



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8660

BY REPRESENTATIVES MERCADO, LEACHON, ZAMORA (M.C.), VELOSO, LOYOLA, AQUINO-MAGSAYSAY, SY-ALVARADO, AGGABAO, TEJADA, DUAVIT, DEL MAR, LOBREGAT, HOFER, ALMONTE, CALIXTO-RUBIANO, GONZALEZ, RAMOS, VILLARICA, ABELLANOSA, MANGAOANG, BULUT-BEGTANG, YU, MARQUEZ, GASATAYA, ENVERGA, YAP (M.), UNGAB, BATAOIL, SILVERIO, UY (J.), CANAMA, LACSON, GO (M.), BROSAS, LAGMAN, CAMINERO, MONTORO, ALEJANO, MARIÑO AND VIOLAGO, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 960

AN ACT CREATING ONE (1) ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT FOR THE CITY OF MAASIN, PROVINCE OF SOUTHERN LEYTE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 29 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED

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

1 SECTION 1. One (1) additional branch of the Municipal Trial
2 Court for the City of Maasin, Province of Southern Leyte is hereby
3 created.

4 The Supreme Court shall assign the branch number for the
5 newly created branch of the Municipal Trial Court.

1 SEC. 2. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in
2 coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall
3 immediately include in the Court's program the operationalization
4 of the additional branch of the Municipal Trial Court for the City of
5 Maasin, Province of Southern Leyte, the funding of which shall be
6 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

7 SEC. 3. Section 29 of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, otherwise
8 known as "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980", as amended,
9 and all other laws, rules and regulations which are inconsistent
10 with this Act are hereby amended, repealed or modified accordingly.

11 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
12 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general
13 circulation.

Approved,

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