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By Representatives Marcos, Atayde, Tan-Tambut, Gato, Advincula, Pancho, Bosita, Cari, Lazatin, Hernandez, Garcia (D.), Lagon (D.), Dionisio, Rodriguez (E.), Cabredo, Khonghun, Nisay, Tulfo (J.), Lara, Tutor, Nava, Arenas, Miguel, Mariano-Hernandez, Pleyto, Solon, Roque and Reyes, per Committee Report No. 662

AN ACT

UPGRADING THE BANGUI DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BANGUI, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS NORTE, INTO A LEVEL II DISTRICT HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. The Bangui District Hospital in the Municipality of Bangui, Province of Ilocos Norte, is hereby upgraded into a level II district hospital.

SEC. 2. Any future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent with the hospital development plan that shall be prepared by the Chief of Hospital of the Bangui District Hospital and submitted to the Department of Health.

SEC. 3. The existing professional health care services and facilities of the Bangui District Hospital shall also be upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for in Section 2 hereof.

SEC. 4. The existing workforce of the Bangui District Hospital, which includes doctors, nurses, and support personnel, shall be increased correspondingly.

SEC. 5. The Local Government of Bangui shall provide the necessary funds to cover the
maintenance and other operating expenses of the Bangui District Hospital. It shall also appropriate
funds for the additional human resource complement to support the increase in bed capacity and the
corresponding upgrading of its service facilities and professional health care services.

SEC. 6. The Secretary of Health shall include in the Department's subsidy program, support
for the capital outlay requirements of the Bangui District Hospital.

SEC. 7. If any provision or part of this Act is declared unconstitutional, the remaining parts
or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

SEC. 8. All laws, executive orders, issuances, and rules and regulations inconsistent with
this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

4 SEC. 9. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* 5 or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,