



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5341

BY REPRESENTATIVES FLORES, TUPAS AND LIMKAICHONG

AN ACT CREATING THREE (3) ADDITIONAL REGIONAL TRIAL COURT BRANCHES IN THE PROVINCE OF BUKIDNON WITH TWO (2) SEATS TO BE STATIONED AT THE CITY OF MALAYBALAY AND ONE (1) SEAT AT THE CITY OF VALENCIA, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (K) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. Three (3) additional Regional Trial Court branches are
2 hereby created in the Tenth Judicial Region with two (2) seats at the City of
3 Malaybalay and one (1) seat at the City of Valencia.

4 The Supreme Court shall assign the branch number of the newly-created
5 branches of the Regional Trial Court in the Tenth Judicial Region.

6 SEC. 2. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in coordination with
7 the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall immediately include in the
8 Court's program the operationalization of three (3) additional branches of the

1 Regional Trial Court with two (2) seats to be stationed at the City of
2 Malaybalay and one (1) seat at the City of Valencia, the funding of which shall
3 be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

4 SEC. 3. Section 14(k) of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, otherwise known as
5 "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980", as amended, and all other laws,
6 rules and regulations which are inconsistent with this Act are hereby amended,
7 repealed or modified accordingly.

8 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete
9 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in two (2) newspapers of general
10 circulation.

Approved,

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