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- BY REPRESENTATIVES NOEL, ONG (H.), JAVIER, TEJADA, ANDAYA, ZAMORA (M.C.), SY-ALVARADO, NIETO AND ABAYON, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1239
- AN ACT CONVERTING THE DULAG SATELLITE CAMPUS OF THE EASTERN VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY (EVSU) LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DULAG, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, INTO A REGULAR CAMPUS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9311, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. This Act shall be known as the "Eastern Visayas
 State University-Dulag Campus Act".

SEC. 2. The Dulag Satellite Campus of the Eastern Visayas
State University (EVSU) located in the Municipality of Dulag,
Province of Leyte, is hereby converted into a regular campus to be
known as the EVSU-Dulag Campus.

SEC. 3. The EVSU-Dulag Campus shall offer short-term
technical-vocational education and training (TVET) courses,
undergraduate and graduate degree programs, and other related
and relevant fields of study within its areas of competency and
specialization, as the Board of Regents may deem necessary to carry

out its objectives, and meet the human resource development needs
 of the Province of Leyte and Region VIII.

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3 The EVSU-Dulag Campus shall also undertake research, 4 extension services, and production activities in support of the 5 socioeconomic development of the province and the region, and 6 provide progressive leadership in these areas.

SEC. 4. The governance of the EVSU-Dulag Campus shall be
vested exclusively in the Board of Regents of the EVSU, hereinafter
referred to as the Board.

10 SEC. 5. The EVSU-Dulag Campus shall be headed by the 11 Campus Administrator who shall render full-time service and who 12 shall be appointed or designated by the Board upon the 13 recommendation of the search committee and the President of the 14 EVSU, subject to the guidelines, qualifications and standards set by 15 the Board.

16 SEC. 6. All assets, real and personal, personnel and records of 17 the EVSU-Dulag Satellite Campus located in the Municipality of 18 Dulag, Province of Leyte, as well as its liabilities or obligations, are 19 hereby transferred to the EVSU. The positions, rights and security 20 of tenure of faculty members and personnel therein employed under 21 existing laws prior to the conversion into a regular campus shall be 22 respected.

All parcels of land belonging to the government occupied by the EVSU-Dulag Satellite Campus are hereby transferred to the EVSU, and shall be titled under its name: *Provided*, That should the campus or the University cease to exist or be abolished or should such aforementioned parcels of land be no longer needed by

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the University, the same shall revert to the local government units
 concerned.

3 SEC. 7. The amount necessary to carry out the initial 4 implementation of this Act shall be charged against the current 5 year's funding of the EVSU-Dulag Satellite Campus as provided by 6 the Municipality of Dulag, Province of Leyte.

7 The Municipality of Dulag shall provide the same assistance 8 until such time that the amount necessary for the continued 9 operation and maintenance of the EVSU-Dulag Satellite Campus 10 shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 8. If, for any reason, any part or provision of this Act is
 declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining parts or
 provisions not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

14 SEC. 9. Republic Act No. 9311, which establishes the EVSU, 15 is hereby amended. All other laws, presidential decrees, executive 16 orders, rules and regulations contrary to or inconsistent with the 17 provisions of this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

18 SEC. 10. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
19 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general
20 circulation.

Approved,

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