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I. SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PRIMARILY REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

SBN-2293 “AN ACT DEFINING ELECTRONIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN, PROVIDING PROTECTIVE MEASURES, AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9262, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ANTI-VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN ACT OF 2004”

- Short Title: EXPANDED ANTI-VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (E-VAWC) ACT
- Date Filed: July 24, 2023
- Introduced by: Hon. MARK A. VILLAR

SBN-2315 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING NURSERY AND CHILDCARE FACILITIES PROXIMATE TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS, PROMOTING ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE CHILDCARE FACILITIES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: ESTABLISHING NURSERY AND CHILDCARE FACILITIES PROXIMATE TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS
- Date Filed: July 17, 2023
- Introduced by: Hon. MARK A. VILLAR

SBN-2371 “AN ACT DESIGNATING THE SECOND SUNDAY OF SEPTEMBER AS THE NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS DAY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS DAY ACT
- Date Filed: August 1, 2023
- Introduced by: Hon. IMEE R. MARCOS

SBN-2401 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN PROTECTION UNITS (WCPU) IN ALL GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS”

- Short Title: WOMEN AND CHILDREN PROTECTION UNITS ACT OF 2023
- Date Filed: August 10, 2023
- Introduced by: Hon. LOREN LEGARDA

SBN-2443 “AN ACT EXPANDING THE GROUNDS FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE, INSTITUTING DIVORCE AND SETTING THE PROCEDURES THEREOF, PROVIDING PROTECTIONS TO THE PARTIES TO THE MARRIAGE AND ITS COMMON CHILDREN, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 209, OR THE FAMILY CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES”

- Short Title: DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE ACT
- Date Filed: September 18, 2023
- Introduced by: Hon. RISA HONTIVEROS

II. SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SECONDARILY REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

SBN-2423 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING SUPPORT MECHANISMS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND SCHOOL PERSONNEL IN MATTERS OF STUDENT DISCIPLINE AND MECHANISMS FOR CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PROTECTION IN CASES RELATED THERETO”

- Short Title: CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT SUPPORT AND PROTECTION FOR TEACHERS ACT
- Date Filed: August 23, 2023
- Introduced by: Hon. MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID



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