Bill No. 10007 contained in Committee Report No. 1148, augmenting the retirement, death, and survivorship benefits of the Solicitor General, Assistant Solicitors General, Senior State Solicitors, and State Solicitors of the Office of the Solicitor General.

**BUSINESS FOR THE DAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1153
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 10015**

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 10015 contained in Committee Report No. 1153 as submitted by the Committees on Youth and Sports Development, Appropriations, and Ways and Means.

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

“AN ACT DESIGNATING THE NATIONAL MUSIC COMPETITIONS FOR YOUNG ARTISTS AS THE NATIONAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR MUSIC, DEFINING ITS ROLE AND FUNCTIONS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.”

As copies of the Bill had been distributed to the Members, on motion of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body dispensed with the reading of the text of the measure without prejudice to its insertion into the records of the House.

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Romualdo, the Chair recognized Rep. Faustino

Michael Carlos T. Dy III, chairperson of the Committee on Youth and Sports Development, for his sponsorship speech via Zoom.

SPONSORSHIP SPEECH OF REPRESENTATIVE DY (F.M.C.)

In sponsoring House Bill No. 10015 or the National Music Competitions for Young Artists (NAMCYA) Act, Representative Dy stated that the proposed measure seeks to designate NAMCYA as the Philippine National Youth Development Program for Music which would develop young Filipino musical artists and talents, and promote Philippine music and culture.

Subsequently, he stressed the important role of NAMCYA in advancing the country's diverse musical heritage and thereafter called on his colleagues to approve House Bill No. 10015.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 10015

On successive motions of Representative Romualdo, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of sponsorship and debate in the absence of interpellations; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of committee and individual amendments; and approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 10015 through *viva voce* voting.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE RESOLUTION NOS. 1792 AND 2168

On successive motions of Representative Sangcopan, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the consideration of the following House Resolutions; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the records of the House, as copies thereof had been distributed to the Members; and unanimously adopted the same through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Resolution No. 1792, entitled: "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE TRANSPARENCY, ACCOUNTABILITY AND GOOD GOVERNANCE EXEMPLIFIED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT (DOLE) ON THE 2019 COA UNQUALIFIED AUDIT OPINION AND

THE INTERNATIONAL CITATIONS GARNERED BY THE TUPAD #BKBK PROGRAM"; and

2. House Resolution No. 2168, entitled: "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS TO ESTABLISH ADDITIONAL SATELLITE REGISTRATION CENTERS NATIONWIDE AND OVERSEAS."

RECOMMITMENT OF HOUSE BILL NO. 9930

Upon the request of the Committee on Natural Resources, through its chairperson Rep. Elpidio F. Barzaga Jr., and pursuant to the Rules of the House, on motion of Representative Sangcopan, there being no objection, the Body approved to recommit House Bill No. 9930 as embodied in Committee Report No. 953 to the said Committee.

BUSINESS FOR THE DAY: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1102 ON HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2068

On motion of Representative Sangcopan, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the consideration of the findings and recommendations contained in Committee Report No. 1102 as reported out by the Committee on Justice on House Resolution No. 2068, entitled:

"RESOLUTION DISMISSING THE COMPLAINT FOR IMPEACHMENT FILED BY MR. EDWIN M. CORDEVILLA AGAINST SUPREME COURT ASSOCIATE JUSTICE MARIO VICTOR F. LEONEN."

As copies of the Committee Report had been distributed to the Members, on motion of Representative Sangcopan, there being no objection, the Body dispensed with the reading of the text of the measure without prejudice to its insertion into the records of the House.

NOMINAL VOTING ON HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2068 TOGETHER WITH THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1102

Subsequently, Deputy Speaker Bondoc *motu proprio* directed the Secretary General to call the Roll for nominal voting on House Resolution No. 2068 pursuant to Section 12, Rule III of the Rules on Impeachment. Thereafter, a roll call vote was made.

RESULT OF THE VOTING

The result of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative:

Adiong	de Venecia
Advincula	Defensor (L.)
Agabas	Delos Santos
Aglipay	Deloso-Montalla
Aguinaldo	Dimaporo (A.)
Albano	Dimaporo (M.K.)
Almario	Duterte
Alonte	Dy (F.M.C.)
Alvarez (F.)	Ebcas
Alvarez (G.)	Ecleo
Amante-Matba	Elago
Angara	Eriguel
Aragones	Ermita-Buhain
Arroyo	Espina
Atienza	Estrella
Balindong	Fariñas (R.C.)
Barbers	Ferrer (J.M.)
Barzaga	Ferrer (L.)
Bascug	Flores
Bautista	Frasco
Belmonte	Fuentebella
Benitez	Gaite
Bolilia	Garcia (P.J.)
Bordado	Garcia (V.)
Bravo	Gato
Brosas	Geron
Bustos	Go (M.)
Cabochan	Gonzales (A.)
Cabredo	Gonzales (N.)
Cagas	Gonzalez
Calderon	Gorriceta
Calixto	Guico
Caminero	Gullas
Campos	Hernandez
Castro (F.L.)	Hofer
Cayetano (A.P.)	Javier
Cayetano (M.L.)	Kho (E.)
Celeste	Labadlabad
Chatto	Lacson
Chipeco	Lacson-Noel
Co (E.)	Lagman
Collantes	Lara
Cuaresma	Lazatin
Cueva	Legarda
Cullamat	Lim
Dagooc	Limkaichong
Daza	Lopez

Loyola	Salo
Lusotan	Sangcopan
Macapagal Arroyo	Santos-Recto
Maceda	Saulog
Madrona	Savellano
Mariano-Hernandez	Silverio
Martinez	Singson
Matugas	Singson-Meehan
Natividad-Nagaño	Sinsuat
Nieto	Suansing (E.)
Noel	Suansing (H.)
Nolasco	Suntay
Olivarez	Tallado
Ong (R.)	Tambunting
Ortega	Tejada
Ouano-Dizon	Tupas
Pacquiao (R.)	Ty (D.)
Padiernos	Umali (A.)
Paduano	Umali (M.V.)
Pancho	Ungab
Panotes	Valeriano
Peña	Valmayor
Plaza	Vargas
Puno	Velasco
Radaza	Veloso
Ramirez-Sato	Villafuerte
Revilla	Villanueva (E.)
Reyes	Villanueva (N.)
Rivera	Violago
Rodriguez	Yap (E.)
Romualdez (F.M.)	Yap (V.)
Romualdez (Y.M.)	Yu
Romualdo	Zamora (R.)
Romulo	Zamora (W.K.)
Salceda	Zarate
Salimbangon	

Negative:

Barba

Abstention:

Quimbo

With 165 affirmative votes, one negative vote, and one abstention, the Body adopted House Resolution No. 2068, together with the findings and recommendations contained in Committee Report No. 1102, dismissing the impeachment complaint filed against Supreme Court Associate Justice Mario Victor F. Leonen. (See also Appendix 2)

EXPLANATION OF VOTE OF REPRESENTATIVE ZARATE

Recognized by the Chair upon motion of Rep. Christopher V.P. de Venecia, Rep. Carlos Isagani T. Zarate at the outset stated that an impeachment complaint should be treated as an extraordinary means to make high officials accountable and thus should be used with utmost care and due diligence. In explaining his affirmative vote, he said that the impeachment complaint filed against Supreme Court Associate Justice Mario Victor F. Leonen did not comply with the requirements of the Rules as regards the authenticity of records and relevant jurisprudence as its basis. He added that the House should not allow itself to be weaponized for the sake of others' vested interest and that it should focus its efforts on more pressing matters.

ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION

Thereupon, on motion of Representative de Venecia, there being no objection, the Chair declared the session adjourned until two o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, September 6, 2021.

It was 3:50 p.m. of Wednesday, September 1, 2021.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing.


MARK LLANDRO "DONG" L. MENDOZA
Secretary General

Approved on September 7, 2021.

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ABU	CABATBAT	ELAGO
ABUEG-ZALDIVAR	CABOCHAN	ENVERGA
ABUNDA	CABREDO	ERICE
ACOSTA	CAGAS	ERIGUEL
ACOSTA-ALBA	CALDERON	ERMITA-BUHAIN
ADIONG	CALIXTO	ESCUDERO
** ADVINCULA	CAMINERO	ESPINA
AGABAS	CAMPOS	ESPINO
AGARAO	CANAMA	ESTRELLA
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AGUINALDO	CARDEMA	FARIÑAS I (R.C.)
ALBANO	CARI	FERNANDEZ
** ALMARIO	CASTELO	FERNANDO
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ALVAREZ (F.)	CASTRO (F.H.)	** FERRER (L.)
** ALVAREZ (G.)	CAYETANO (A.P.)	FLORES
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AMANTE-MATBA	CELESTE	FORTUNO
AMATONG	CHATTO	FRASCO
ANGARA	** CHIPECO	FUENTEBELLA
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ARROYO	COJUANGCO	GARCIA (P.J.)
ATIENZA	COLLANTES	GARCIA (V.)
AUMENTADO	CRISOLOGO	GARIN (J.)
BABASA	CUA	GARIN (S.)
BAGATSING	CUARESMA	GASATAYA
BALINDONG	CUEVA	GATCHALIAN
BAÑAS-NOGRALES	CULLAMAT	GATO
BARBA	DAGOOC	GERON
BARBERS	DALIPE	** GO (E.C.)
BARONDA	DALOG	GO (M.)
BARZAGA	DAZA	GONZAGA
BASCUG	DE JESUS	GONZALES (A.)
BAUTISTA	DE VENECIA	GONZALES (N.)
BAUTISTA-BANDIGAN	DEFENSOR (L.)	GONZALEZ
BELMONTE	DEFENSOR (M.)	GORRICETA
BENITEZ	DELOS SANTOS	GUICO
BERNOS	DELOSO-MONTALLA	GULLAS
BIAZON	DIMAPORO (A.)	GUYA
BILLONES	DIMAPORO (M.K.)	** HARESCO
BIRON	DUAVIT	HATAMAN
BOLILIA	DUJALI	HERNANDEZ
BONDOC	DUTERTE	HERRERA-DY
BORDADO	DY (F.)	HOFER
BRAVO	DY (F.M.C.)	JALOSJOS

JAVIER	PACQUIAO (A.)	SUNTAY
JIMENEZ	PACQUIAO (R.)	SY-ALVARADO
KHO (E.)	PADIERNOS	TADURAN
KHO (W.)	PADUANO	TALLADO
KHONGHUN	PALMA	TAMBUNTING
LABADLABAD	PANCHO	TAN (A.S.)
LACSON	PANOTES	TAN (A.)
LACSON-NOEL	PEÑA	TAN (SAMIER)
LAGMAN	PICHAY	TAN (S.A.)
LAGON	PIMENTEL	TAN (SHERNEE)
LARA	PINEDA	TEJADA
LAZATIN	PLAZA	TEVES (A.)
LEACHON	PUNO	TEVES (J.)
LEGARDA	QUIMBO	TIANGCO
LIM	RADAZA	TOLENTINO
LIMKAICHONG	RAMIREZ-SATO	TORRES-GOMEZ
LOPEZ	REMULLA	TULFO
LOYOLA	REVILLA	TUPAS
LUSOTAN	REYES	TUTOR
MACAPAGAL ARROYO	RIVERA	TY (A.)
MACEDA	ROBES	TY (D.)
MADRONA	RODRIGUEZ	UMALI (A.)
MALAPITAN	ROMAN	UMALI (M.V.)
MANGAOANG	ROMERO	UNABIA
MANGUDADATU	ROMUALDEZ (F.M.)	UNGAB
MARCOLETA	ROMUALDEZ (Y.M.)	UY (J.)
MARIANO-HERNANDEZ	ROMUALDO	UY (R.)
MARIÑO	ROMULO	VALERIANO
MARQUEZ	ROQUE	VALMAYOR
MARTINEZ	SACDALAN	VARGAS
MATBA	SAGARBARRIA	VARGAS ALFONSO
MATUGAS	SAKALURAN	VELASCO
MENDOZA	SALCEDA	VELOSO
MERCADO	SALIMBANGON	VERGARA
MOMO	SALO	VILLA
NATIVIDAD-NAGAÑO	SANCHEZ	VILLAFUERTE
NAVA	SANGCOPAN	VILLANUEVA (E.)
NIETO	SANTOS-RECTO	VILLANUEVA (N.)
** NOEL	SARMIENTO	VILLAR
NOGRALES (J.J.)	SAULOG	VILLARAZA-SUAREZ
NOGRALES (J.F.F.)	SAVELLANO	VILLARICA
NOLASCO	*** SIAO	** VIOLAGO
NUÑEZ-MALANYAON	SILVERIO	YAP (E.)
OAMINAL	SINGSON	YAP (V.)
OLIVAREZ	SINGSON-MEEHAN	YU
ONG (J.)	SINSUAT	** ZAMORA (R.)
ONG (R.)	SUANSING (E.)	ZAMORA (W.K.)
ORDANES	SUANSING (H.)	ZARATE
ORTEGA	SUAREZ (A.)	ZUBIRI
OUANO-DIZON	SUAREZ (D.)	

* Appeared after the Roll Call

** Section 71, Rule XI of the Rules of the House

(Attended committee meetings as authorized by the Committee on Rules/Attended meetings of the CA, HRET, or bicameral conference committees/
On official mission as approved by the Speaker)

*** Officially notified the House, through the Secretariat, of their absence

**** Absent without notice

(Subject to correction/s that may appear in the Annual Journal)

NOTES ON NOMINAL VOTING RESULTS

The votes of the following Members were received after the announcement of the voting results on several House Bills and Resolution which were declared approved on Third Reading on the dates indicated hereunder:

August 31, 2021:

1. House Bill No. 8895

Affirmative:

Dalipe	Baronda	Aragones	Tupas
Pacquiao (A.)	Zubiri	Macapagal Arroyo	Agabas
Gatchalian	Villa	Abellanos	Lagon
Lagman	Escudero	Bañas-Nogales	Barbers
Abueg-Zaldivar	Sinsuat	Hataman	Villar
Cua	Tan (Samier)	Puno	Villanueva (E.)
Biazon	Pineda	Dujali	Rivera

2. House Bill No. 9990

Affirmative:

Lagman	Escudero	Bañas-Nogales	Barbers
Abueg-Zaldivar	Sinsuat	Hataman	Villar
Cua	Tan (Samier)	Puno	Villanueva (E.)
Biazon	Pineda	Dujali	Rivera
Baronda	Aragones	Tupas	
Zubiri	Macapagal Arroyo	Agabas	
Villa	Abellanos	Lagon	

3. House Bill Nos. 9878 and 9917

Affirmative:

Zubiri	Pineda	Hataman	Lagon
Villa	Aragones	Puno	Barbers
Escudero	Macapagal Arroyo	Dujali	Villar
Sinsuat	Abellanos	Tupas	Villanueva (E.)
Tan (Samier)	Bañas-Nogales	Agabas	Rivera

4. House Bill Nos. 9885 and 9886

Affirmative:

Villa	Pineda	Bañas-Nogales	Tupas
Escudero	Aragones	Hataman	Agabas
Sinsuat	Macapagal Arroyo	Puno	Lagon
Tan (Samier)	Abellanos	Dujali	Barbers

Villar

Villanueva (E.)

Rivera

5. House Bill No. 9887

Affirmative:

Escudero
Sinsuat
Tan (Samier)
Pineda
Aragones

Macapagal Arroyo
Abellanosa
Bañas-Nogales
Hataman
Puno

Dujali
Tupas
Agabas
Lagon
Barbers

Villar
Villanueva (E.)
Rivera

September 1, 2021:

1. House Resolution No. 2068

Affirmative:

Tulfo
Hataman
Abellanosa
Sarmiento
Taduran
Gasataya
Ong (J.)
Lagon

Uy (R.)
Cua
Herrera-Dy
Tan (A.)
Acosta
Tutor
Castro (F.H.)
Nava

Acosta-Alba
Bernos
Mangaoang
Garcia (J.E.)
Gonzaga
Marquez
Bañas-Nogales
Espino

Dy (I.P.)
Tan (A.S.)
Vargas Alfonso
Jalosjos
Jimenez