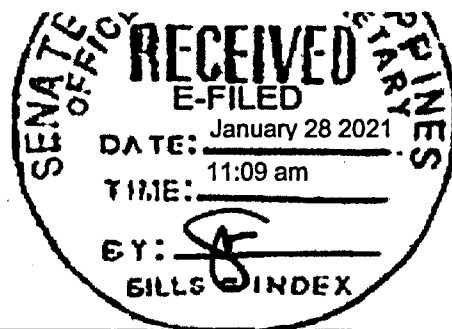


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OF THE CITY OF CALOOCAN INTO TWO (2) LEGISLATIVE
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

On 15 October 1986, an Ordinance was adopted by the framers of the 1987 Constitution which reapportions the seats of the House of Representatives to the different legislative districts in provinces and cities, and the Metropolitan Manila Area. Under Section 1 thereof, the City of Caloocan was allocated two (2) seats, whereby the First District shall be composed of seventy (70) barangays, all of Caloocan North of EDSA, while the Second District shall consist of one hundred seventy-seven (177) barangays, all of Caloocan South of EDSA.

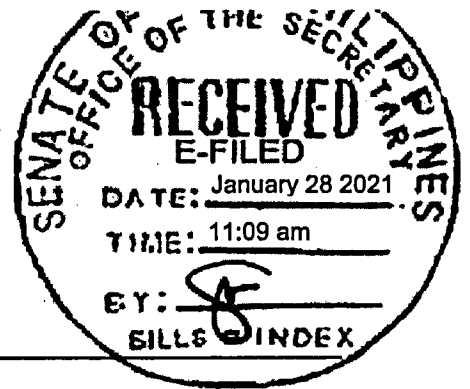
Based on the 2015 Census of Population of the Philippine Statistics Authority, Caloocan City has a total population of One Million Five Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Eight (1,583,978), or an increase of Nine Hundred Thirty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Eight (938,978). Of this city's total population, 75.34% or 1,193,419 live in the First Legislative District of the city and the rest reside in the Second Legislative District. As a result, there is a disproportion in the City's entitlement to proportionate representation in the House of Representatives, since the current assignment of seats does not bode well for the purpose and standards set out in Section 5, Article VI of the 1987 Constitution. Hence, This bill seeks to reapportion the First Legislative District of Caloocan City into two (2) legislative districts.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Imee R. Marcos". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal line.

IMEE R. MARCOS

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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 First Legislative District of the City of Caloocan is hereby
2 reapportioned into two (2) legislative districts to be designated as the First Legislative
3 District and Third Legislative District to commence in the next national and local
4 elections after the effectivity of this Act.

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6 a) The First Legislative District shall be composed of Barangays 1, 2,
7 3, 4, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 132, 133, 134, 135,
8 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148,
9 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161,
10 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174,
11 175, 176, and 177; and

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13 b) The Third Legislative District shall be composed of Barangays
14 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, and 188.
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16 **SEC. 2.** The Commission on Elections shall issue the necessary implementing
17 rules and regulations within thirty (30) days after the effectivity of this Act.

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19 **SEC. 3.** All laws, rules and regulations inconsistent with this Act are hereby
20 repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

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22 **SEC. 4.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the
23 *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,