



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8986

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BY REPRESENTATIVE ABUEG, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1163

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AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE LYING-IN CLINIC IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF RIZAL, PROVINCE OF PALAWAN FROM TEN (10) BEDS TO TWENTY (20) BEDS, UPGRADING ITS SERVICE FACILITIES AND PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES, AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE OF ITS MEDICAL PERSONNEL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1           SECTION 1. The authorized bed capacity of the Lying-in Clinic  
2 in the Municipality of Rizal, Province of Palawan is hereby  
3 increased from ten (10) beds to twenty (20) beds.

4           SEC. 2. The existing service facilities and professional health  
5 care services of the Rizal, Palawan Lying-in Clinic are hereby  
6 upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the bed capacity  
7 as herein provided for.

8           SEC. 3. The existing workforce of the Rizal, Palawan Lying-in  
9 Clinic shall be correspondingly increased. Upon prior consultation  
10 with the management of the Rizal, Palawan Lying-in Clinic, the  
11 Secretary of Health, in coordination with the Secretary of Budget

1 and Management and the Chairperson of the Civil Service  
2 Commission, shall determine the additional plantilla positions to be  
3 created pursuant to this Act.

4 SEC. 4. The Provincial Government of Palawan shall provide  
5 the necessary funds for the maintenance and other operating  
6 expenses of the Lying-in Clinic in the Municipality of Rizal. It shall  
7 also appropriate funds for human resource complement to support  
8 the increase in bed capacity and the corresponding upgrading of its  
9 service facilities and professional health care services. The  
10 Secretary of Health shall include in the Department's subsidy  
11 program, support for the capital outlays of the said lying-in clinic.

12 SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect within fifteen (15) days  
13 after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of  
14 general circulation.

Approved,

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