

eleven, and to add thereto a new item. (Re Public Works Act.),
in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) N. PIMENTEL
Acting Secretary
House of Representatives

The Honorable
The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
Manila

El PRESIDENTE. Al Comité de Obras Públicas y Comunicaciones.

El SECRETARIO:

MANILA, May 23, 1957

Mr. PRESIDENT:

I have been directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives on May 23, 1957, passed the following House Bill No. 7414, 3rd C. R. P., entitled:

An Act reappropriating for certain purposes the appropriation in item (19), page 183, subparagraph "ab", for the City of Manila, paragraph 4, Title A, Section one of Republic Act Numbered Twelve hundred. (Re Public Works Act.),

in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) N. PIMENTEL
Acting Secretary
House of Representatives

The Honorable
The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
Manila

El PRESIDENTE. Al Comité de Obras Públicas y Comunicaciones.

El SECRETARIO:

MANILA, May 23, 1957

Mr. PRESIDENT:

I have been directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives on May 23, 1957, passed the following House Bill (H. No. 7416, 3rd C. R. P.), entitled:

An Act amending certain items in Republic Act Numbered Fourteen hundred eleven. (Re public works for the City of Manila.),

in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) N. PIMENTEL
Acting Secretary
House of Representatives

The Honorable
The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
Manila

El PRESIDENTE. Al Comité de Obras Públicas y Comunicaciones.

El SECRETARIO:

MANILA, May 23, 1957

Mr. PRESIDENT:

I have been directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives on May 23, 1957, has disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to House Bill (H. No. 6584, 3rd C. R. P.), entitled:

The Anti-Subversion Act.

It asks a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and has appointed as representatives at the same on its part, Congressmen Roces, Roy and Benito.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) N. PIMENTEL
Acting Secretary
House of Representatives

The Honorable
The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
Manila

El PRESIDENTE. Al Comité de Defensa y Seguridad Nacional.

El SECRETARIO:

MANILA, May 23, 1957

Mr. PRESIDENT:

I have been directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives accepts the conference asked by the Senate on House Bill No. 7013, entitled:

An Act to authorize the Philippine Tobacco Administration to purchase cigar filler leaf tobacco, to establish floor level prices thereof and for other purposes,

Senate Bill No. 610, entitled:

An Act to promote the proper production of cigar filler and cigar wrapper tobacco and to establish floor prices thereof, to operate and maintain government grading stations in order to create incentives among the tobacco farmers for increased production of quality tobaccos and for other purposes,

having appointed Congressmen Durano, Macias and Marcos, as its representatives at the said conference.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) N. PIMENTEL
Acting Secretary
House of Representatives

The Honorable
The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
Manila

El PRESIDENTE. Al Comité de Comercio e Industria.

El SECRETARIO:

MANILA, May 23, 1957

Mr. PRESIDENT:

I have been directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives accepts the conference asked by the Senate on House Bill No. 7285, entitled:

An Act to amend further Section Nine of Republic Act Numbered Eleven hundred and sixty-nine providing for Charity Sweepstakes Horse Races and Lotteries,

and Senate Bill No. 660, entitled:

An Act to amend further Section Nine of Republic Act Numbered Eleven hundred and sixty-nine providing for Charity Sweepstakes Horse Races and lotteries, having appointed Congressmen Corpus, (E. J.), Peralta and Abeleda, as its representatives at the said conference.

Very respectfully,

(Sgd.) N. PIMENTEL
Acting Secretary
House of Representatives

The Honorable
The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
Manila

El PRESIDENTE. Al archivo.

COMITÉS DE CONFERENCIA

Senator PRIMICIAS. Mr. President, the House of Representatives passed House Bill No. 6818 and the Senate also passed Senate Bill No. 592 regarding the practice of Optometry but the Lower House disagreed with the version of the Senate Bill and requested a conference. I ask, therefore, that a conference committee to be composed of Senators Sumulong, Paredes and Rosales, be appointed.

The PRESIDENT. Is there any objection? (*Silence.*) The Chair hears none. The motion is approved.

Senator PRIMICIAS. Mr. President, regarding House Bill No. 6584 otherwise known as the Anti-Subversion Bill, the Lower House has rejected the amendments of the Senate and requested a conference, so, I ask that Senators Peláez, Rosales and Lim be appointed for the Conference Committee.

The PRESIDENT. Is there any objection? (*Silence.*) The Chair hears none. The motion is approved.

INFORMES DE CONFERENCIA

Senator PRIMICIAS. Mr. President, the conference committees of both Houses on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 53 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 119 regarding the exclusion from the forest reserve of certain areas in the Island of Batan for mining purposes, having submitted their report. I ask that this report be read by the Secretary.

The PRESIDENT. The Secretary will please read the report.

The SECRETARY:

CONFERENCE REPORT

The Conference Committee on the disagreeing provisions of the two measures, viz:

Senate Ct. R. No. 53, entitled:
Concurrent Resolution concurring in Proclamation Numbered Four hundred seven of the President of the Philippines, dated April eleven, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven, revoking Proclamation Numbered Two hundred and eight, series of nineteen twenty-nine, which established the Batan Island Forest Reserve and declaring the areas embraced thereunder open to disposition under the provisions of the Mining Act, and House Ct. R. No. 119, entitled:

Concurrent Resolution concurring in Proclamation Numbered Four hundred seven of the President of the Philippines, dated April eleven, nineteen hundred fifty-seven, revoking Proclamation Numbered two hundred eight, series of nineteen hundred twenty-nine, which established the Batan Island Forest Reserve and de-

claring the areas embraced thereunder open to disposition under the provisions of the Mining Act, after having met and fully discussed the subject matter in the conference, has come to an agreement, and the conferees hereby recommend to their respective Houses the following:

That Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 53 be adopted without amendment, taking into consideration House Concurrent Resolution No. 119, which is identical in nature.

<i>Conferees on the part of the Senate:</i>	<i>Conferees on the part of the House:</i>
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(Sgd.) FERNANDO LÓPEZ	(Sgd.) LUIS HORA
(Sgd.) JOSE C. LOCSIN	(Sgd.) LUCAS P. PAREDES
(Sgd.) DECOROSO ROSALES	(Sgd.) MATEO PECSON

Senator PRIMICIAS. Mr. President, I ask that the Conference Report be approved.

The PRESIDENT. If there is no objection, the Conference Report is approved. (*There was none.*)

Senator PRIMICIAS. Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 415 and House Bill No. 3630 have been considered by the conference committees of both Houses, and these committees, by unanimous agreement of their members, have submitted the report that the House Bill be approved with minor amendments. I ask that this report be read by the Secretary.

The PRESIDENT. The Secretary will please read the reports.

The SECRETARY:

CONFERENCE REPORT

The Conference Committee on the disagreeing provisions of the two measures, viz:

Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:
An Act to authorize the reclamation of foreshore lands by chartered cities, provinces and municipalities, and the financing of the construction work thereon, and the disposition of the reclaimed areas and for other purposes,

and House Bill No. 3630, entitled:

An Act to authorize the reclamation of foreshore lands by chartered cities and provinces, after having met and fully discussed the subject matter in the conference, has come to an agreement, and the conferees hereby recommend to their respective Houses the following:

That House Bill No. 3630 be approved with the following amendments:

1. That all the word "provinces" that appears in the title and body of the bill be changed to "municipalities."

<i>Conferees on the part of the Senate:</i>	<i>Conferees on the part of the House:</i>
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(Sgd.) DECOROSO ROSALES	(Sgd.) JOSÉ R. NUGUID
(Sgd.) FERNANDO LÓPEZ	(Sgd.) SALVADOR P. ENCINAS
(Sgd.) ROSELLER T. LIM	(Sgd.) JOSÉ D. PUEY

Senator PRIMICIAS. Mr. President, I ask that the conference report be approved.

The PRESIDENT. Is there any objection to the report? (*Silence.*) The Chair hears none. Approved.