



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6728

**BY REPRESENTATIVES SUNTAY, CRISOLOGO AND VARGAS, PER
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 304**

**AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE EAST
AVENUE MEDICAL CENTER IN BARANGAY DILIMAN,
QUEZON CITY FROM SIX HUNDRED (600) TO ONE
THOUSAND (1,000) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR**

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

1 **SECTION 1.** The bed capacity of the East Avenue Medical
2 Center (EAMC) in Barangay Diliman, Quezon City is hereby
3 increased from six hundred (600) to one thousand (1,000) beds. Any
4 future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent with the hospital
5 development plan to be prepared by the Medical Center Chief
6 of the EAMC to reflect the developmental goals of the hospital,
7 and submitted to the Department of Health (DOH).

8 **SEC. 2.** The existing professional health care services and
9 facilities of the EAMC are also hereby upgraded to conform with and
10 be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for in
11 Section 1 hereof.

1 SEC. 3. The existing workforce of the EAMC, which includes
2 doctors, nurses and support personnel, shall also be increased
3 correspondingly. The Secretary of the DOH shall, in coordination
4 with the Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management
5 and the Chairperson of the Civil Service Commission, and after
6 consultation with the Chief of the EAMC, determine the additional
7 new positions to be created and filled up.

8 SEC. 4. The Secretary of Health shall immediately include in
9 the program of the DOH the implementation of this Act, the funding
10 of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

11 SEC. 5. If any of the sections or provisions of this Act is held
12 invalid, all other provisions not affected shall remain valid.

13 SEC. 6. All laws, decrees, executive orders, rules and
14 regulations or other issuances or parts thereof contrary to or
15 inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed,
16 amended or modified accordingly.

17 SEC. 7. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
18 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general
19 circulation.

Approved,

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