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AN ACT
AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9164, RESETTING THE BARANGAY AND
SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN ELECTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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

1 **SECTION 1.** Section 1 of Republic Act No. 9164 is hereby amended to read as
2 follows:

3 **"SECTION 1. Date of Election.** – There shall be synchronized
4 barangay and sangguniang kabataan elections which shall be held on July
5 15, 2002. Subsequent synchronized barangay and sangguniang kabataan
6 elections shall be held on the [last Monday of October] 2nd MONDAY OF
7 MAY 2007, SIMULTANEOUS WITH THE NATIONAL AND LOCAL
8 ELECTIONS and every three (3) years thereafter".

9 **SEC. 2.** Section 4 of Republic Act 9164 is hereby amended to read as follows:

10 **"SEC. 4. Assumption of Office.** - The term of office of the
11 barangay and sangguniang kabataan officials elected under this Act shall
12 commence on August 15, 2002 , next following their elections. The term of
13 office of the barangay and sannguniang kabataan officials elected in
14 subsequent elections shall commence at noon of JUNE 30 next following
15 their election.

16 **SEC. 3.** Section 8 of Republic Act 9164 is hereby amended to read as follows:

1 **"SEC. 8. Appropriations.** - The amount NECESSARY [of One
2 Billion one hundred million pesos (P1,100,000,000.00) needed for the
3 purpose] IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS ACT shall be charged
4 from the appropriation of the COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS
5 {COMELEC) UNDER THE GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT AND/OR
6 SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATIONS THEREAFTER. [authorized
7 under Republic Act No. 9162, otherwise known as the FY 2002 General
8 Appropriations Act.]

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10 **SEC. 4. Repealing clause.** - All laws, decrees, executive orders, and rules and
11 regulation, or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, are hereby
12 repealed or modified accordingly.

13 **SEC. 5. Separability Clause.** - If, for any reason, any section or provision of this
14 Act is held unconstitutional or invalid, the other sections or provisions hereof shall not
15 be affected and thereby remain in full force and effect.

16 **SEC. 6. Effectivity Clause.** - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
17 complete publication in at least two (2) national newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,