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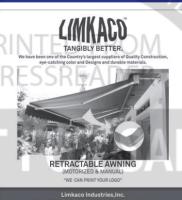
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# Clinton discloses millions in book royalties, speaking fees

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hillary Clinton is filing financial documents showing

that in 2015 she earned more than \$5 million in royalties from her book "Hard Choices" and about \$1.5 million in speaking fees before she launched her presidential campaign.

Clinton released her candidate financial disclosure form to the Federal Election Commission on Tuesday night. It shows that most of her personal wealth is held in a Vanguard



500 Index Fund and a separate JP Morgan Custody Account, both valued at \$5 million to \$25 million.

The form also shows that her husband, former President Bill Clinton, earned more than \$5 million in speaking fees in

Clinton filed after Republican Donald Trump put out financial documents describing his personal wealth at \$10 billion.

"security threats".

"These drills are routine ar-

"They do not target any

The ministry made a similar

rangements conducted according to annual training plans,"

the ministry said in a short

specific objective. Relevant indi-

viduals should not over-interpret

statement after state-media

broadcast footage of live-fire

military and landing drills just

days after the landslide Taiwan

election win in January by Tsai

made no mention of Taiwan in

the reports on the exercises,

though some Chinese domestic

media have hinted that the tim-

ing might be coordinated ahead

of Tsai's inauguration to deter

said the recent footage in Chi-

nese-state media of the drills

involved annual PLA exercises

and that it had "a grasp" of the situation, but declined to further

Taiwan's defense ministry

pro-independence moves.

Chinese state media have

and the DPP.

comment

statement on its website.

[them]," the ministry said.

# China says military drills ahead of **Taiwan inauguration** part of annual plan

China's Defense Ministry said recent military drills on its southeastern coast were annual exercises, after Chinese media had suggested they could have been timed ahead of Taiwan's inauguration of a new president from a pro-independence party.

China and self-ruled Taiwan underwent a rapprochement under the outgoing government which was run by China-friendly Nationalists. But ties have strained with the independenceleaning Democratic Progressive Party (DPP) and Tsai Ing-wen, who is set to be sworn in as president on Friday.

Chinese state media have reported that the People's Liberation Army (PLA) has carried out at least three landing exercises on the country's southeast coast since the beginning of May.

The largest drill was conducted in recent days by a regiment under the PLA's 31st Group Army, which is based in coastal Fujian province, across the strait from Taiwan, the official China Daily newspaper said on



Taiwanese Coast Guard Administration guard demonstrate a machine gun on the docks of the 3000-ton 'llan' patrol ship at East China Sea, near Pengjia Islet, the northern most island controlled by Taiwan, April 9, 2016. (Reuters)

# US Senate votes to allow 9/11 victims to sue Saudi Arabia

WASHINGTON (AFP) The US Senate approved legislation Tuesday that would allow September 11 victims and their relatives to sue Saudi Arabia over its possible role in the 2001 attacks, a bill which could trigger a diplomatic firestorm.

Senators unanimously approved the Justice Against Sponsors of Terrorism Act which now heads to the House of Representatives, where Speaker Paul Ryan has voiced

The White House has repeatedly stated that President Barack Obama, who visited the kingdom in April in a bid to soothe strained ties, opposes the law because it would essentially waive the doctrine of sovereign immunity.

humanitarian operations. Undermining immunity, he said, would put Americans working abroad at risk. The bill would allow 9/11

tional law regarding sovereign

immunity. And the president of

the United States continues to

harbor serious concerns that

this legislation would make

the United States vulnerable in

other court systems around the

world," White House spokes-

ed States was more engaged internationally "than any other

country in the world," par-

ticularly in peacekeeping and

He explained that the Unit

man Josh Earnest said.

families to pursue cases in federal court against foreign governments, notably Saudi Arabia, and demand compensation if such governments are

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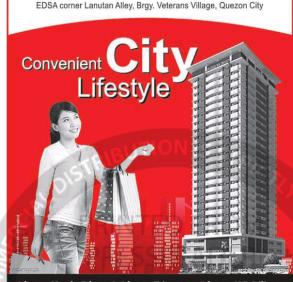




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Begun and held in Metro Manila, on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of July, two thousand fifteen.

## [ REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10814]

AN ACT DECLARING JUNE 23 OF EVERY YEAR AS A SPECIAL WORKING HOLIDAY AND NO CLASS DAY IN SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF BACOOR TO COMMEMORATE ITS ANNIVERSARY AS A CITY

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

SECTION 1. June 23 of every year is hereby declared as a special working holiday and no class day in schools in the City of Bacoor to commemorate its anniversary as a City.

SEC. 2. For work performed on a special working holiday, an employee is entitled to his/her regular wage

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers

FRANKLIN M. DRILON President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

This Act which originated in the House of Representatives was passed by the House of Representatives on March 10, 2014, amended by the Senate on December 14, 2015, and which amendments were concurred in by the House of Representatives on January 25, 2016.

OSCAR G. YABES Secretary of the Senate MARILYNAS. BARUA YAP Secretary General House of Representatives

Approved:

BENIGNO S. AQUINO III President of the Philippines

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# [REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10815]

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT CENTER IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF RIZAL, PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO TO BE KNOWN AS THE RIZAL, OCCIDENTAL MINDORO TESDA TRAINING AND ACCREDITATION CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

Section 1. Short Title. – This Act shall be known as the "Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation

SEC. 2. Establishment. - There is hereby established a Technical Education and Skills Development Center in the Municipality of Rizal, Province of Occidental Mindoro, under the supervision of the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), to be known as the Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center.

SEC. 3. General Mandate. — The Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center shall primarily provide technical-vocational training and skills development programs to students from low-income families and out-of-school youth in the Municipality of Rizal and adjacent municipalities in the Province of Occidental Mindoro. It shall also play a pivotal role in helping the students become productive, self-reliant and to develop into middle-level skilled labor force so as to hasten the social and economic development of Occidental Mindoro, as well as meet the needs of both local and international labor markets.

The Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center shall also serve as the assessment center for acquired competencies in technical-vocational skills in the whole Province of Occidental Mindoro. Further, as deemed necessary and practicable, in coordination with the Department of Education (DepED), it shall render relevant teachers' training assistance and curriculum design to the secondary schools offering technical-vocational education under the K to 12 Program of the DepED.

SEC. 4. Curricular Offerings. – The Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center shall offer short-term courses in preferred market-driven and relevant technical-vocational courses within its areas of specialization in consultation with the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) and such other relevant agencies, both local and international.

SEC. 5. School Site. – The Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center shall be established on a site in the Municipality of Rizal, Province of Occidental Mindoro, which is highly accessible pursuant to the purposes of this Act and to the mutual agreement between the TESDA and the concerned local government unit (LGU).

SEC. 6. Administration. - The Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center shall be headed by a Technical-Vocational Administrator under the supervision of the TESDA. The Technical-Vocational Administrator shall be appointed by the TESDA Director-

General in accordance with civil service rules and regulations and the qualification requirements of the TESDA.

The Technical-Vocational Administrator shall render full-time services and shall be responsible for the administration and operation of the Rizal, Occidental Mindoro TESDA Training and Accreditation Center.

SEC. 7. Appropriations. - The Director-General of the TESDA shall include in the Authority's program the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 8. Implementing Rules and Regulations. Within sixty (60) days after the effectivity of this Act, the TESDA, in coordination with the DOLE, the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), the concerned LGU, and such other relevant agencies, shall formulate and issue the necessary rules and regulations for the implementation

SEC. 9. Separability Clause. - If, for any reason, any section of this Act shall be deemed unconstitutional or invalid, the other sections or provisions hereof shall not be affected and shall thereby remain in force and effect.

SEC. 10. Repealing Clause. - All laws, executive orders, decrees, instructions, rules and regulations contrary to or inconsistent with any provision of this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly

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

FELICIANO BELMONTE J Speaker of the House of Representatives

This Act which originated in the House of Representatives was passed by the House of Representatives on October 9, 2015, amended by the Senate on February 1, 2016, and which amendment was concurred in by the House of Representatives on February 1, 2016.

OSCAR SABES Secretary of the Senate

MARILYN B. BARUA-Y AL Secretary General House of Representatives

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