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Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Act No. 3815, otherwise known as the Penal Code, Art. 248, does not include in defining and penalizing the crime of murder committed under extraordinary circumstances. Hence, this bill seeks to amend the said law by incorporating a new subsection, Article 248-A, which defines and penalizes the crime of murder committed under extraordinary circumstances.*

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* This bill was re-filed during the Thirteenth Congress, First Regular Session.

1 VEHICLES WHOSE DRIVERS ARE FOUND GUILTY OF THE
2 CRIME AS DEFINED IN THIS ACT AND PENALTY OF ONE
3 DEGREE LOWER THAN THOSE PROVIDE UNDER THE SAME
4 SUBSECTION, SHALL BE IMPOSED, IF IT CAN BE SHOWN THAT
5 SAID OWNERS/OPERATORS DID NOT EXERCISE
6 EXTRAORDINARY DILIGENCE IN THE SELECTION AND
7 SUPERVISION OF THEIR EMPLOYEES; PROVIDE, THAT, IF THE
8 MOTOR VEHICLE USED IN COMMITTING THE
9 ABOVEMENTIONED CRIME IS REGISTERED TO A
10 CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP OR ASSOCIATION, THE
11 PENALTY ATTACHED SHALL BE IMPOSED UPON ITS PROPER
12 OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES, IF IT CAN LIKEWISE BE SHOWN
13 THAT OFFICERS AND EMPOLYEEES DID NOT EXERCISE
14 EXTRAORDINARY DILIGENCE IN THE SELECTION AND
15 SUPERVISION OF THEIR EMPLOYEES; PROVIDED, FURTHER
16 THAT THE TERM "PROPER OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES" USED
17 HEREIN SHALL INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, THE
18 PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT, CORPORATE SECRETARY,
19 TREASURER, MANAGER, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS AND
20 DIRECTORS OF THE CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP OR
21 ASSOCIATION CONCERNED."

22 SECTION 2. *Repealing Clause.* – Any law, presidential decree or issuance, executive
23 order, letter of instruction, administrative rule or regulation contrary to o inconsistent with the
24 provision of this Act is hereby repealed, modified or amended accordingly.

25 SECTION 3. *Effectivity Clause.* – This Act shall effect fifteen (15) days after its
26 publication in at least two newspapers of general circulation

27 Approved,