



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 9183

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ROMAN, TAMBUNTING, DALIPE AND NIETO, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 911

AN ACT
CHANGING THE COMPOSITION OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE
NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR CHILDREN'S TELEVISION, AMENDING FOR THE
PURPOSE SECTION 6 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8370, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS
THE "CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT OF 1997"

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

1 **SECTION 1.** Section 6 of Republic Act No. 8370, otherwise known as the
2 "Children's Television Act of 1997", is hereby amended to read as follows:

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4 **"SECTION 6.** The Advisory Committee and Its Composition. – There is
5 hereby constituted an Advisory Committee which shall assist the Council in the
6 formulation of national policies pertaining to children's broadcast programs and in
7 monitoring its implementation. The Council and the Advisory Committee shall meet at
8 least once every quarter of a year.

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10 "The members of the Advisory Committee shall be [composed of] the
11 following:

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13 a) the Executive Director of the Council for the Welfare of Children;

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- 2 b) [the chairman or Executive Director of the National Commission for
- 3 Culture and THE Arts] THE HEAD OF THE COMMITTEE ON
- 4 CULTURAL EDUCATION AND INFORMATION OF THE NATIONAL
- 5 COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS ;
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- 7 c) the President of the Kapisanan ng mga Broadkaster sa Pilipinas;
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- 9 d) the President or Executive Director of the Philippine Association of
- 10 National Advertisers;
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- 12 e) [Press Undersecretary/Officer-In-Charge of the] THE DIRECTOR
- 13 GENERAL OF THE Philippine Information Agency;
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- 15 f) the Chairman of the Movie and Television Review and Classification
- 16 Board; [and]
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- 18 g) a representative from the REGULATION BRANCH OF THE National
- 19 Telecommunications Commission; AND
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- 21 H) A REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE NATIONAL YOUTH COMMISSION.
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23 "Whenever any member of the Advisory Committee is unable to attend A

24 MEETING, [he or she shall designate a], THE MEMBER MAY DESIGNATE a

25 representative to [attend as his/her alternate] ACT IN THE MEMBER'S BEHALF"

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27 **SECTION 2.** All laws, presidential decrees or issuances, executive orders, letters

28 of instruction, administrative orders, rules and regulations contrary to or inconsistent

29 with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

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1 **SECTION 3.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the
2 *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

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4 *Approved,*