



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 4957

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOFER, GO (M.), UNGAB AND NIETO, PER
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 53

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PROVINCIAL OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) IN THE
PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. There shall be established a provincial office of
2 the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) in the Province
3 of Zamboanga Sibugay, to be known as the CHED-Zamboanga
4 Sibugay Provincial Office, which shall exercise jurisdiction over
5 the said province and shall be headed by a provincial director.
6 The CHED-Zamboanga Sibugay Provincial Office shall be located in
7 the Municipality of Ipil, Province of Zamboanga Sibugay.

8 SEC. 2. Within sixty (60) days from the approval of this Act,
9 the CHED, in coordination with the Department of Budget and
10 Management (DBM), shall determine the organizational structure
11 and staffing pattern for the CHED-Zamboanga Sibugay Provincial
12 Office. The said organizational structure and staffing pattern shall
13 be submitted to the Chairperson of the CHED and the Secretary of
14 the DBM for approval.

1 SEC. 3. The Chairperson of the CHED shall immediately
2 include in the CHED's programs the operationalization of the
3 CHED-Zamboanga Sibugay Provincial Office.

4 SEC. 4. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of
5 this Act shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

6 SEC. 5. The CHED shall issue the necessary rules and
7 regulations for the effective implementation of this Act within sixty
8 (60) days from its approval.

9 SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
10 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general
11 circulation.

Approved,

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