



## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5478

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AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY  
STA. CRUZ IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAMPAKAN,  
PROVINCE OF SOUTH COTABATO

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

1           SECTION 1. *Creation of Barangay Sta. Cruz.* -- There is hereby  
2 created a barangay to be known as Barangay Sta. Cruz in the Municipality of  
3 Tampakan, Province of South Cotabato with metes and bounds as follows:

4	Boundaries	Lot No.	Cadastral	Barangay	Municipality
5	NE		Taplan River	Zulueta (Bo. 7)	Koronadal
6		373	Psd-11044419	Buto	Tampakan
7		372	Pls-17	Buto	Tampakan
8		371	Pls-17	Buto	Tampakan
9	NW		Barangay Road	Brgy. Magsaysay	Koronadal
10		396		Zulueta (Bo. 7)	Koronadal
11		397		Zulueta (Bo. 7)	Koronadal
12		327		Zulueta (Bo. 7)	Koronadal
13	SE	382	Pls-17	Buto	Tampakan
14		397	Pls-17	Poblacion	Tampakan
15		413	Pls-17	Poblacion	Tampakan
16		169	Pls-17	Poblacion	Tampakan

1	395-A	Pls-17	Poblacion	Tampakan
2	379	(LRC)-Psd 225671	Poblacion	Tampakan
3	SW	384	Poblacion	Tampakan

4       SEC. 2. *Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite.* – The plebiscite  
5 conducted and supervised by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC)  
6 pursuant to Provincial Ordinance No. 04, Series of 2001 of the Sangguniang  
7 Panlalawigan of the Province of South Cotabato which approved the creation  
8 of Barangay Sta. Cruz, and as proclaimed by the Board of Canvassers on  
9 June 30, 2003, shall serve as substantial compliance to the plebiscite  
10 requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended,  
11 otherwise known as the “Local Government Code of 1991”.

12       SEC. 3. *Barangay Officials.* – The incumbent elected barangay  
13 officials of Barangay Sta. Cruz, Municipality of Tampakan, Province of South  
14 Cotabato shall continue to hold office until such time that their successors have  
15 been duly elected and qualified.

16       SEC. 4. *Public Infrastructures and Facilities.* – All existing  
17 infrastructures and facilities for public use existing therein at the time of the  
18 approval of this Act are hereby transferred without cost or compensation to the  
19 new barangay and shall be administered by the same.

20       SEC. 5. *Internal Revenue Allotment Shares.* – Barangay Sta. Cruz  
21 shall be entitled to Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) shares pursuant to  
22 Section 285 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the  
23 “Local Government Code of 1991”.

24       SEC. 6. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after  
25 its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,