



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 4459

BY REPRESENTATIVES GO (A.F.) AND HERNANDEZ, PER COMMITTEE
REPORT NO. 222

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FISHERIES AND AQUATIC RESOURCES
CENTER IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LEBAK, PROVINCE OF
SULTAN KUDARAT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision of the
2 Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources of the Department of Agriculture, a
3 fisheries and aquatic resources center in the Municipality of Lebak, Province
4 of Sultan Kudarat.

5 SEC. 2. The Secretary of Agriculture shall include in the Department's
6 programs the establishment of the fisheries and aquatic resources center, the
7 funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.
8 The local government unit concerned shall set aside funds from any available
9 local revenue to fund its operationalization.

10 SEC. 3. The Department of Agriculture, through the Bureau of
11 Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, shall issue rules and regulations necessary to
12 carry out the purposes of this Act.

13 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication
14 in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,