



## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5937

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BY REPRESENTATIVE MELLANA, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1944

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AN ACT CONVERTING THE BUNAWAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BUNAWAN, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL SUR INTO A TERTIARY LEVEL I GENERAL HOSPITAL, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3152, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 1 of Republic Act No. 3152 is hereby amended to  
2 read as follows:

3                   “SECTION 1. [There shall be established, under the  
4 supervision of the Director of Medical Services, an] THE  
5 BUNAWAN emergency hospital in the Municipality of Bunawan,  
6 Province of Agusan[,] DEL SUR IS HEREBY CONVERTED INTO A  
7 TERTIARY LEVEL I GENERAL HOSPITAL to be known as the  
8 Bunawan [Emergency] GENERAL Hospital UNDER THE DIRECT  
9 TECHNICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPERVISION OF THE  
10 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.”

11           SEC. 2. There is hereby added a new Section 2 to the same Act to read  
12 as follows:

1                   **"SEC. 2. THE BED CAPACITY OF THE BUNAWAN**  
2                   **GENERAL HOSPITAL SHALL BE ONE HUNDRED (100)."**

3                   SEC. 3. Section 2 of the same Act is hereby renumbered as Section 3  
4 and amended to read as follows:

5                   **"SEC. [2]3. The Secretary of Health shall issue [such]**  
6                   **THE rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the**  
7                   **PURPOSES OF THIS ACT AND SHALL IMMEDIATELY INCLUDE IN THE**  
8                   **DEPARTMENT'S PROGRAMS THE OPERATIONALIZATION OF**  
9                   **THE BUNAWAN GENERAL HOSPITAL."**

10                  SEC. 4. Section 3 of the same Act is hereby renumbered as Section 4  
11 and amended to read as follows:

12                  **"SEC. [3]4. [The operation and maintenance of this**  
13                  **hospital shall be governed by the provisions of Republic Act**  
14                  **Numbered Nineteen hundred thirty-nine, otherwise known as the**  
15                  **Hospital Financing Act.] THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT**  
16                  **CONCERNED SHALL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE**  
17                  **BUNAWAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL UNTIL SUCH TIME THAT**  
18                  **THE FUNDS FOR THE UPGRADING AND OPERATIONALIZATION**  
19                  **OF THE BUNAWAN GENERAL HOSPITAL IS INCLUDED IN THE**  
20                  **ANNUAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT."**

21                  SEC. 5. Section 4 of the same Act is hereby renumbered as Section 5  
22 and amended to read as follows:

23                  **"SEC. [4]5. This Act shall take effect [upon its approval]**  
24                  **FIFTEEN (15) DAYS AFTER ITS PUBLICATION IN ANY**  
25                  **NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION."**

Approved,