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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6110

BY REPRESENTATIVES DIMAPORO (I.) AND GARCIA (G.), PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 866

AN ACT DECLARING THE TINAGO FALLS AND ITS PREMISES LOCATED IN LINAMON, LANAO DEL NORTE PROVINCE AS AN ECOTOURISM SPOT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. The Tinago Falls and its premises located in Linamon, Lanao del Norte Province is hereby declared an ecotourism spot. As such, it shall be accorded priority development by the Department of Tourism (DOT), and shall be subject to the rules and regulations governing the development of ecotourism spots.

SEC. 2. The DOT, in coordination with the Tourism Infrastructure and Enterprise Zone Authority and other concerned agencies of the government, shall prepare, within one (1) year after the approval of this Act, a tourism development plan involving the construction, installation and/or maintenance of such appropriate facilities as shall encourage tourism in the area: *Provided*, That said development plan shall ensure the preservation of the natural beauty and historical significance thereof.

1	SEC. 3. The DOT shall take immediate steps to implement said
2	development plan and incorporate the same in its tourism development
3	program for the ensuing calendar year.
4	SEC. 4. The DOT shall likewise promulgate the necessary rules and
5	regulations for the proper implementation of this Act.
6	SEC. 5. The Secretary of the DOT shall include in the Department's
7	program the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included
8	in the annual General Appropriations Act and internally generated funds of the
9	DOT.
10	SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication
11	in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.
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