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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 197

Submitted by the Committee on Agriculture, Food and Agrarian Reform
joint with the Committee on Finance on FEB 19 2024.

Re: H. B. No. 7300

Recommending the approval of House Bill No. 7300 without amendment.

Sponsor: Senator Cynthia A. Villar

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Agriculture, Food and Agrarian Reform joint with the
Committee on Finance to which was referred House Bill No. 7300, introduced by
Representatives Villafuerte (L.R.), Villafuerte (M.L.), Horibata, Enciso and
Yamsuan, entitled:

**"AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A SATELLITE MULTI-SPECIES MARINE HATCHERY IN
THE MUNICIPALITY OF MINALABAC, PROVINCE OF CAMARINES SUR,
AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"**

have considered the same and have the honor to report back to the Senate with
the recommendation that it be approved without amendment.

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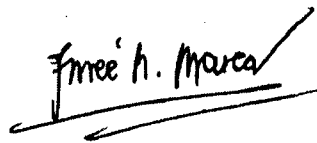
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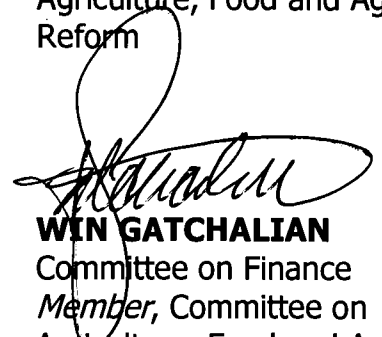
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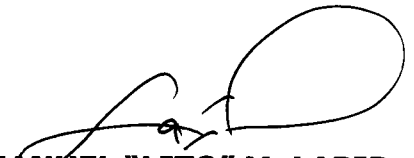


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Senate of the Philippines

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 7300

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLAFUERTE (L.R.), VILLAFUERTE (M.L.), HORIBATA, ENCISO AND YAMSUAN, PER.
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 337

AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A SATELLITE MULTI-SPECIES MARINE HATCHERY IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF MINALABAC, PROVINCE OF CAMARINES SUR, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.

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

1 SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision of the Bureau of Fisheries
2 and Aquatic Resources of the Department of Agriculture (DA-BFAR), a satellite multi-species
3 marine hatchery in the Municipality of Minalabac, Province of Camarines Sur.
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5 SEC. 2. Prior to the establishment of the satellite multi-species marine hatchery, the DA-
6 BFAR shall conduct a full-scale feasibility study in support of its construction to comply with the
7 requirements of the Department of Budget and Management.
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9 Within two (2) years after the construction of the satellite multi-species marine hatchery,
10 the BFAR-DA, through a memorandum of agreement, shall transfer the management of the same
11 to the local government of the Municipality of Minalabac. The DA-BFAR shall implement a
12 training and phasing-in program for the local government personnel on the management and
13 operation of the satellite multi-species marine hatchery.
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15 SEC. 3. The Secretary of Agriculture shall include in the Department's programs the
16 conduct of the feasibility study and the consequent establishment of the satellite multi-species
17 marine hatchery in the Municipality of Minalabac, Province of Camarines Sur, the funding of
18 which shall be included in the General Appropriations Act. The local government unit concerned
19 shall set aside funds from any available local revenue in an amount deemed appropriate for the
20 operationalization of the satellite multi-species marine hatchery.
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22 SEC. 4. Within sixty (60) days from the approval of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture
23 shall issue the rules and regulations on the establishment, supervision, monitoring, and the
24 eventual transfer of the management of the satellite multi-species marine hatchery to the local
25 government of the Municipality of Minalabac.
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27 SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official*
28 *Gazette* or in any newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,