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SENATE
S.B. No. **2699**

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Introduced by Senators Trillanes, Pimentel, Angara, Biazon, Enrile and Defensor Santiago.

AN ACT
TO AMEND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3046, AS AMENDED BY
REPUBLIC ACT NO. 5446, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Republic Act No. 3046, entitled "An Act to Define the Baselines of the Territorial Sea of the Philippines", as amended by Section 1 of Republic Act No. 5446, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The archipelagic baselines of the Philippines shall be measured from basepoints that are hereby defined and described specifically as follows:

| Basepoint No. | Station Name | Location | World Geodetic System of 1984 (WGS 84 Coordinates) | | Distance to Next Basepoint in Nautical Miles |
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| | | | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) | |
| 1 | PAB-01 | Amianan Is. | 21° 6' 57.73" | 121° 57' 27.71" | 69.99 |
| 2 | PAB-02 | Balintang Is. | 19° 57' 41.14" | 122° 9' 49.79" | 99.21 |
| 3 | PAB-04 | Iligan Pt. | 18° 18' 35.31" | 122° 20' 18.67" | 71.83 |
| 4 | PAB-05A | Ditolong Pt. | 17° 7' 16.30" | 122° 31' 28.34" | 1.05 |
| 5 | PAB-05B | Ditolong Pt. | 17° 6' 14.79" | 122° 31' 43.84" | 0.39 |
| 6 | PAB-05 | Ditolong Pt. | 17° 5' 51.31" | 122° 31' 42.66" | 3.29 |
| 7 | PAB-06 | Spires Is. | 17° 2' 36.91" | 122° 31' 3.28" | 9.74 |
| 8 | PAB-06B | Digollorin Pt. | 16° 53' 18.03" | 122° 27' 56.61" | 3.51 |
| 9 | PAB-06C | Digollorin Rk. | 16° 49' 56.11" | 122° 26' 50.78" | 2.40 |
| 10 | PAB-07 | Divuisa Pt. | 16° 47' 38.86" | 122° 26' 4.40" | 31.13 |
| 11 | PAB-08 | Dijohan Pt. | 16° 18' 36.82" | 122° 14' 3.48" | 116.54 |
| 12 | PAB-10A | Tinaga Is. | 14° 29' 31.22" | 122° 57' 43.86" | 80.29 |
| 13 | PAB-11 | Horodaba Rk. | 14° 6' 29.91" | 124° 16' 59.21" | 0.54 |
| 14 | PAB-12 | Matulin Rk. | 14° 6' 10.40" | 124° 17' 26.28" | 96.04 |
| 15 | PAB-13 | Atalaya Pt. | 12° 41' 6.37" | 125° 3' 53.71" | 6.79 |
| 16 | PAB-13A | Bacan Is. | 12° 36' 18.41" | 125° 8' 50.19" | 5.52 |
| 17 | PAB-14 | Finch Rk. | 12° 32' 33.62" | 125° 12' 59.70" | 0.80 |
| 18 | PAB-14A | Cube Rk. | 12° 31' 57.45" | 125° 13' 32.37" | 4.90 |
| 19 | PAB-14D | NW Manjud Pt. | 12° 28' 36.42" | 125° 17' 12.32" | 1.30 |
| 20 | PAB-15 | SE Manjud Pt. | 12° 27' 37.51" | 125° 18' 5.23" | 7.69 |

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| 21 | PAB-16A | Sora Cay (East) | 12° 21' 41.64" | 125 °23' 7.41" | 5.68 |
| 22 | PAB-16B | Panablijon | 12° 17' 27.17" | 125 °27' 0.12" | 5.21 |
| 23 | PAB-16C | Alugon | 12° 13' 21.95" | 125 °30' 19.47" | 1.94 |
| 24 | PAB-16D | N Bunga Pt. | 12° 11' 48.16" | 125 °31' 30.88" | 0.54 |
| 25 | PAB-17A | E Bunga Pt. | 12° 11' 20.67" | 125 °31' 48.29" | 5.40 |
| 26 | PAB-18A | Tubabao Is. (SE) | 12° 6' 23.38" | 125 °34' 2.29" | 83.96 |
| 27 | PAB-19C | Suluan Is. | 10° 45' 27.37" | 125 °58' 4.69" | 56.32 |
| 28 | PAB-19D | N Tuason Pt. | 9° 50' 6.44" | 126 ° 9' 55.25" | 1.46 |
| 29 | PAB-20 | Tuason Pt. | 9° 48' 38.95" | 126 °10' 6.46" | 56.34 |
| 30 | PAB-20A | Arangasa Is. | 8° 53' 2.78" | 126 °20' 47.52" | 40.30 |
| 31 | PAB-21B | Sanco Pt. | 8° 13' 23.18" | 126 °28' 58.88" | 30.85 |
| 32 | PAB-22 | Bagoso Is. | 7° 42' 50.97" | 126 °34' 20.22" | 13.07 |
| 33 | PAB-22C | Languyan | 7° 29' 49.47" | 126 °35' 59.24" | 0.54 |
| 34 | PAB-23 | Languyan | 7° 29' 16.85" | 126 °35' 56.20" | 0.76 |
| 35 | PAB-23B | Languyan | 7° 28' 30.95" | 126 °35' 53.76" | 1.02 |
| 36 | PAB-23C | N Baculin Pt. | 7° 27' 29.42" | 126 °35' 51.71" | 10.12 |
| 37 | PAB-24 | Pusan Pt. | 7° 17' 19.80" | 126 °36' 18.16" | 64.41 |
| 38 | PAB-25B | Cape San Agustin | 6° 17' 14.73" | 126 °12' 14.40" | 1.28 |
| 39 | PAB-25 | Cape San Agustin | 6° 16' 8.35" | 126 °11' 35.06" | 67.39 |
| 40 | PAB-26 | SE Tip Sarangani Is. | 5° 23' 42.48" | 125 °28' 47.45" | 0.60 |
| 41 | PAB-27 | Panguil Bato Pt. | 5° 23' 21.86" | 125 °28' 17.45" | 3.41 |
| 42 | PAB-28 | Tapundo Pt. | 5° 21' 55.66" | 125 °25' 11.21" | 3.35 |
| 43 | PAB-29 | W Calia Pt. | 5° 21' 59.21" | 125 °21' 49.93" | 0.85 |
| 44 | PAB-30 | Manamil Is. | 5° 22' 6.15" | 125 °20' 59.07" | 1.78 |
| 45 | PAB-31 | Marampog Pt. | 5° 23' 21.92" | 125 °19' 43.41" | 78.60 |
| 46 | PAB-32 | NW Pola Pt. | 6° 9' 18.41" | 124 °15' 34.93" | 122.73 |
| 47 | PAB-33A | Kauluan Is. | 6° 26' 47.22" | 122° 13' 34.50" | 29.59 |
| 48 | PAB-34A | Tongquil Is. | 6° 2' 28.09" | 121° 56' 28.35" | 2.25 |
| 49 | PAB-35 | Tongquil Is. | 6° 1' 7.36" | 121° 54' 39.26" | 1.48 |
| 50 | PAB-35A | Tongquil Is. | 6° 0' 24.86" | 121° 53' 20.84" | 0.77 |
| 51 | PAB-36 | Tongquil Is. | 6° 0' 4.66" | 121° 52' 39.05" | 85.37 |
| 52 | PAB-38A | Kinapusan Is. | 5° 12' 8.70" | 120° 41' 38.14" | 55.13 |
| 53 | PAB-39 | Manuk Manka Is. | 4° 47' 44.76" | 119° 52' 2.46" | 43.55 |
| 54 | PAB-40 | Frances Reef | 4° 24' 53.84" | 119° 14' 50.71" | 15.78 |
| 55 | PAB-41A | Bajapa Reef | 4° 36' 1.24" | 119° 3' 35.47" | 6.85 |
| 56 | PAB-42A | Paguan Is. | 4° 42' 40.45" | 119° 1' 49.71" | 4.03 |
| 57 | PAB-43 | Alice Reef | 4° 46' 12.43" | 119° 3' 48.12" | 1.66 |
| 58 | PAB-44 | Alice Reef | 4° 47' 5.36" | 119° 5' 12.94" | 18.60 |
| 59 | PAB-45 | Omapoy Rk. | 4° 55' 10.45" | 119° 22' 1.30" | 23.37 |
| 60 | PAB-46 | Bukut Lapis Pt. | 5° 2' 23.73" | 119° 44' 18.14" | 44.20 |
| 61 | PAB-47 | Pearl Bank | 5° 46' 35.15" | 119° 39' 51.77" | 75.18 |
| 62 | PAB-48 | Baguan Is. | 6° 6' 1.19" | 118° 26' 57.49" | 8.56 |
| 63 | PAB-48A | Taganak Is. | 6° 4' 14.08" | 118° 18' 33.33" | 13.48 |
| 64 | PAB-49 | Great Bakkungan Is. | 6° 11' 6.07" | 118° 6' 53.13" | 3.94 |
| 65 | PAB-50 | Lihiman Is. | 6° 13' 39.90" | 118° 3' 52.09" | 5.53 |
| 66 | PAB-51 | Sibaung Is. | 6° 17' 43.99" | 118° 0' 5.44" | 41.68 |
| 67 | PAB-52 | Muligi Is. | 6° 52' 22.98" | 118° 23' 37.43" | 74.83 |
| 68 | PAB-53 | South Mangsee Is. | 7° 30' 25.13" | 117° 18' 40.82" | 25.95 |
| 69 | PAB-54 | Balabac Is. | 7° 48' 36.82" | 116° 59' 57.30" | 2.34 |
| 70 | PAB-54A | Gnat Reef | 7° 49' 45.88" | 116° 57' 53.58" | 5.07 |
| 71 | PAB-54B | Balabac Great Reef | 7° 52' 19.86" | 116° 53' 28.73" | 2.27 |
| 72 | PAB-55 | Balabac Great Reef | 7° 54' 36.35" | 116° 53' 16.64" | 7.42 |
| 73 | PAB-60 | Ada Reef | 8° 2' 0.26" | 116° 54' 10.04" | 11.28 |
| 74 | PAB-61 | Secam Is. | 8° 11' 6.45" | 117° 0' 56.16" | 30.52 |

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| 75 | PAB-62 | Latud Pt. | 8° 37' 56.37" | 117° 15' 51.23" | 8.86 |
| 76 | PAB-63 | Tatub Pt. | 8° 44' 46.92" | 117° 21' 34.89" | 10.94 |
| 77 | PAB-63A | W Sicud Pt. | 8° 53' 32.20" | 117° 28' 15.78" | 13.20 |
| 78 | PAB-64 | Tarumpitao Pt. | 9° 2' 57.47" | 117° 37' 38.88" | 81.12 |
| 79 | PAB-64B | Dry Is. | 9° 59' 22.54" | 118° 36' 53.61" | 82.76 |
| 80 | PAB-65C | Binangcolan Pt. | 11° 13' 19.82" | 119° 15' 17.74" | 74.65 |
| 81 | PAB-67 | Pinnacle Rk. | 12° 19' 35.22" | 119° 50' 56.00" | 93.88 |
| 82 | PAB-68 | Cabra Is. | 13° 53' 21.45" | 120° 1' 5.86" | 115.69 |
| 83 | PAB-71 | Hermana Mayor Is. | 15° 48' 43.61" | 119° 46' 56.09" | 9.30 |
| 84 | PAB-72 | Tamboho Pt. | 15° 57' 51.67" | 119° 44' 55.32" | 12.06 |
| 85 | PAB-73B | Rena Pt. | 16° 9' 57.90" | 119° 45' 15.76" | 0.25 |
| 86 | PAB-73 | Rena Pt. | 16° 10' 12.42" | 119° 45' 11.95" | 6.43 |
| 87 | PAB-74 | Rocky Ledge | 16° 16' 34.46" | 119° 46' 19.50" | 0.65 |
| 88 | PAB-74A | Piedra Pt. | 16° 17' 12.70" | 119° 46' 28.52" | 1.30 |
| 89 | PAB-75 | Piedra Pt. | 16° 18' 29.49" | 119° 46' 44.94" | 1.04 |
| 90 | PAB-75C | Piedra Pt. | 16° 19' 28.20" | 119° 47' 7.69" | 0.71 |
| 91 | PAB-75D | Piedra Pt. | 16° 20' 10.91" | 119° 47' 10.76" | 80.56 |
| 92 | PAB-76 | Dile Pt. | 17° 34' 24.94" | 120° 20' 33.36" | 6.86 |
| 93 | PAB-77 | Pinget Is. | 17° 41' 17.56" | 120° 21' 2.02" | 14.15 |
| 94 | PAB-78 | Badoc Is. | 17° 55' 4.13" | 120° 24' 40.56" | 35.40 |
| 95 | PAB-79 | Cape Bojeador | 18° 29' 32.42" | 120° 33' 42.41" | 1.77 |
| 96 | PAB-79B | Bobon | 18° 30' 52.88" | 120° 34' 55.35" | 53.23 |
| 97 | PAB-80 | Calagangan Pt. | 19° 10' 14.78" | 121° 12' 52.64" | 98.07 |
| 98 | PAB-82 | Itbayat, Batanes | 20° 43' 15.74" | 121° 46' 57.80" | 25.58 |
| 99 | PAB-83 | Amianan Is. | 21° 7' 14.51" | 121° 56' 44.22" | 0.04 |
| 100 | PAB-84 | Amianan Is. | 21° 7' 16.29" | 121° 56' 46.17" | 0.36 |
| 101 | PAB-85 | Amianan Is. | 21° 7' 7.66" | 121° 57' 7.58" | 0.35 |

SECTION 2. The Kalayaan Island Group declared as belonging and subject to the sovereignty of the Philippines under Presidential Decree No. 1596, and the Scarborough Shoal, over which the Philippines exercises sovereignty and jurisdiction, shall be considered as "regime of islands" of the Republic of the Philippines under Article 121 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea.

SECTION 3. This Act shall be without prejudice to Philippine dominion and sovereignty over all portions of the national territory as defined under Article 1 of the Constitution of the Republic of the Philippines and by applicable laws.

SECTION 4. If any portion or provision of this Act is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other portions or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen days following its publication in the Official Gazette or in any two newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,