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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 9111

By Representatives Eriguel, Tan (A.), Mercado, Ting, Nieto, Arcillas, Go (M.), Lanete, Violago, Castro (F.H.), Roa-Puno, Hofer, Ortega (V.N.), Palma, Noel, Salo, Gonzales (A.P.), Pimentel, Savellano, Garin (R.), Garcia (J.E.), Fortun, Bravo (A.), Bertiz, Campos, Salon, Belaro, Gullas, Tejada, Zubiri, Alejano, Gonzales (A.D.), Chipeco, Bordado, Mangaoang, Cari, Treñas, Fernando, Nuñez-Malanyaon, Tupas, Bataoil, Cuaresma, Romualdo, Silverio, Dalipe, Calderon, Marcoleta and Vergara, Per Committee Report No. 1268

AN THE ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF NAGUILIAN DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NAGUILIAN, PROVINCE OF LA UNION FROM TWENTY-FIVE BEDS TO (25)APPROPRIATING FIFTY (50)BEDS AND THEREFOR.

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

- SECTION 1. The authorized bed capacity of the Naguilian
- 2 District Hospital in the Municipality of Naguilian, Province of
- 3 La Union is hereby increased from twenty-five (25) beds to fifty (50)
- 4 beds.

SEC. 2. The existing hospital facilities and professional health care services of the Naguilian District Hospital shall, as far as practicable, be correspondingly upgraded to include the increase in the number of medical personnel. The Department of Health, in coordination with the concerned local government officials, shall promulgate the necessary rules and regulations for the effective implementation of this Act within sixty (60) days from its effectivity.

SEC. 3. The increase in bed capacity of the Naguilian District Hospital from twenty-five (25) beds to fifty (50) beds shall be implemented for a period of not more than two (2) years from the approval of this Act.

SEC. 4. The Provincial Government of La Union shall provide the necessary funds to support the increase in bed capacity of the Naguilian District Hospital and the corresponding upgrading of its facilities and services. The Secretary of Health shall include in the Department's subsidy program its support for the capital outlay requirements of the hospital.

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

Approved,