



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8206

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BY REPRESENTATIVES GONZALEZ, SY-ALVARADO AND NIETO, PER  
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 852

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AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF LA MEDALLA FROM  
BARANGAY CARATAGAN IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PIO  
DURAN, PROVINCE OF ALBAY, AND CONSTITUTING IT  
INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO  
BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY LA MEDALLA

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

1 SECTION 1. The sitio of La Medalla is hereby separated from  
2 Barangay Caratagan in the Municipality of Pio Duran, Province of  
3 Albay, and constituted as a distinct and independent barangay to be  
4 known as Barangay La Medalla.

5 SEC. 2. The territorial boundaries of Barangay La Medalla  
6 are described as follows:

7	LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
8	Tie Point-BBM 11	N 38°27' W	481.62 meters
9	BBM 11 – BBM 12	S 45°41' W	995.71 meters
10	BBM 12 – BBM 16	S 61°16' W	1,836.35 meters
11	BBM 16 – BBM 65	N 03°11' E	2,820.17 meters
12	BBM 65 – BBM 17	S 43°22' E	2,679.41 meters

1           BBM 17 – BBM 18       S 43°51' W       160.23 meters

2           BBM 18 – BBM 11       S 24°58' E       1,036.33 meters

3           SEC. 3. The plebiscite conducted and supervised by the  
4 Commission on Elections (COMELEC) in Barangay Caratagan  
5 pursuant to Provincial Ordinance No. 09-93, Series of 1993 of the  
6 Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Albay which ratified  
7 the creation of Barangay La Medalla as proclaimed by the Plebiscite  
8 Board of Canvassers on November 21, 1993 shall serve as  
9 substantial compliance with the plebiscite requirement under  
10 Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known  
11 as the "Local Government Code of 1991".

12           SEC. 4. The incumbent elected barangay officials of Barangay  
13 La Medalla shall continue to hold office until such time that their  
14 successors have been duly elected and qualified.

15           SEC. 5. All public infrastructure and facilities for public use  
16 existing therein at the time of the approval of this Act are hereby  
17 transferred without cost or compensation to and shall be  
18 administered by the new Barangay La Medalla.

19           SEC. 6. Barangay La Medalla shall be entitled to Internal  
20 Revenue Allotment (IRA) share pursuant to Section 285 of Republic  
21 Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the "Local  
22 Government Code of 1991".

23           SEC. 7. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its  
24 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general  
25 circulation.

Approved,

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