



## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6855

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BY REPRESENTATIVES PUNO, ACOP, TUPAS AND LIMKAICHONG, PER  
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 2632

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AN ACT CREATING AN ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES AND FIFTEEN (15) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT THE CITY OF ANTIPOLO, PROVINCE OF RIZAL, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (C) AND SECTION 29 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. One (1) additional branch of the Municipal Trial Court in  
2       Cities and fifteen (15) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court to be  
3       stationed at the City of Antipolo, Province of Rizal, with seats thereat, are  
4       hereby created in the Fourth Judicial Region.

5           SEC. 2. The Supreme Court shall assign the respective branch numbers  
6       of the courts herein created.

1           SEC. 3. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in coordination with  
2 the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall immediately include in the  
3 Court's program the implementation of this Act. The funding therefor shall  
4 likewise be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

5           SEC. 4. Sections 14(e) and 29 of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, otherwise  
6 known as "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980", as amended, as well as  
7 other provisions that may be inconsistent herewith, are hereby deemed  
8 repealed, modified and/or further amended.

9           SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete  
10 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in two (2) newspapers of general  
11 circulation.

Approved,

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