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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 388		\
Submitted jointly by the Committees on Justice and Human Righon	ts; <i>and</i> Fina	nce
Re: S. No. 3031		
Recommending its approval with amendment.		
Sponsor: Senator Escudero		

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committees on Justice and Human Rights *and* Finance, to which was referred S. No. 3031, introduced by Sen. Escudero, entitled:

"AN ACT

CREATING TWO ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF ARGAO, PROVINCE OF CEBU, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR."

have considered the same and have the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be approved with the following amendment:

1.) "on Page 1, Section 3, Line 10, insert the following sentence at the end of the paragraph: THE FUNDS NECESSARY FOR THE OPERATION OF THE COURT(S) HEREIN CREATED SHALL BE APPROPRIATED AND RELEASED ONLY UPON THE ACTUAL ORGANIZATION OF THE COURT(S) AND THE APPOINTMENT OF ITS PERSONNEL."

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