



**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**H. No. 6324**

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BY REPRESENTATIVES PANOTES, VELOSO, UNGAB, GARBIN, CUA, JALOSJOS, CUARESMA, CALDERON, SUAREZ (D.), ALVAREZ (G.), BALINDONG, BENITEZ, BORDADO, CAMINERO, DY (I.P.), GO (M.), LABADLABAD, ORTEGA, ROMULO, TALLADO, TAN (A.) AND TUTOR, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 234

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AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF DAET AND LABO, PROVINCE OF CAMARINES NORTE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14(F) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED

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

1           SECTION 1. Two (2) additional branches of the Regional Trial  
2 Court in the Fifth Judicial Region are hereby created and stationed  
3 in the municipalities of Daet and Labo, Province of Camarines  
4 Norte.

5           The Supreme Court shall assign the respective branch  
6 numbers for the newly created branches of the Regional Trial Court.

1           SEC. 2. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in  
2 coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall  
3 immediately include in the Court's program the operationalization  
4 of the two (2) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court in the  
5 municipalities of Daet and Labo, Province of Camarines Norte.  
6 The funds necessary for the operation of the courts herein created  
7 shall be appropriated and released only upon the actual  
8 organization of the courts and the appointment of its personnel.

9           SEC. 3. Section 14(f) of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, otherwise  
10 known as "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980", as amended,  
11 and all other laws, rules and regulations which are inconsistent  
12 with this Act are hereby amended, repealed or modified accordingly.

13           SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after  
14 its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of  
15 general circulation.

Approved,

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