



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8247

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLAFUERTE AND NOGRALES (K.A.), PER
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 864

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF
WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF PAMPLONA IN THE PROVINCE OF
CAMARINES SUR, TO BE KNOWN AS THE BICOL
WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, 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 direct
2 supervision of the Secretary of the Department of Health, a women's
3 and children's hospital in the Municipality of Pamplona in the
4 Province of Camarines Sur, to be known as the Bicol Women's and
5 Children's Hospital. It shall be authorized to operate a two hundred
6 (200)-bed capacity hospital dedicated to women's and children's
7 health requirements.

8 SEC. 2. The hospital shall specialize on the care of women
9 and children and shall focus on women and children health care,
10 prenatal testing, obstetrics and gynecological services, pediatrics

1 care, lactation programs, nutrition services, neonatal care,
2 immunization services, postpartum depression support, education
3 classes for parenting, and women's and children's health awareness.

4 SEC. 3. The Provincial Government of Camarines Sur shall
5 provide funding for the establishment and operation of the Bicol
6 Women's and Children's Hospital. The Secretary of Health shall
7 include in the Department's subsidy program, support for the
8 capital outlay of the said hospital.

9 SEC. 4. 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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