



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 4863

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARESCO AND PRIMICIAS-AGABAS, PER COMMITTEE
REPORT NO. 1243

AN ACT DECLARING AUGUST 31 OF EVERY YEAR AS A SPECIAL
NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF AKLAN IN
COMMEMORATION OF THE BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF JAIME
CARDINAL L. SIN, ARCHBISHOP OF ILOILO AND MANILA, A
TRUE-BLOODED AKLANON AND AN ICON OF DEMOCRACY

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

1 SECTION 1. In recognition of the eminent and patriotic services of the
2 late Jaime Cardinal L. Sin, Archbishop of Iloilo and Manila, a true-blooded
3 Aklanon and an icon of democracy, August 31 of every year is hereby declared
4 a special nonworking holiday in the Province of Aklan to commemorate his
5 birth anniversary.

6 SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect, fifteen (15) days after its publication
7 in the *Official Gazette* or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,