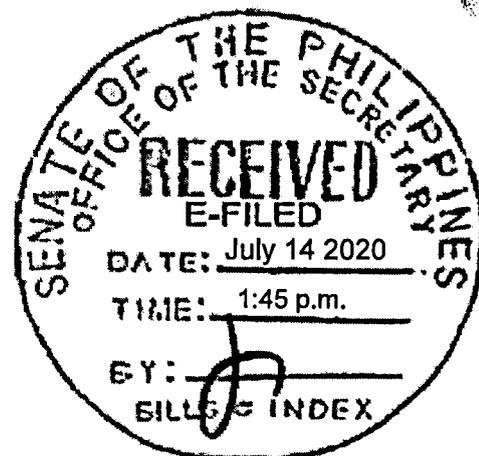


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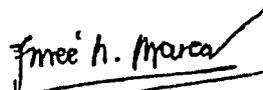
EXPLANATORY NOTE

Article X, Section 13 of the 1987 Constitution states that, "Local government units may group themselves, consolidate or coordinate their efforts, services, and resources for purposes commonly beneficial to them in accordance with law." Good infrastructure such as roads are important factor in the development of a municipality or a city. A good road is a fundamental need for a place to prosper.

The municipalities of Sogod and Borbon are under the jurisdiction of the 5th district of Cebu while the municipality of Tabogon and the City of Bogo are under the jurisdiction of the 4th district of Cebu. These two municipalities are potential economic sites and tourist destinations. To improve and appropriate maintenance of the said road and help in boosting tourism and economic development, the said provincial roads is sought to be converted into a national road.

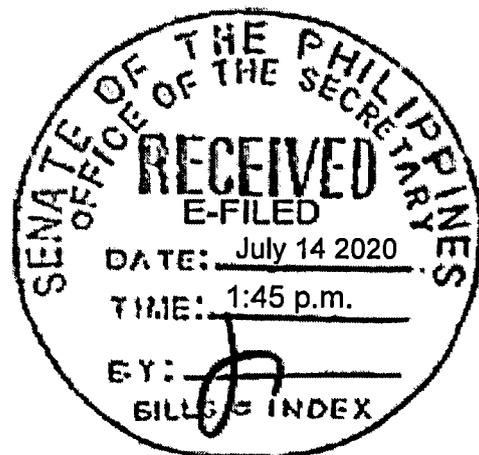
Hence, this bill seeks for the conversion of the provincial roads from Barangay Damolog, Sogod connecting to provincial roads of Borbon and Tabogon to Barangay Dakit, Bogo City, Cebu into national roads. This will undoubtedly contribute to the economic growth in the 4th and 5th Districts of the Province of Cebu.

In view of the foregoing, the passage of this bill is earnestly requested.


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

1 SECTION 1. The roads from Damolog, Sogod to Borbon and Tabogon to
2 Barangay Dakit, Bogo City, Cebu in the 5th and 4th Districts of the Province of Cebu.
3 is hereby converted and declared a national road.

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5 SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways shall
6 include in the Department's Program the improvement, repair and maintenance of the
7 said roads, the funding of which shall be included in the Annual General Appropriations
8 Act.

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10 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the
11 *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,