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AN ACT
STRENGTHENING THE PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6847, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION ACT

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

1 **SECTION 1.** Section 2 of Republic Act No. 6847, otherwise known as "The Philippine
2 Sports Commission Act", is hereby amended to read as follows:
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4 **"SEC.2. Declaration of Policy.-** It is the policy of the State to promote physical
5 education, encourage and sustain the development of sports in the country to
6 foster physical fitness, self-discipline, teamwork and excellence for the
7 development of a healthy and alert citizenry through a unified national sports
8 promotion and HUMAN development program, and that the establishment and
9 creation of a single, unified and integrated national sports policy-making body shall
10 [further] CARRY OUT this objective.

11 IT SHALL LIKEWISE BE THE STATE POLICY TO ADOPT THE UNITED
12 NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION'S
13 "SPORTS FOR ALL" PROGRAM, AND IN PURSUIT THEREOF, IT SHALL ALSO
14 PROMOTE LEAGUE COMPETITIONS, AMATEUR SPORTS INCLUDING
15 TRAINING FOR LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS AS
16 MANDATED UNDER ARTICLE XIV, SECTION 19 (1) OF THE PHILIPPINE
17 CONSTITUTION.

1 **SEC. 2.** Section 4 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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3 "SECTION 4. *Status of the Commission.* - The Commission shall have the
4 same status as that of a governmental regulatory national agency attached to
5 the Office of the President with the Chairman thereof being of the same [level]
6 RANK as a department undersecretary WHO SHALL CONCURRENTLY ACT
7 AS THE PRESIDENTIAL ADVISER ON SPORTS, and the Commissioners
8 that of department assistant secretaries."
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10 **SEC. 3.** Section 5 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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12 "SECTION 5. *Nature of the Commission.* - The Commission shall exercise
13 corporate powers. It shall have a seal, may sue and be sued, and shall be
14 the sole policy-making and coordinating body of all amateur sports
15 development programs and institutions in the Philippines: *Provided,* That in
16 the case of the school sports development program, the same shall be
17 formulated and implemented by the Department of Education (DEPED)
18 [Culture and Sports (DECS)] FOR PRIMARY AND SECONDARY
19 EDUCATION, AND BY THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
20 (CHED) FOR TERTIARY EDUCATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE
21 PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION [with the assistance of the
22 Commission within the framework of the national sports development
23 program].
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25 IN ADDITION, THE COMMISSION SHALL ALSO IMPLEMENT AND
26 FORMULATE A LOCAL GOVERNMENT SPORTS DEVELOPMENT
27 PROGRAM IN PARTNERSHIP WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS."
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29 **SEC.4.** Section 6 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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31 "SECTION 6. *Objectives of the Commission.* - The objectives of the
32 Commission are:
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- 34 (a) To provide [the] leadership [, formulate the policies and set the
35 priorities and direction of all national amateur sports promotion and
36 development, particularly giving emphasis on grass-roots
37 participation] IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SPORTS IN THE
38 PHILIPPINES;
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40 (b) To encourage [wide] INCREASED participation [of all sectors,
41 government and private, in amateur sports promotion and
42 development] AND IMPROVED PERFORMANCE BY FILIPINOS
43 IN SPORTS;
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45 (c) To [supplement government appropriations for sports promotion
46 and development.] PROVIDE RESOURCES, SERVICES AND
47 FACILITIES TO ENABLE FILIPINOS TO PURSUE AND ACHIEVE
48 EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS WHILE ALSO FURTHERING THEIR
49 EDUCATIONAL AND VOCATIONAL SKILLS AND OTHER
50 ASPECTS OF THEIR PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT;
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1 (d) TO FOSTER COOPERATION IN SPORTS BETWEEN THE
2 PHILIPPINES AND OTHER COUNTRIES THROUGH IMPROVED
3 ACCESS TO RESOURCES, SERVICES AND FACILITIES
4 RELATED TO SPORTS; AND
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6 (e) TO ENCOURAGE THE PRIVATE SECTOR TO SUPPORT THE
7 SPORTS PROGRAMS AND EXTEND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
8 TO SUPPLEMENT GOVERNMENT FUNDING.
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10 **SEC.5.** Section 7 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:

11 "SECTION 7. *Functions of the Commission.* The Commission shall have the
12 following functions:
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14
15 (a) [Plan, implement and oversee an integrated amateur sports promotion
16 and development program for the country, including the program for
17 the Decade of Physical Fitness and Sports: 1990-2000, pursuant to
18 Presidential Proclamation No. 406, in coordination with various
19 sectors involved in sports, including among others, the Philippine
20 Olympic Committee, the National Sports Associations, the public and
21 private schools, government corporations and entities, the local
22 governments, the Armed Forces of the Philippines, and other sports
23 organizations and private corporations] TO ADVISE THE OFFICE OF
24 THE PRESIDENT ON MATTERS RELATED TO SPORTS
25 PROMOTION AND DEVELOPMENT;
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27 (b) [Establish and maintain linkages with international sports
28 associations, national sports commissions or organizations of other
29 countries, and international non-governmental organizations whose
30 main objective is sports] TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT
31 PROGRAMS THAT PROMOTE EQUALITY OF ACCESS TO, AND
32 PARTICIPATION IN, SPORTS BY ALL FILIPINOS;
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34 (c) [Plan and oversee a program to enable the Philippine to bid for and to
35 host the Olympic Games at the earliest practicable time] TO
36 COORDINATE PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES NATIONWIDE FOR
37 THE DEVELOPMENT OF SPORTS;
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39 (d) Establish, develop and maintain fully-equipped sports facilities and
40 centers in strategic places in the country and, as far as practicable,
41 such modern sports complexes adequate for major international
42 competitions] TO IDENTIFY PERSONS WHO EXCEL OR WHO HAVE
43 THE POTENTIAL TO EXCEL IN SPORTS, AND THOSE PERSONS
44 WHO HAVE ACHIEVED OR HAVE THE POTENTIAL TO ACHIEVE
45 EXCELLENCE AS SPORTS COACHES, UMPIRES, REFEREES OR
46 OFFICIALS AND OTHER SPORTS PROFESSIONALS;
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48 (e) [Rationalize and regulate the establishment of publicly-funded sports
49 complex and supervise the management and maintenance thereof,
50 excluding school or college-owned sports complex] TO INITIATE,
51 ENCOURAGE AND FACILITATE RESEARCH AND
52 DEVELOPMENT IN RELATION TO SPORTS SCIENCE AND
53 SPORTS MEDICINE;

1 [(f) Plan and formulate programs and review or evaluate, from time to
2 time, the organizational set-up, projects and programs of the
3 Commission;]

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5 [(g)] (F) [Develop and promulgate rules and regulations to implement this
6 Act, including rules to delineate and define areas of responsibilities of all
7 sectors involved in sports promotion and development, respecting the
8 individual set-up, priorities, structure and competence of the different
9 government and private institutions] TO PROVIDE SPORTS MEDICINE
10 SERVICES AND SPORTS SCIENCE SERVICES TO PERSONS
11 PARTICIPATING IN PROGRAMS OF THE COMMISSION;

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13 [(h)] (G) [Assist the proper government agency in the formulation of an
14 industry incentives program for the manufacture in the Philippines of sports
15 equipment and supplies of international standard in quality] TO
16 ESTABLISH, MANAGE, DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN FACILITIES FOR
17 THE PURPOSES OF THE COMMISSION;

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19 [(i)] (H) [Provide such incentives, recognition and awards to deserving
20 associations, athletes, referees, game officials, coaches, trainers and
21 other persons or entities involved in or supporting sports development as
22 may be permissible under the rule of amateurism] TO COLLECT AND
23 DISTRIBUTE INFORMATION, AND PROVIDE ADVICE ON MATTERS
24 RELATED TO THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMISSION;

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26 [(j)] (I) [Recommend and propose to the Department of Education, Culture
27 and Sports, Department of Local Government and other government
28 agencies and instrumentalities having sports programs, to incorporate in
29 their respective annual budgets, a separate and specific budget for sports
30 promotion and development] TO FOSTER AND PROMOTE
31 COOPERATION IN SPORTS BETWEEN THE PHILIPPINES AND
32 OTHER COUNTRIES AND FACILITATE ACCESS TO THE
33 RESOURCES, SERVICES AND FACILITIES OF THE COMMISSION;

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35 [(k)] (J) [Conduct basic and applied research on sports development] TO
36 COORDINATE WITH APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES OF THE
37 NATIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, AND WITH OTHER
38 PERSONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS ON MATTERS
39 RELATED TO THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMISSION;

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41 [(l)] (K)[Conduct promotion and fund-raising campaigns in accordance with
42 existing laws to achieve the purposes of the Commission] TO PROVIDE
43 ADVICE ON MATTERS RELATED TO SPORTS TO THE SPORTS
44 ASSOCIATIONS OR OTHER PERSONS, BODIES OR ASSOCIATIONS;

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46 [(m)] (L) [Encourage, promote and sustain the creation and establishment
47 of regional, provincial, municipal and barangay or school district sports
48 promotion and development councils, composed of officials of the
49 Department of Education, Culture and Sports, Department of Local
50 Government, local government officials, and representatives of the private
51 sector, which shall initiate, conduct and coordinate sports activities in their
52 respective jurisdictions;] TO COOPERATE WITH NATIONAL AND
53 INTERNATIONAL SPORTING ORGANIZATIONS IN FOSTERING AN

1 ETHICAL SPORTING ENVIRONMENT THAT IS FREE FROM THE
2 UNSANCTIONED USE OF PERFORMANCE ENHANCING DRUGS AND
3 OTHER DOPING METHODS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE WORLD
4 ANTI-DOPING AUTHORITY (WADA).
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6 [(n)] (M) [Exercise such other acts as are incident to or are appropriate
7 and necessary in connection with the creation of the Commission.] TO
8 COLLABORATE WITH THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUS),
9 DEPED, CHED, ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP),
10 PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL
11 DEFENSE (DND), DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH), OR ANY
12 PERSON, ASSOCIATION OR ORGANIZATION FOR ITS SPORTS
13 PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES; AND
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15 (N) TO ACCREDIT SPORTS SCIENCE LABORATORIES AND
16 FACILITIES.
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19 **SEC.6.** Section 11 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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21 " SECTION 11. *Powers of the Commission.* - The Commission has the
22 power to do all acts and things necessary OR CONVENIENT to be done
23 for or in connection with the performance of its functions, [including] AND,
24 IN PARTICULAR, MAY;

- 25
- 26 a) [To appoint the officers and other personnel of the
27 Commission and fix their compensation subject to existing
28 laws, rules and regulations] ENTER INTO CONTRACTS,
29 AGREEMENTS AND OTHER SIMILAR INSTRUMENTS
30 WITH LEGAL BINDING EFFECT;
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- 32 b) [To delegate authority for the performance of any function to
33 officers and employees under its direction] ACQUIRE, HOLD
34 AND DISPOSE OF REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY;
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- 36 c) [To [enter into contracts] ACQUIRE, OCCUPY, USE AND
37 CONTROL ANY LAND OR BUILDING OWNED OR HELD
38 UNDER LEASE BY THE GOVERNMENT AND MADE
39 AVAILABLE FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE COMMISSION;
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- 41 d) [To acquire, use and control any land, building, facilities,
42 equipment, instruments tools and rights or otherwise
43 necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes of the
44 Commission] PROVIDE GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS
45 OR OTHER BENEFITS;
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- 47 e) [To acquire, own, possess and dispose of any real or real
48 property] APPOINT AGENTS AND ATTORNEYS, AND ACT
49 AS AN AGENT FOR OTHER PERSONS;
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- 51 f) [To regulate the acquisition, procurement, distribution and
52 use of sportswear, equipment, instruments, tools and other
53 sports necessities necessary and required for training of a

1 national pool of athletes] ENGAGE PERSONS TO
2 PERFORM SERVICES FOR THE COMMISSION;
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4 g) [To assist and support national associations in the
5 implementation of Section 13 of this Act] ACCEPT GIFTS,
6 GRANTS, DONATIONS MADE TO THE COMMISSION
7 (WHETHER IN TRUST OR OTHERWISE) AND ACT AS
8 TRUSTEE OF MONEY OR OTHER PROPERTY VESTED
9 IN THE COMMISSION;

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11 h) [To confer, extend and grant awards, benefits and privileges
12 to athletes, coaches and officials for outstanding
13 performances in national and international competitions]
14 CONSTRUCT BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES AND
15 CARRY OUT WORKS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS PLANS
16 AND PROGRAMS;

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18 i) [To confer, extend and grant support or assistance to sports
19 associations which are in good standing with the
20 Commission] OBTAIN COMMERCIAL SPONSORSHIP FOR
21 THE COMMISSION AND PARTICIPATE IN MARKETING
22 ARRANGEMENTS INVOLVING THE ENDORSEMENT BY
23 THE COMMISSION OF PRODUCTS AND SERVICES
24 ASSOCIATED WITH SPORT;

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26 j) [To exercise supervisory and visitorial powers over the
27 national sports associations in connection with their sports
28 promotion and development programs with respect to which
29 financial assistance is extended by the Commission]
30 ARRANGE FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A THING
31 BEARING A MARK, SYMBOL OR WRITING OR
32 DISTRIBUTE ANY ARTICLE, OR PRODUCT THAT IS
33 ASSOCIATED WITH THE COMMISSION;

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35 k) [To accept donations, gifts, bequests, and grants for the
36 purposes of the Commission] PROVIDE, WHETHER BY
37 SALE OR OTHERWISE, GOODS AND SERVICES TO
38 PERSONS USING THE FACILITIES OF THE
39 COMMISSION; AND

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41 l) [To ensure the implementation by various government
42 departments and agencies of their sports promotion and
43 development programs as indicated in their respective
44 annual budgets] PERFORM ANY AND ALL OTHER ACTS
45 INCIDENTAL TO OR REQUIRED BY THE COMMISSION;
46 AND

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48 m) To impose sanctions upon any national sports association,
49 institution, association, body, entity, team, athlete and sports
50 for violations of its policies, rules and regulations; and] TO
51 CHARGE REASONABLE FEES FOR:

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53 (1) ACCESS TO, OR USE OF, ANY OF THE RESOURCES OR
54 FACILITIES OF THE COMMISSION;

- 1 (2) PROVISION OF PROGRAMS, SERVICES, INFORMATION OR
2 ADVICE BY THE COMMISSION; AND
3 (3) ADMISSION OF PERSONS TO EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES
4 CONDUCTED BY THE COMMISSION.
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7 [n) To perform any and all other acts incident to or required by virtue
8 of its creation.]
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10 **SEC. 7.** Section 12 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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12 "SECTION 12. *The Philippine Olympic Committee AND THE*
13 *PHILIPPINE PARALYMPICS COMMITTEE.* - The Philippine Olympic
14 Committee (POC) AND THE PHILIPPINE PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE
15 (PPC) AND [ITS] THEIR SUCCESSORS, WHICH [is] ARE affiliated with
16 the International Olympic Committee AND INTERNATIONAL
17 PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE RESPECTIVELY, [is] ARE hereby
18 recognized as the National Olympic CommitteeS for the Philippines. [It]
19 THEY [is] ARE autonomous in character.
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21 THE PHILIPPINE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE AND PHILIPPINE
22 PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE SHALL ENJOY THE SAME RIGHTS,
23 POWERS, AND OBLIGATIONS, SIMILAR TO ENTITIES GRANTED
24 WITH JURIDICAL PERSONALITY UNDER EXISTING LAWS.
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26 The Philippine Olympic Committee AND THE PHILIPPINE
27 PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE shall [maintain its primary responsibility for]
28 CLOSELY COORDINATE WITH THE PSC activities pertaining to the
29 country's participation in the Olympic Games, Asian Games, Southeast
30 Asian Games, PARA GAMES, PARALYMPICS and other international
31 athletic competitions SANCTIONED by the International Olympic
32 Committee, the Olympic Council of Asia, the Southeast Asian Games
33 Federation, THE INTERNATIONAL PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE, IN
34 ACCORDANCE WITH THE RESPECTIVES RULES AND
35 REGULATIONS THEREOF [and other international sports bodies].
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37 THE PHILIPPINE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE AND THE PHILIPPINE
38 PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE SHALL NOT BE THE RECIPIENT,
39 WHETHER FOR THESE INSTITUTIONS' BENEFIT OR ANY PERSON
40 OR ENTITY, OF (I) ANY FUND, PRIVILEGE OR FACILITY FROM THE
41 COMMISSION, UNLESS THE SAME IS RELATED TO PROJECTS
42 UNDERTAKEN IN COORDINATION WITH THE COMMISSION:
43 *PROVIDED*, THAT THE SAME SHALL HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY
44 APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION; *PROVIDED*, FINALLY, THAT ANY
45 DISBURSEMENT AND REIMBURSEMENT ALLOWED TO BE
46 RECEIVED SHALL BE SUBJECT TO GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTING
47 AND AUDITING RULES."
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50 **SEC.8.** Section 13 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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52 "SECTION.13. *RECOGNITION OF National Sports Association.*- National
53 sports associations, organized for their respective sports in the Philippines

1 and [/or] affiliated with their respective international federations MAY BE
2 [which are] recognized as such [International Olympic Committee, are
3 recognized as such] by the Commission. THE PSC SHALL PROMULGATE
4 NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS UPON THE EFFECTIVITY OF THIS
5 ACT, THE NECESSARY RULES AND REGULATIONS WITH RESPECT TO
6 THE RECOGNITION OF NATIONAL SPORTS ASSOCIATIONS.

7 [The national sports associations recognized by the Commission shall be
8 autonomous and shall have exclusive technical control over the promotion
9 and development of the particular sport for which they are organized, subject
10 however to the supervisory and visitorial powers of the Commission, as
11 provided in Section 11, paragraph (j) hereof.]
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13 [Each national sport association shall, by its Constitution and by-laws,
14 determine its organization and membership: Provided, however, That no
15 team, school, club, organization or entity shall be admitted as a voting
16 member of a national sports association unless sixty percent (60%) of the
17 athletes composing said team school, club, organization or entity are Filipino
18 citizens.]
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20 [The Commission recognizes the following functions, powers, duties and
21 responsibilities of the various national sports associations:
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- 23 (a) To adopt a Constitution and by-laws not inconsistent with the
24 Constitution and by-laws of the Philippine Olympic Committee;
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- 26 (b) To raise funds by donations, benefits and other means for their
27 purposes;
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- 29 (c) To purchase, sell, lease or otherwise encumber property, real or
30 personal, for the accomplishment of their respective purposes;
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- 32 (d) To conduct competitions for the promotion of their respective
33 sports;
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- 35 (e) To appoint their representative to the Philippine Olympic
36 Committee;
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- 38 (f) To decide all questions on the amateur status and discipline of the
39 athletes and officials connected with the associations as well as the
40 members thereof and all dispute between members;
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- 42 (g) To adopt, in coordination with the Philippine Olympic Committee, a
43 training program for the development of the athletes and their
44 preparation for international competitions;
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- 46 (h) To select the athletes, coaches and other officials for their national
47 teams taking into consideration not only their athletic abilities but
48 also their discipline, moral character, aptitude and attitude;
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- 50 (i) To keep accurate records of all official marks, scores and results
51 attained by the athletes in the associations in all competitions, as
52 well as all results of sports competitions, recognize and confirm the
53 same and furnish copies thereof to the Philippine Olympic
54 Committee;
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- 1 (j) To qualify and license referees, umpires and other game officials
2 who shall officiate in competitions in their respective sports; and
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4 (k) To perform such other acts as may be necessary for the proper
5 accomplishment of their purposes.]
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7 **SEC.9.** Section 14 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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9 "SECTION.14. *Executive Director.*- There shall be an Executive Director who
10 shall be appointed or designated as such by the Chairman, preferably from
11 among the four (4) Commissioners, and shall direct and supervise the day-
12 to-day operations of the Commission. The Executive Director shall have
13 supervision and control over the Bureau on FINANCIAL AND Administrative
14 services, [headed by a Deputy Executive Director, and] the Bureau on
15 Coordinating Secretariat and Support Services, EACH TO BE HEADED BY
16 A DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AND THE PHILIPPINE SPORTS
17 INSTITUTE, EACH TO BE HEADED BY A DEPUTY EXECUTIVE
18 DIRECTOR. The Deputy Executive Directors shall be appointed by the
19 Chairman."
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21 **SEC.10.** Section 16 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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23 "SECTION.16. *Functions and Responsibilities of Officers and Staff.*- The
24 administrative service bureau shall be primarily responsible for providing
25 services related to financial management, personnel, records, supplies and
26 equipment, while the bureau on coordinating secretariat and support services
27 shall be primarily responsible for plans and programs formulation, research,
28 EDP and system management, public information and production,
29 transportation, communications and such other functions and responsibilities
30 as may be necessary and required by the Commission.
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32 IN ADDITION, THE PHILIPPINE SPORTS INSTITUTE SHALL BE
33 PRIMARILY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY SPORTS RELATED PROGRAM
34 ESPECIALLY GRASSROOT DEVELOPMENT EVENTS, MEDICAL AND
35 SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, COACHES AND ATHLETES PERFORMANCE,
36 EDUCATION, NEEDS AND SUCH OTHER ACTIVITIES AS MAY BE
37 NECESSARY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF SPORTS."
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39 **SEC.11.** Section 23 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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41 "SECTION 23. *Sports Facilities.* -The Administration and full control of all
42 existing sports facilities, including land, buildings and equipment, owned by the
43 national government, as well as those owned by government-funded
44 foundations, associations and entities except liabilities, shall be transferred to
45 the Commission: Provided, That the sports facilities owned by the local
46 government units, state colleges and universities, or public schools shall
47 remain with the said institutions or entities. In particular, the management and
48 full control of all the land, buildings, equipment and other improvements thereon
49 of the Rizal Memorial Sports Complex, and the Quezon City Velodrome
50 INCLUDING ITS IN FIELD shall be transferred to the Commission upon the
51 effectivity of this Act.

1 The Commission shall CONTINUE TO have full control and management of
2 the [University of Life Sports] PHILIPPINE INSTITUTE OF SPORTS Complex
3 WHICH SHALL INCLUDE [two (2) years from the effectivity of this Act; and full
4 use of and access to the facilities of the sports complex immediately upon the
5 organization and start of the operations of the Commission. The said sports
6 complex include: (a) sports facilities consisting of grandstands, tennis and
7 basketball courts, stadium oval and track and field, swimming pools,]
8 KARATEDO GYM, TRACK OVAL, MUAY THAI GYM, FENCING HALL,
9 SWIMMING POOL, DANCE SPORT HALL, pool grandstand and viewing
10 rooms, and related equipment and accessories; (b) ten (10) dormitory
11 buildings, nos. A to J; (c) substations, air conditioning building, control rooms,
12 switch houses and light towers, centralized air conditioning system, standby
13 generators and ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION SYSTEM [PABX telephone
14 system]; AND TEACHERS' CAMP AT BAGUIO, INCLUDING THE MESS
15 HALL, BOXING GYM, ATHLETES' QUARTERS (COTTAGE 3030 AND 304),
16 STAFF HOUSE, CHAIRMAN'S HOUSE, BARROWS HALL AND TRACK
17 OVAL AND FIELD: [and (d) all other sports-related equipment and support
18 facilities: Provided, That the existing level of support and financial assistance
19 for non-formal education from said complex shall continue with an annual
20 increase of not more than ten percent (10%) per year up to December 31,
21 1992.] PROVIDED, THAT THE CONTROL AND SUPERVISION OF THE
22 TEACHERS' CAMP IN BAGUIO FROM GINTONG ALAY SHALL BE
23 TRANSFERRED TO THE PSC."
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25 **SEC.12.** Section 24 of the same Act is hereby amended to read as follows:
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27 "SECTION 24. *ROLES OF CONCERNED GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.*-
28 [Assistance by the Government Entities] The Commission may call upon any
29 government entity for assistance in the performance of its functions and
30 duties. [All heads of departments, agencies, corporations and offices of the
31 government] THE DEPED, CHED, LGUs AND OTHER GOVERNMENT
32 AGENCIES are hereby enjoined to render full assistance and cooperation to
33 the Commission to ensure the attainment of its objectives and the success of
34 the national sports development program."
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36 **SEC.13. *Separability Clause.***- If any part or provision of this Act is held invalid or
37 unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain in full force and
38 effect.

39 **SEC.14. *Repealing Clause.***- All laws, executive orders, issuances, decrees, rules
40 and regulations inconsistent with or contrary to the provisions of this Act are deemed
41 amended, modified or repealed accordingly.

42 **SEC.15. *Effectivity.*** - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in
43 the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

44 *Approved,*