



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6688

BY REPRESENTATIVES RELAMPAGOS AND PRIMICIAS-AGABAS,
PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 483

AN ACT DECLARING JULY 4 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL
NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE ENTIRE PROVINCE
OF BOHOL, TO BE KNOWN AS "FRANCISCO DAGOHOY
DAY" IN HONOR OF FRANCISCO DAGOHOY, A NATIVE
OF BOHOL AND LEADER OF THE LONGEST PHILIPPINE
REVOLT ON RECORD THAT LASTED FOR
EIGHTY-FIVE (85) YEARS DURING THE SPANISH ERA

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

1 SECTION 1. July 4 of every year is hereby declared a special
2 nonworking holiday in the entire Province of Bohol, to be known as
3 "Francisco Dagohoy Day" in honor of Francisco Dagohoy, a native of
4 Bohol and leader of the longest Philippine revolt on record that
5 lasted for eighty-five (85) years during the Spanish era.

6 SEC. 2. The Department of Education Regional Office shall
7 plan and implement activities for the holiday and ensure that
8 Francisco Dagohoy's legacy of courage and patriotism is given
9 emphasis so as to encourage the youth to continue the good values
10 and patriotism demonstrated by Francisco Dagohoy.

1 Moreover, to ensure a meaningful observance of the holiday as
2 herein declared, all heads of local government units and
3 instrumentalities, including government-owned and -controlled
4 corporations, and employers in the private sector shall encourage
5 and afford sufficient time and opportunities for their employees to
6 engage and participate in any activity conducted within the
7 premises of their respective offices or establishments to celebrate
8 the "Francisco Dagohoy Day".

9 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
10 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general
11 circulation.

 Approved,

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