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### EXPLANATORY NOTE

Considered to be a first class community, the Mariveles district in the province of Bataan has a total population of 85, 780 dispersed among the 18 barangays with a population growth rate of 4.71% per annum. With regards to the totality of the residents within this Municipality, there is 30% employment rate and almost more than 27,000 people work in the industrial sector. (<http://www.marivelesgovph.org>)

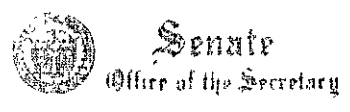
Mariveles is also known as one of the first districts to be engaged upon the notion of industrialization and thus propagating a need for additional programs that would compensate for the basic health services for its constituency.

The establishment of the Mariveles district hospital is aimed at ensuring an environment in which the residents would be able to afford quality health care as well as having a well maintained facility.

Hence, the passage of this bill is earnestly sought.

  
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**“AN ACT  
ESTABLISHING THE MARIVELES DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN  
THE MUNICIPALITY OF MARIVELES, PROVINCE OF BATAAN  
AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE**

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

**SECTION 1.** There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Municipal, Government of Mariveles, a fifty (50)-bed capacity district hospital in the Municipality of Mariveles, Province of Bataan to be known as the Mariveles District Hospital.

**SECTION 2.** Pursuant to Section 17, paragraph (f) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the “Local Government Code of 1991”, the Mariveles District Hospital shall receive from the national government such amount to provide or augment its basic health services and facilities for a period of five (5) years until such time that it shall have been established to meet the requirements of its inhabitants.

**SECTION 3.** The Secretary of Health shall immediately include in the Department’s programs the national government’s assistance for the operationalization of the Mariveles District Hospital, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

**SECTION 4.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,