


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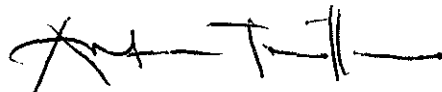
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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

There are two laws passed on the retirement system of the Armed Forces of the Philippines: Republic Act No. 340 series of 1948 and Presidential No. 1638 series of 1979.

This bill seeks to amend P.D. 1638 and revert back to the provision of R.A. 340 in recognition of the service our men and women on the field have so courageously provided in defense of the State. Service in the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP) for a fraction of at least six (6) months should be counted as one year of service.

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



**ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV**  
Senator

