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A. AUTHORED SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

SBN-1 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ‘ONE TABLET, ONE STUDENT’ PROGRAM FOR ALL STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *ONE TABLET, ONE STUDENT ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Basic Education, Higher, Technical and Vocational Education, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-2 “THE MAGNA CARTA OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS”

- Short Title: *THE MAGNA CARTA OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS*
- Committee Referral(s): Basic Education, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-3 “THE MAGNA CARTA OF PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS”

- Short Title: *THE MAGNA CARTA OF PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS*
- Committee Referral(s): Basic Education, Higher, Technical and Vocational Education
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-4 “AN ACT UPGRADING THE MINIMUM SALARIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS TO SALARY GRADE 15, TEACHING PERSONNEL IN HIGHER EDUCATION TO SALARY GRADE 16, AND OF NON-TEACHING PERSONNEL TO SIXTEEN THOUSAND PESOS (PHP 16,000.00)”

- Short Title: *UPGRADING THE MINIMUM SALARIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS*
- Committee Referral(s): Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Basic Education, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-5 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MAGNA CARTA OF BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS”

- Short Title: *MAGNA CARTA OF BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography, Local Government, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-6 “AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION, PROVIDING FOR ITS POWERS, STRUCTURE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *TECHNICAL EDUCATION TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Higher, Technical and Vocational Education, Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-7 “AN ACT FURTHER AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8759, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT SERVICE OFFICE ACT OF 1999, AS AMENDED, TO INCLUDE ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN THE SCOPE OF THE LAW, TO RENAME THE PRESENT PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT SERVICE OFFICE (PESO) INTO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP OFFICE (PEESO), AND TO ESTABLISH THE BARANGAY EMPLOYMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP OFFICES (BEESO) NATIONWIDE, DEFINING ITS ROLE WITHIN THE EXISTING NETWORK, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *AMENDING R. A. NO. 8759 (PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT SERVICE OFFICE ACT OF 1999), AS AMENDED*
- Committee Referral(s): Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development, Local Government, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-8 “AN ACT TO PROMOTE AND ADVANCE SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOOD AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP BY INTEGRATING, ENHANCING, AND INSTITUTIONALIZING FINANCING AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR LIVELIHOOD SUPPORT FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (MSMES), APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *PANGKABUHAYAN ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Economic Affairs, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-9 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PHILIPPINE ECOSYSTEM AND NATURAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTING SYSTEM (PENCAS), MANDATING ITS USE IN POLICY AND DECISION-MAKING, DESIGNATING THE AGENCIES RESPONSIBLE FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION, PROVIDING INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS AMONG RESPONSIBLE AGENCIES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE ECOSYSTEM AND NATURAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTING SYSTEM (PENCAS) LAW OF 2022*

- Committee Referral(s): Economic Affairs, Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Finance
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-10 “ AN ACT PROVIDING FOR PROTECTION OF THE REMITTANCES OF OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS”

- Short Title: *OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS (OFWS) REMITTANCE PROTECTION ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies, Migrant Workers
- Date Filed: July 4, 2022

SBN-238 AN ACT DECLARING THE NORTHERN ANTIQUE PROTECTED SEASCAPE AND LANDSCAPE LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF LIBERTAD, PANDAN, SEBASTE, CULASI AND TIBIAO IN THE PROVINCE OF ANTIQUE AS AN ECOTOURISM ZONE TO ENCOURAGE THE RESPONSIBLE AND SUSTAINABLE USE AS WELL AS FOR THE PRESERVATION AND CONSERVATION OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES FOUND THEREIN, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

- Short Title: *NORTHERN ANTIQUE PROTECTED SEASCAPE AND LANDSCAPE ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Tourism, Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-239 “AN ACT PROMOTING FOOD FOREST GARDENING, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *FOOD FOREST GARDENING ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Agriculture, Food and Agrarian Reform, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-240 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A SYSTEM OF REDISTRIBUTING AND RECYCLING FOOD WASTE TO PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY”

- Short Title: *ZERO FOOD WASTE ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Agriculture, Food and Agrarian, Reform, Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-241 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROTECTION OF THE PHILIPPINE HANDLOOM WEAVING INDUSTRY”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE HANDLOOM WEAVING INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Science and Technology, Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-242 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE INTEGRATION AND MAINSTREAMING OF CULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES IN THE COUNTRY’S NATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM”

- Short Title: *CULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAM ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Higher, Technical and Vocational Education, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-243 “AN ACT PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE AND ALTERNATIVE MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER MOBILITY OPTIONS”

- Short Title: *SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORTATION ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Sustainable Development Goals, Innovation and Futures Thinking, Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-244 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND PRESERVATION OF PHILIPPINE CULINARY HERITAGE”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE CULINARY HERITAGE ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-245 “AN ACT PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY OR EXPRESSION (SOGIE) AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *ANTI-DISCRIMINATION ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Women, Children, Family Relations and Gender Equality
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-246 “AN ACT REGULATING THE MANUFACTURING, IMPORTATION, AND USE OF SINGLE-USE PLASTIC PRODUCTS, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES, LEVIES AND INCENTIVES SYSTEM FOR INDUSTRIES, BUSINESS ENTERPRISES, AND CONSUMERS”

- Short Title: *SINGLE-USE PLASTICS REGULATION AND MANAGEMENT ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-247 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ONE TOWN, ONE PRODUCT (OTOP) PHILIPPINES PROGRAM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *OTOP PHILIPPINES ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Local Government, Finance
- Date Filed: July 11, 2022

SBN-488 “AN ACT DECLARING APRIL 7 OF EVERY YEAR AS BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS DAY TO BE KNOWN AS BHW DAY”

- Short Title: *BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS (BHW) DAY*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography and Local Government
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-489 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE VIROLOGY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INSTITUTE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *VIROLOGY INSTITUTE OF THE PHILIPPINES (VIP) ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Science and Technology, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-490 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and The Arts, Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-491 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR URBAN AND COUNTRYSIDE GREENING IN THE PHILIPPINES THROUGH MANDATORY TREE PLANTING AND ADOPTION OF A FOREST SANCTUARY BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION”

- Short Title: *FOREST SANCTUARIES ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Basic Education, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-492 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING PHILIPPINE PARTICIPATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITIONS OF THE VENICE BIENNALE”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE ARTS IN VENICE BIENNALE ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Foreign Relations, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-493 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM AND PROVIDING FOR A SUSTAINED REGULAR FUNDING SUPPORT TO ACCELERATE ITS IMPLEMENTATION”

- Short Title: *FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD DEVELOPMENT AND ACCELERATION ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Agriculture, Food and Agrarian Reform, Public Works, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-494 “AN ACT CREATING THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENFORCEMENT BUREAU (EPEB) UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES (DENR), PROVIDING FOR ITS POWER AND FUNCTIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENFORCEMENT BUREAU (EPEB)*
- Committee Referral(s): Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-495 “AN ACT EXEMPTING INCENTIVES, REWARDS, BONUSES, AND OTHER FORMS OF EMOLUMENTS RECEIVED BY NATIONAL ATHLETES AND COACHES FROM TAXES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10699, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'NATIONAL ATHLETES AND COACHES BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES ACT'”

- Short Title: *HIDILYN DIAZ ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Sports, Ways and Means
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-496 “AN ACT PROVIDING ENHANCED PROTECTION, SECURITY, AND BENEFITS FOR MEDIA WORKERS”

- Short Title: *MEDIA WORKERS' WELFARE ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development, Public Information and Mass Media
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-497 “AN ACT PROVIDING A FRAMEWORK TO PROTECT AND PROMOTE THE RIGHT TO ADEQUATE FOOD”

- Short Title: *RIGHT TO ADEQUATE FOOD ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Justice and Human Rights, Sustainable Development Goals, Innovation and Futures Thinking, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-498 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE DEFENSE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE DEFENSE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): National Defense and Security, Peace, Unification and Reconciliation, Higher, Technical and Vocational Education, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-499 “AN ACT TO REVIVE THE RESTAURANT INDUSTRY FOR A POST-COVID19 ECONOMY AND ENSURE THEIR TRANSITION TO A BETTER NORMAL”

- Short Title: *RESTAURANT INDUSTRY REVIVAL ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-500 “AN ACT PROVIDING EMERGENCY FOOD SUBSIDY TO EVERY POOR FILIPINO FAMILY AFFECTED BY THE QUARANTINE PROTOCOLS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF”

- Short Title: *EMERGENCY FOOD SUBSIDY ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-621 “AN ACT TO PROMOTE A CIRCULAR ECONOMY”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE CIRCULAR ECONOMY PROMOTION ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Sustainable Development Goals, Innovation and Futures Thinking, Economic Affairs, Finance
- Date Filed: July 13, 2022

SBN-622 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE CONSERVATION AND PROTECTION OF NATIONAL CULTURAL HERITAGE THROUGH ENHANCED CULTURAL HERITAGE EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND CULTURAL MAPPING, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10066 OR THE NATIONAL CULTURAL HERITAGE ACT OF 2009”

- Short Title: *AMENDING R.A NO. 10066 (NATIONAL CULTURAL HERITAGE ACT OF 2009)*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts and Local Government
- Date Filed: July 14, 2022

SBN-623 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL GREEN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PROGRAM”

- Short Title: *NATIONAL GREEN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Sustainable Development Goals, Innovation and Futures Thinking, Finance
- Date Filed: July 14, 2022

SBN-624 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE LINANGAN NG LIKHANG-BAYAN (INSTITUTE FOR LIVING TRADITIONS) TO ENSURE THE PROTECTION, PROMOTION, AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE COUNTRY'S COMMUNAL TRADITIONS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10066 OR THE NATIONAL CULTURAL HERITAGE ACT OF 2009, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *ESTABLISHING THE LINANGAN NG LIKHANG-BAYAN (INSTITUTE FOR LIVING TRADITIONS)*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Finance
- Date Filed: July 14, 2022

SBN-827 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A FREE ANNUAL MEDICAL CHECK-UP FOR FILIPINOS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS, THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *FREE ANNUAL MEDICAL CHECK-UP ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography, Finance
- Date Filed: July 14, 2022

SBN-828 “AN ACT INSTITUTING POLICIES FOR THE PROTECTION AND WELFARE OF CAREGIVERS IN THE PRACTICE OF THEIR PROFESSION”

- Short Title: *CAREGIVERS WELFARE ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-829 “AN ACT ADJUSTING THE MONTHLY PENSION AND DISABILITY BENEFITS OF RETIREES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS”

- Short Title: *FOREIGN AFFAIRS RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY BENEFITS ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Government Corporations and Public Enterprises, Foreign Relations, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-830 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY HUBS NATIONWIDE”

- Short Title: *ONLINE NETWORK PHILIPPINES ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Science and Technology, Local Government, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-831 “AN ACT RECOGNIZING THE COMMUNITY CONSERVED TERRITORIES AND AREAS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND CULTURAL COMMUNITIES, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE THE NATIONAL INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY CONSERVED AREAS REGISTRY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY CONSERVED TERRITORIES AND AREAS ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Cultural Communities and Muslim Affairs, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-832 “AN ACT PROMOTING INTEGRATED URBAN AGRICULTURE AND VERTICAL FARMING IN URBAN AREAS NATIONWIDE TO ENSURE FOOD SECURITY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS, THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *INTEGRATED URBAN AGRICULTURE AND VERTICAL FARMING ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Agriculture, Food and Agrarian Reform, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-833 “AN ACT FACILITATING AND REGULATING INTERNATIONAL DISASTER RELIEF AND INITIAL RECOVERY ASSISTANCE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *INTERNATIONAL DISASTER RELIEF AND INITIAL RECOVERY ASSISTANCE ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): National Defense and Security, Peace, Unification and Reconciliation, Foreign Relations, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-834 “AN ACT REQUIRING DISASTER-RELATED INFORMATION TO BE STATED IN ACCESSIBLE LANGUAGE TO ENSURE PUBLIC UNDERSTANDING THEREOF”

- Short Title: *LANGUAGE ACCESSIBILITY OF PUBLIC INFORMATION ON DISASTERS ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Public Information and Mass Media
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-835 “AN ACT PROVIDING POLICIES AND PRESCRIBING PROCEDURES TO PREVENT, CONTROL, AND RESPOND TO INFECTIOUS DISEASES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11332, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MANDATORY REPORTING OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES AND HEALTH EVENTS OF PUBLIC HEALTH CONCERN ACT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *POLICIES AND PROCEDURES TO PREVENT, CONTROL, AND RESPOND TO INFECTIOUS DISEASES*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-836 “AN ACT CREATING THE MUSIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL OF THE PHILIPPINES, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE MUSIC INDUSTRY ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-837 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL PUBLIC PARKS SYSTEM, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS, THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *NATIONAL PARKS OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Tourism, Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Finance

- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-838 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING RESOURCE CENTERS FOR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES TO ENHANCE AND ENSURE DELIVERY OF ESSENTIAL SERVICES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *RESOURCE CENTERS FOR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Cultural Communities and Muslim Affairs, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-839 “AN ACT SAFEGUARDING THE TRADITIONAL PROPERTY RIGHTS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES”

- Short Title: *TRADITIONAL PROPERTY RIGHTS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Cultural Communities and Muslim Affairs, Culture and the Arts, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-840 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE YOUNG FARMERS AND FISHERFOLK CHALLENGE PROGRAM, CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE YOUNG FARMERS AND FISHERFOLK CHALLENGE COUNCIL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *YOUNG FARMERS AND FISHERFOLK CHALLENGE ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Youth, Agriculture, Food and Agrarian Reform, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-841 “AN ACT DECLARING THE WALING-WALING ORCHIDS AS THE SECOND NATIONAL FLOWER OF THE PHILIPPINES IN ADDITION TO SAMPAGUITA”

- Short Title: *WALING-WALING ORCHIDS AS THE SECOND NATIONAL FLOWER OF THE PHILIPPINES*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-842 “AN ACT TO REGULATE NOISE POLLUTION BY CREATING THE NOISE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD (NPCB), PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *NOISE POLLUTION CONTROL AND ABATEMENT ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Finance
- Date Filed: July 25, 2022

SBN-899 “AN ACT EXPANDING AND CREATING THE REGULAR CAMPUSES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ANTIQUE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9746, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *EXPANDING AND CREATING THE REGULAR CAMPUSES OF ANTIQUE*
- Committee Referral(s): Higher, Technical and Vocational Education, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: July 27, 2022

SBN-1113 AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE CAPABILITIES, ESTABLISHING FOR THIS PURPOSE THE CENTER FOR DISEASE PREVENTION AND CONTROL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE CENTER FOR DISEASE PREVENTION AND CONTROL (CDC) ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1114 AN ACT PRESERVING THE COUNTRY’S TRADITIONAL FOLK ARTS AS PART OF ITS INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11333, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ‘NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE PHILIPPINES ACT’ AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *PRESERVING THE COUNTRY’S TRADITIONAL FOLK ARTS*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1115 AN ACT CREATING THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF FILIPINO WOMEN AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

- Short Title: *NATIONAL MUSEUM OF FILIPINO WOMEN ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Women, Children, Family Relations and Gender Equality, Culture and the Arts, Finance
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1116 AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL STUDIES

CENTERS IN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES (SUCS) THROUGHOUT THE PHILIPPINES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *LOCAL STUDIES CENTER*
- Committee Referral(s): Culture and the Arts, Higher, Technical and Vocational Education, Finance
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1117 AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL COASTAL GREENBELT ZONES AND THE NATIONAL COASTAL GREENBELT MANAGEMENT ACTION PLAN, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *NATIONAL COASTAL GREENBELT ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Finance
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1118 AN ACT PROMOTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE BAMBOO INDUSTRY BY STRENGTHENING THE PHILIPPINE BAMBOO INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, CREATING THE BAMBOO INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER, PROVIDING INCENTIVES FOR BAMBOO PLANTATION DEVELOPMENT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE BAMBOO INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1119 AN ACT ESTABLISHING PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS AND SAFEGUARDS FOR THE BETTER NORMAL IN THE WORKPLACE, PUBLIC PLACES AND COMMUNITIES TOWARD A SUSTAINABLE RECOVERY FROM THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND OTHER SIMILAR INFECTIOUS DISEASES”

- Short Title: *BETTER NORMAL FOR THE WORKPLACE, COMMUNITIES AND PUBLIC SPACES ACT OF 2022*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography, Finance
- Date Filed: August 9, 2022

SBN-1240 “AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7104, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'COMMISSION ON THE FILIPINO LANGUAGE ACT' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: *KOMISYON SA WIKANG FILIPINO (COMMISSION ON THE FILIPINO LANGUAGE) ACT*

- Committee Referral(s): Basic Education, Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Finance
- Date Filed: August 31, 2022

SBN-1241 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SCIENCE FOR CHANGE PROGRAM AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS, THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *SCIENCE FOR CHANGE PROGRAM*
- Committee Referral(s): Science and Technology, Finance
- Date Filed: August 31, 2022

SBN-1242 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR GERIATRIC HEALTH AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, CREATING REGIONAL GERIATRIC SPECIALTY CENTERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH-RETAINED HOSPITALS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: *GERIATRIC HEALTH ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Health and Demography, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: August 31, 2022

SBN-1243 “AN ACT PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS AND PENALIZING THE ACTS OF ARBITRARY INTERNAL DISPLACEMENT”

- Short Title : *RIGHTS OF INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS (RIDPA) ACT*
- Committee Referral(s): Justice and Human Rights, Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development, Ways and Means, Finance
- Date Filed: August 31, 2022

SBN-1244 “AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title : *DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES*
- Committee Referral(s): Public Services, Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation, Finance
- Date Filed: August 31, 2022

SBN-1248 “AN ACT INSTITUTING THE MAGNA CARTA OF FILIPINO SEAFARERS”

- Short Title: *MAGNA CARTA OF FILIPINO SEAFARERS*
- Committee Referral(s): Migrant Workers
- Date Filed: August 31, 2022

SBN-1249 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A PROPORTIONATE SCHOOL ADMISSION AND ACCEPTANCE SHARE IN THE PHILIPPINE MILITARY ACADEMY AND THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE ACADEMY FOR MEMBERS OF THE INDIGENOUS CULTURAL COMMUNITIES/INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND OTHER PURPOSES”

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- Short Title: *PHILIPPINE DISASTER AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ACT OF 2022*
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