



## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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BY REPRESENTATIVES JAVIER, HOFER, ANDAYA, NIETO AND  
SY-ALVARADO, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1168

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AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FIELD OFFICE OF THE  
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) IN THE  
PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY, 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 a field office of the  
2 Commission on Higher Education (CHED) in the Province of  
3 Zamboanga Sibugay, which shall exercise jurisdiction over the  
4 Province of Zamboanga Sibugay.

5           The CHED Field Office in the Province of Zamboanga Sibugay  
6 shall be located in the Municipality of Ipil, Province of Zamboanga  
7 Sibugay.

8           SEC. 2. The CHED-Zamboanga Sibugay Field Office shall be  
9 headed by a Field Director.

10          SEC. 3. Within sixty (60) days from the approval of this Act,  
11 the CHED, in coordination with the Department of Budget and  
12 Management (DBM), shall formulate an organizational structure,

1 staffing pattern and plantilla positions for the CHED-Zamboanga  
2 Sibugay Field Office. The said organizational structure, staffing  
3 pattern and plantilla positions shall be finalized by the Chairperson  
4 of the CHED and the Secretary of the DBM.

5 SEC. 4. The Chairperson of the CHED shall immediately  
6 include in the CHED's programs the operationalization of the  
7 CHED-Zamboanga Sibugay Field Office.

8 SEC. 5. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of  
9 this Act shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

10 SEC. 6. The CHED shall issue the necessary rules and  
11 regulations for the effective implementation of this Act.

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

Approved,

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