

H. No. 5422  
S. No. 1807

Republic of the Philippines  
Congress of the Philippines  
Metro Manila  
Eighteenth Congress  
Second Regular Session

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

[ REPUBLIC ACT NO. **11502** ]

AN ACT DECLARING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER OF EVERY YEAR AS THE "NATIONAL COOPERATIVE MONTH"

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


SECTION 1. The month of October of every year is hereby declared as the "National Cooperative Month."


SEC. 2. The Cooperative Development Authority, in consultation with and in partnership with the cooperative development councils, cooperatives development officers, national and local federations and union of cooperatives, and other agencies of the government, shall conduct activities and programs that

promote the principles and values of cooperatives and encourage cooperative movement.


SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.


Approved,

  
VICENTE C. SOTTO III  
*President of the Senate*

  
LORD ALLAN JAY Q. VELASCO  
*Speaker of the House  
of Representatives*

This Act which is a consolidation of House Bill No. 5422 and Senate Bill No. 1807 was passed by the House of Representatives in a special session on October 16, 2020 and by the Senate of the Philippines on October 7, 2020.

  
MYRA MARIE D. VILLARICA  
*Secretary of the Senate*

  
JOCELIA BIGHANI C. SIPIN  
*Secretary General  
House of Representatives*

Approved: **DEC 16 2020**

  
RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE  
*President of the Philippines*

