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Committee Report No. 32

Submitted by the Committee on Public Information and Mass Media *ji* MAY 26 2014

Re: Senate Bill No. 2239 (prepared by the Committee)

Recommending its approval in substitution of Senate Bill Nos. 271, 349 and 1656, with Senators Revilla, Legarda and Poe as authors thereof, taking into consideration House Bill No. 925, introduced by Representatives Tieng, Velarde and Atienza

Sponsor: Senator Grace Poe

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Public Information and Mass Media to which were referred

Senate Bill No. 271, introduced by **Senator Ramon Bong Revilla Jr.**, entitled:

“AN ACT
REQUIRING ALL OWNERS OR OPERATORS OF TELEVISION NETWORKS OR STATIONS AND PRODUCERS OF TELEVISION NEWS PROGRAMS TO HAVE THEIR NEWS PROGRAMS BROADCAST WITH CLOSED-CAPTION AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREFOR

Senate Bill No. 349, introduced by **Senator Loren Legarda**, entitled:

“AN ACT
REQUIRING ALL FRANCHISE HOLDERS OR OPERATORS OF TELEVISION STATIONS, PRODUCERS OF TELEVISION PROGRAMS, HOME VIDEO PROGRAMS AND MOTION PICTURES TO BROADCAST OR PRESENT THEIR PROGRAMS AND FILMS WITH CLOSED-CAPTION AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF”

Senate Bill No. 1656, introduced by **Senator Grace Poe**, entitled:

“AN ACT
TO REQUIRE ALL FRANCHISE HOLDERS OR OPERATORS OF TELEVISION STATIONS AND PRODUCERS OF TELEVISION PROGRAMS TO BROADCAST OR PRESENT THEIR PROGRAMS WITH CLOSED CAPTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

and House Bill No. 925 introduced by **Representatives Tieng, Velarde and Atienza**, entitled:

“AN ACT

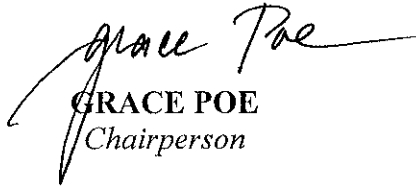
REQUIRING ALL FRANCHISE HOLDERS OR OPERATORS OF TELEVISION STATIONS AND PRODUCERS OF TELEVISION PROGRAMS TO BROADCAST OR PRESENT THEIR PROGRAMS WITH CLOSED CAPTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

have considered the same and have the honor to report them back to the Senate, with the recommendation that S.B. No. 2239 prepared by the Committee entitled:

“AN ACT
REQUIRING ALL FRANCHISE HOLDERS OR OPERATORS OF TELEVISION STATIONS AND PRODUCERS OF TELEVISION PROGRAMS TO BROADCAST OR PRESENT THEIR PROGRAMS WITH CLOSED CAPTIONS OPTION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

be approved in substitution of Senate Bill Nos. 271, 349 and 1656, with Senators Revilla, Legarda and Poe as authors thereof, taking into consideration House Bill No.925, introduced by Representatives Tieng, Velarde and Atienza

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

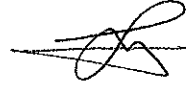


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Chairperson

Members



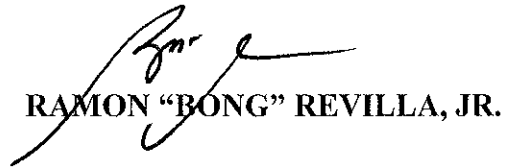
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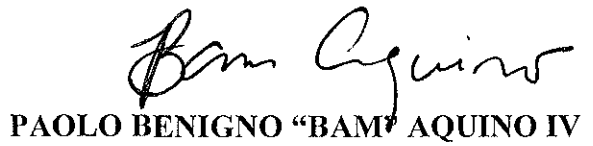
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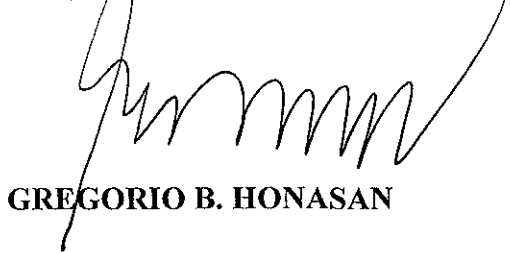
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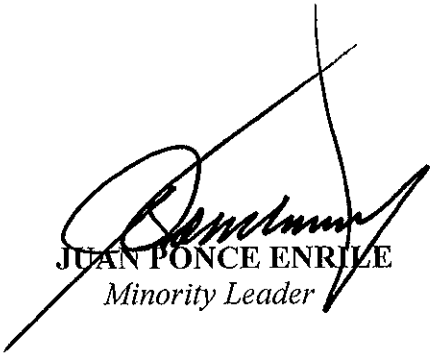


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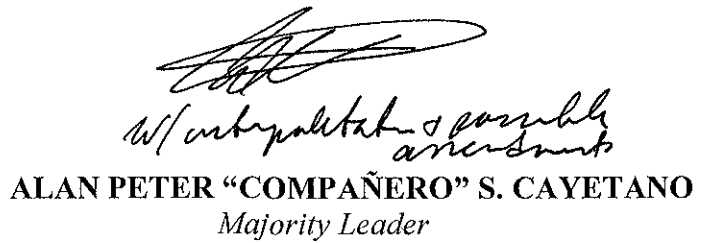


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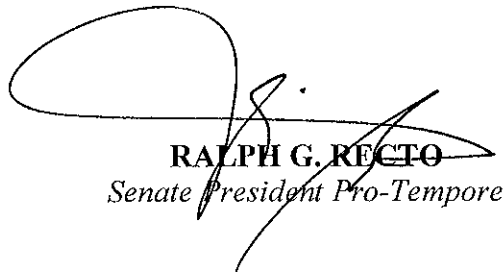
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Minority Leader



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