CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS Second Regular Session

## **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

H. No. 8192

By Representatives Chatto and Tambunting, per Committee Report No. 647

## **AN ACT**

INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE CONGRESSMAN NATALIO P. CASTILLO, SR. MEMORIAL HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOON, PROVINCE OF BOHOL FROM TWENTY-FIVE (25) TO ONE HUNDRED (100) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

- SECTION 1. The authorized bed capacity of the Congressman Natalio P. Castillo, Sr. Memorial Hospital (CNCMH) in the Municipality of Loon, Province of Bohol is hereby increased from twenty-five (25) to one hundred (100) beds. Any future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent with the hospital development plan that shall be prepared by the Chief of Hospital of the CNCMH and submitted to the Department of Health (DOH).
- SEC. 2. The existing professional health care services and facilities of the CNCMH shall also be upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for in Section 1 hereof.
- SEC. 3. The existing workforce of the CNCMH, which includes doctors, nurses and support personnel, shall be increased correspondingly.
- SEC. 4. The Provincial Government of Bohol shall provide the necessary funds to cover the maintenance and other operating expenses of the CNCMH. It shall also appropriate funds for the additional human resource complement to support the increase in bed capacity and the corresponding upgrading of its service facilities and professional health care services.
- **SEC. 5.** The Secretary of the DOH shall include in the Department's subsidy program its support for the capital outlay requirements of the CNCMH.

with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SEC. 8. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,