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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8923

- BY REPRESENTATIVES GARIN (R.), LEACHON, ANDAYA AND ZAMORA (M.C.), PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1125
- AN ACT CREATING A MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF TIGBAUAN, PROVINCE OF ILOILO IN THE SIXTH JUDICIAL REGION, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. A new branch of the Municipal Trial Court for the
Municipality of Tigbauan, Province of Iloilo is hereby created in the
Sixth Judicial Region. Accordingly, the Municipality of Tigbauan
is hereby detached from the Guimbal-Igbaras-Tubungan-Tigbauan
circuit.

6 The Supreme Court shall assign the branch number for the7 newly created branch of the Municipal Trial Court.

8 SEC. 2. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in 9 coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall 10 immediately include in the Court's program the operationalization 11 of the new branch of the Municipal Trial Court to be stationed in the Municipality of Tigbauan, Province of Iloilo, the funding of
which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

3 SEC. 3. All laws, orders, circulars, rules and regulations, and 4 other issuances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Act 5 are hereby amended, repealed or modified accordingly.

6 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its 7 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general 8 circulation.

Approved,

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