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## SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

**SBN 101** "AN ACT REMOVING THE RESTRICTIONS UNDER SECTIONS 118, 119, 121, 122 AND 123 OF COMMONWEALTH ACT NO. 141, AS AMENDED ON FREE PATENTS ISSUED UNDER SECTION 44 THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD "DICK" J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

**SBN 102** "AN ACT INCREASING THE NUMBER OF RAYS OF THE SUN ON THE PHILIPPINE FLAG FROM EIGHT TO NINE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8491, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE FLAG AND HERALDIC CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 103** "AN ACT CREATING THE MINDANAO RAILWAY CORPORATION TO ESTABLISH THE MINDANAO RAILWAY SYSTEM, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 104** "AN ACT REQUIRING ALL GOVERNMENT-ISSUED CERTIFICATES, LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS TO PROVIDE THE CORRECT BLOOD TYPE OF THE PERSON THEREIN, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD "DICK" J. GORDON

- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 105** "AN ACT REQUIRING THE REGISTRATION OF SUBSCRIBER IDENTITY MODULE (SIM) CARDS IN MOBILE PHONES"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD "DICK" J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**SBN 106** "AN ACT PUNISHING THE WILLFUL FAILURE TO PAY CHILD SUPPORT"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 107** "AN ACT REPEALING THE ESTATE TAX UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, OR THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 108** "AN ACT DECLARING APRIL 27 OF EVERY YEAR AS A SPECIAL WORKING PUBLIC HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY TO COMMEMORATE THE VICTORY OF LAPU-LAPU AND HIS MEN OVER THE SPANIARDS LED BY FERDINAND MAGELLAN IN THE HISTORIC BATTLE OF MACTAN ON APRIL 27, 1521, TO BE KNOWN AS LAPU-LAPU DAY OR ADLAW NI LAPU-LAPU"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD "DICK" J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 109** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 10 OF REPUBLIC ACT 8239, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ACT OF 1996 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON
- Referred to the Committee on FOREIGN RELATIONS

**SBN 110** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE SHARE IN THE NATIONAL TAXES OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 111** "AN ACT PROVIDING A FRAMEWORK FOR THE RIGHT TO ADEQUATE FOOD"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 112** "AN ACT CREATING THE MINDANAO RAILWAYS CORPORATION PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS, AND DUTIES, AND PROVIDING FOR THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATION"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 113** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE PREVENTION OF TORTURE (NCPT), THE NATIONAL PREVENTIVE MECHANISM AGAINST TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL, INHUMAN, OR DEGRADING TREATMENT OR PUNISHMENT IN THE PHILIPPINES, PROVIDING A FRAMEWORK FOR IMPLEMENTING OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE OPTIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION AGAINST TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL, INHUMAN, OR DEGRADING TREATMENT OR PUNISHMENT (OPCAT), AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 114** "AN ACT ABOLISHING THE ROAD BOARD CREATED BY VIRTUE OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8794 AND TRANSFERRING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS AND TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8794"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC WORKS; and PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 115** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 2 OF THE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1405, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LAW ON SECRECY OF BANK DEPOSITS"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES

**SBN 116** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 53 (B) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9184, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION, STANDARDIZATION AND REGULATION OF THE PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

**SBN 117** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST LABOR-ONLY CONTRACTING, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 118** "AN ACT AMENDING ARTICLE 365 OF ACT NO. 3815, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE REVISED PENAL CODE"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 119** AN ACT TO REGULATE THE PRACTICE OF PROFESSIONAL BUILDING OFFICIALS IN THE PHILIPPINES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 120** "AN ACT CREATING THE MINDANAO RAILWAYS AUTHORITY (MRA), PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 4156 ENTITLED "AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL RAILWAYS, PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES, AND PROVIDING FOR THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATION" AS AMENDED BY R.A. NO. 6366, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 121** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 24 (A)(2) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 122** "AN ACT ABOLISHING IRRIGATION SERVICE FEES AND SUCH OTHER SIMILAR OR RELATED FEES FROM BENEFICIARIES OR IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FUNDED AND CONSTRUCTED BY, OR UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE NATIONAL IRRIGATION ADMINISTRATION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CERTAIN SECTIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3601, PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 552 AND PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1702"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and FINANCE

**SBN 123** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR FREE MEALS FOR STUDENTS OF THE PUBLIC EDUCATION SYSTEM PARTICULARLY SCHOOLCHILDREN FROM KINDERGARTEN TO JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL, FOLLOWING THE K-12 POLICY, PROVIDING FRAMEWORK FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 124** "AN ACT INCREASING THE ALLOWABLE PERSONAL AND ADDITIONAL EXEMPTIONS OF INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 35 (A) AND (B) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 125** "AN ACT REDUCING THE CORPORATE INCOME TAX RATE, AMENDING SECTIONS 27 AND 28 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 126** "AN ACT CLASSIFYING THE SALE OR IMPORTATION OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS AND RAW MATERIALS IN THE MANUFACTURE THEREOF AS VALUE-ADDED TAX EXEMPT TRANSACTIONS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 109 (1) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE TAX REFORM ACT OF 1997, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9337, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 127** "AN ACT RESTORING AND REHABILITATING THE EXISTING LINES OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL RAILWAYS, EXTENDING FURTHER THE SOUTHERN LINE TO MATNOG, SORSOGON AND ESTABLISHING THE RAILWAY EXTENSION LINE FROM CALAMBA CITY TO BATANGAS CITY, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 4156 ENTITLED "AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL RAILWAYS, PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES, AND PROVIDING FOR THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATION" AS AMENDED BY R.A. NO. 6366, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; and FINANCE

**SBN 128** "AN ACT CONSTITUTING A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO AMEND THE 1987 PHILIPPINE CONSTITUTION, DEFINING QUALIFICATIONS FOR ITS DELEGATES WHO SHALL BE ELECTED SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE OCTOBER 2016 BARANGAY ELECTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES; and ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION

**SBN 129** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 24 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 130** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 24 OF THE NATIONAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 131** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR TAX DEDUCTIONS FOR FAMILY REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING PAYMENTS FOR TERTIARY EDUCATION TUITION AND ALLIED EXPENSES AS WELL AS INTEREST PAYMENTS FOR A FIRST HOME MORTGAGE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 34 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 132** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 3 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, ESTABLISHING A TAXPAYER ASSISTANCE SERVICE IN THE BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 133** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MECHANISM TO ENABLE POOR FILIPINO FAMILIES TO HAVE AT LEAST ONE COLLEGE GRADUATE BY INSTITUTIONALIZING THE EXPANDED STUDENT GRANTS-IN-AID PROGRAM FOR POVERTY ALLEVIATION (ESGP-PA) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 134** "AN ACT GRANTING DISCOUNTS ON BASIC AND EDUCATION SERVICES TO UNDEPRIVILEGED STUDENTS IN ALL LEVELS, INCLUDING THOSE ENROLLED IN TECHNICAL - VOCATIONAL (TECH-VOC) INSTITUTIONS"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 135** "AN ACT UPGRADING THE MINIMUM SALARY GRADE LEVEL OF TEACHERS FROM SALARY GRADE 11 TO 19"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 136** "AN ACT TO PROTECT FILIPINO MOTHERS AND CHILDREN FROM MALNUTRITION BY ESTABLISHING A MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CARE PROGRAM APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; and FINANCE

**SBN 137** "AN ACT CREATING THE MINDANAO RAILWAYS CORPORATION, PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND

DUTIES, AND PROVIDING FOR THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATION”

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 138** “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA FOR THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE”

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

**SBN 139** “AN ACT DECLARING THE COCONUT LEVY ASSETS AS A TRUST FUND, PROVIDING FOR ITS MANAGEMENT AND UTILIZATION, AUTHORIZING THE PRIVATIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OFFICE TO DISPOSE THE COCONUT LEVY ASSETS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and FINANCE

**SBN 140** “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR FREE IRRIGATION SERVICES TO FARMERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3601, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee on Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and FINANCE

**SBN 141** “AN ACT MANDATING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO PROMOTE URBAN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE COUNTRY'S METROPOLITAN AREAS, TO ADDRESS FOOD SECURITY, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 142** "AN ACT MERGING THE PHILIPPINE CARABAO CENTER AND THE NATIONAL DAIRY AUTHORITY INTO THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL DAIRY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY TO PROVIDE GREATER FOCUS ON THE ACCELERATED DEVELOPMENT OF THE DAIRY INDUSTRY AND TO INCREASE PRODUCTION OF DAIRY ANIMALS IN THE PHILIPPINES, PROVIDING A RUMINANT DEVELOPMENT FUND THEREFORE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 143** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL CROP PROTECTION PROGRAM, CREATING THE PHILIPPINE CROP PROTECTION AGENCY BY CONSOLIDATING THE DISPARATE CROP PROTECTION, QUARANTINE AND PEST MANAGEMENT EFFORTS, ACTIVITIES, AND AGENCIES, INTO A HOLISTIC AND INTEGRATED SERVICE TO PROMOTE THE SUSTAINABILITY AND GREATER PRODUCTIVITY OF THE PHILIPPINE AGRICULTURE SECTOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 144** "AN ACT PROMOTING THE SCIENTIFIC PROPAGATION, PROCESSING, UTILIZATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF PHILIPPINE NATIVE ANIMALS, HEREBY CREATING THE PHILIPPINE NATIVE ANIMAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and FINANCE

**SBN 145** "AN ACT MANDATING A TWO THOUSAND PESO ACROSS-THE-BOARD INCREASE IN THE MONTHLY PENSION WITH CORRESPONDING ADJUSTMENT OF THE MINIMUM MONTHLY PENSION UNDER THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE SECTION 12 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1161, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT OF 1997"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 146** "AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; FOREIGN RELATIONS; and FINANCE

**SBN 147** "AN ACT ADJUSTING THE INCOME BRACKETS AND RATES OF TAX IMPOSED ON TAXABLE INCOME OF INDIVIDUALS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE SECTION 24 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 148** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE LAS PIÑAS - PARAÑAQUE CRITICAL HABITAT AND ECOTOURISM AREA AS A WETLAND, ENSURING THE PROTECTION THEREOF, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; TOURISM; and FINANCE

**SBN 149** "AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE RIGHT OF CITIZENS TO INFORMATION HELD BY THE GOVERNMENT"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

**SBN. 150** "AN ACT INCREASING PENSIONS UNDER THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 12 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1161, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT OF 1997"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 151** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 24 & 25 OF NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 152** "AN ACT PROMOTING THE REVITALIZATION, REHABILITATION AND MODERNIZATION OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL RAILWAYS AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF R.A. NO. 4156 ENTITLED "AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL RAILWAYS, PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES, AND PROVIDING FOR THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATION"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 153** "AN ACT DEFINING THE CRIME OF ROBBERY OF TRAIN IMPLEMENTS, CLASSIFYING THE ACT AS HEINOUS CRIME AND IMPOSING PENALTY THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES; and FINANCE

**SBN 154** "AN ACT GRANTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES SPECIAL POWERS, PRESCRIBING URGENT AND RELATED MEASURES NECESSARY AND PROPER TO EFFECTIVELY ADDRESS THE CRISIS IN THE TRANSPORTATION SECTOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES; and FINANCE

**SBN 155** "AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE PROTECTION, CONSERVATION AND REHABILITATION OF WATERSHEDS SUPPORTING THE NATIONAL IRRIGATION SYSTEMS (NIS) TO GUARANTEE CONTINUING SUPPLY OF WATER FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND TO INCREASE THE PRODUCTIVITY OF FARMERS TO SUSTAIN FOOD SELF-SUFFICIENCY AND PROVIDING THE FUNDING THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC WORKS; ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 156** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9136, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ELECTRIC POWER INDUSTRY REFORM ACT OF 2001", AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENERGY; and PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 157** "AN ACT EXPANDING THE USE OF THE LEGAL ASSISTANCE FUND, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 26 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE MIGRANT WORKERS AND OVERSEAS FILIPINOS ACT OF 1995", AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; FOREIGN RELATIONS; and FINANCE

**SBN 158** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A FULL TUITION SUBSIDY FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES (SUCS), AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 159** "AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE PEOPLE'S RIGHT TO INFORMATION AND THE CONSTITUTIONAL POLICIES OF FULL PUBLIC DISCLOSURE AND HONESTY IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 160** "AN ACT INSTITUTING A FREE NUTRI-MEALS PROGRAM TO CHILDREN ENROLLED IN ALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS INCLUDING KINDERGARTEN AND HIGH SCHOOLS IN THE K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION SECTOR, PROVIDING FRAMEWORK FOR ITS MEANINGFUL IMPLEMENTATION, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 161** "AN ACT TO PROTECT FILIPINO MOTHERS AND CHILDREN FROM MALNUTRITION BY ESTABLISHING A MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CARE PROGRAM APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; and FINANCE

**SBN 162** "AN ACT TO PROMOTE COST-EFFECTIVE MEASURES FOR THE TRANSPORT SECTOR AND COMMUTING PUBLIC, PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF A NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD, PRESCRIBING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; PUBLIC SERVICES; and FINANCE

**SBN 163** "AN ACT PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF ETHNICITY, RACE, RELIGION OR BELIEF, SEX OR GENDER OR SEXUAL ORIENTATION, LANGUAGE, DISABILITY, EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AND OTHER FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE PURPOSE"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CULTURAL COMMUNITIES; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 164** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FRAMEWORK FOR FILM AND TELEVISION TOURISM IN THE PHILIPPINES, MARKETING THE INDUSTRY GLOBALLY AND PROVIDING EMPLOYMENT FOR THE SECTOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; TOURISM; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 165** "AN ACT SUPPORTING THE PRODUCTION OF PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENT FILMS BY PROVIDING INCENTIVES TO FILMMAKERS WHO ARE GIVEN HONORS IN NOTABLE INTERNATIONAL FILM COMPETITIONS"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 166** "AN ACT TO IMPROVE AND TO PROMOTE QUALITY DELIVERY OF HEALTH SERVICES IN BARANGAYS, ENACTING THE "BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS AND SERVICES REFORM ACT OF 2016""

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 167** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CREDIT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 168** "AN ACT FOR THE PROTECTION, CONSERVATION AND REHABILITATION OF WATERSHEDS SUPPORTING THE NATIONAL IRRIGATION SYSTEM (NIS) TO ENSURE CONTINUOUS SUPPLY OF WATER FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND SELF-SUFFICIENCY IN FOOD AND PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE

- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC WORKS; ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 169** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SIMPLIFIED TAX REGIME FOR SMALL BUSINESSES, AND FOR THIS PURPOSE AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**SBN 170** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 9 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10533, " AN ACT ENHANCING THE PHILIPPINE BASIC EDUCATION SYSTEM BY STRENGTHENING ITS CURRICULUM AND INCREASING THE NUMBER OF YEARS FOR BASIC EDUCATION, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES," OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ENHANCED BASIC EDUCATION ACT OF 2013"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 171** "AN ACT PROMOTING OPEN ACCESS IN DATA TRANSMISSION, PROVIDING ADDITIONAL POWERS TO THE NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**SBN 172** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ABOT ALAM PROGRAM"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV

- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; YOUTH; and FINANCE

**SBN 173** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING A FULL SUBSIDY PROGRAM IN STATE UNIVERSITIES FOR CHILDREN OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 174** "AN ACT PROFESSIONALIZING THE CONTRACTING AND SUBCONTRACTING INDUSTRY, REQUIRING A TRANSITION SUPPORT PROGRAM, AND PROHIBITING OPPRESSIVE PRACTICES, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE ARTICLES 106 TO 109 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 175** "AN ACT CREATING THE INNOVATION COUNCIL AND PROVIDING BENEFITS AND PROGRAMS TO STRENGTHEN, PROMOTE, AND DEVELOP THE PHILIPPINE STARTUP ECOSYSTEM"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 176** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE POVERTY REDUCTION THROUGH SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAM AND PROMOTING SOCIAL ENTERPRISES WITH THE POOR AS PRIMARY STAKEHOLDERS"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 177** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A FULL TUITION FEE SUBSIDY FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES (SUCS), AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 178** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION AND SUPERVISION OF PAYMENT SYSTEMS"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES

**SBN 179** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 24 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 180** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9262, DEFINING ELECTRONIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN OR E-VAW, PROVIDING PROTECTIVE MEASURES AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**SBN 181** "AN ACT INCREASING PENSIONS AND OTHER BENEFITS UNDER THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 12 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1161, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SOCIAL SECURITY LAW"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 182** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE REGULARIZATION OF PUNONG BARANGAY, SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBERS, SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN CHAIRMAN, BARANGAY SECRETARY AND BARANGAY TREASURER"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

**SBN 183** "AN ACT GRANTING INCENTIVES TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS IN ALL LEVELS, INCLUDING STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 184** "AN ACT MANDATING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PROGRAM OF EDUCATION DESIGNED TO HELP ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY OF AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION TO AVOID INVOLVEMENT WITH ILLEGAL DRUGS"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY

- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

**SBN 185** "AN ACT TO IMPOSE THE DEATH PENALTY AND INCREASED PENALTIES ON CERTAIN HEINOUS CRIMES INVOLVING DANGEROUS DRUGS, AMENDING FOR THAT PURPOSE OTHER SPECIAL PENAL LAWS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES

**SBN 186** "AN ACT TO IMPOSE THE DEATH PENALTY ON THE HEINOUS CRIME OF KIDNAPPING, AMENDING FOR THAT PURPOSE THE REVISED PENAL LAWS, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES

**SBN 187** "AN ACT TO IMPOSE THE DEATH PENALTY ON THE HEINOUS CRIME OF AGGRAVATED RAPE, AMENDING FOR THAT PURPOSE THE REVISED PENAL LAWS, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES

**SBN 188** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMUNITY FITNESS CENTER IN EVERY BARANGAY NATIONWIDE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO

- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 189** AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE RESTORATION OF MANDATORY MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL GRADE 11 AND GRADE 12 STUDENTS BY REINSTATING SECTION 38 AND 39 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7077, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE CITIZEN ARMED FORCE OR ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES RESERVIST ACT”

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

**SBN 190** “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE WIRELESS INTERNET ACCESS PROGRAM IN ALL STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES IN THE COUNTRY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 191** “AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE BOXING COMMISSION THEREBY STRENGTHENING THE COUNTRY’S STANDING IN BOXING SPORTS, ENSURING THE WELFARE OF FILIPINO BOXERS, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GAMES, AMUSEMENT AND SPORTS; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 192** “AN ACT MANDATING THE PHILIPPINE OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT ADMINISTRATION (POEA) TO PUBLISH, DISSEMINATE AND UPDATE A HANDBOOK ON THE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF MIGRANT WORKERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE “MIGRANT WORKERS AND OVERSEAS FILIPINOS ACT OF 1995,” AS AMENDED”

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; FOREIGN RELATIONS; and FINANCE

**SBN 193** "AN ACT INCREASING THE COMPOSITION OF BARANGAY OFFICIALS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**SBN 194** "AN ACT GRANTING MATERNITY LEAVE BENEFITS EQUIVALENT TO ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY (180) DAYS OR SIX (6) MONTHS TO ALL WOMEN WORKERS IN THE GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE SECTORS"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL D. PACQUIAO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 195** "AN ACT DEFINING CRIMINAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN AND INCREASING PENALTIES FOR ALL CRIMES INVOLVING THEM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 196** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1405, ALSO KNOWN AS THE BANK SECRECY LAW, AS AMENDED, BY REMOVING FROM ITS COVERAGE, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA

- Referred to the Committee on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES

**SBN 197** "AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE PENALTY OF IMPRISONMENT IN LIBEL CASES, TO MAKE ANY DISCUSSION OF ANY MATTER OF PUBLIC CONCERN, OR CRITICISM, OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT PRIVILEGED, AND TO PROPERLY DETERMINE THE VENUE OF CASES AND PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR LIBEL, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLES 354, 355, 357, 360 AND 361 OF ACT NO, 3815, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE REVISED PENAL CODE, AND SECTION 4 (c) (4), CHAPTER II OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10175, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS CYBERCRIME PREVENTION ACT OF 2012, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA

**SBN 198** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR FULL TUITION SUBSIDY IN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE"

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 199** "N ACT PROHIBITING HAZING AND REGULATING OTHER FORMS OF INITIATION RITES OF FRATERNITIES, SORORITIES, AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8049"

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 200** "AN ACT TO RE-INSTITUTIONALIZE THE MANDATORY MILITARY AND CIVIC RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS (ROTC)

FOR STUDENTS IN ALL COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES AND TECHNICAL OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS”

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

**SBN 201** “AN ACT REGULATING THE SALE OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN METRO MANILA BY REQUIRING A PROOF-OF-PARKING SPACE OR FACILITY FROM MOTOR VEHICLE BUYERS AS A PREREQUISITE FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE AND REGISTRATION WITH THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE”

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 202** “AN ACT REQUIRING BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, PARKS, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS, STREETS OR ALLEYS, AND OTHER PLACES OF PUBLIC CONGREGATION TO INSTALL CLOSED-CIRCUIT TELEVISION (CCTV) CAMERS AS A MEANS TO DETER THE COMMISSION OF CRIMES”

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

**SBN 203** “AN ACT REQUIRING THE REGISTRATION OF ALL USERS OF PRE-PAID SUBSCRIBER IDENTITY MODULE (SIM) CARDS”

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**SBN 204** “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE BASIC EDUCATION NUTRITION AND PERFORMANCE ACCELERATION PROGRAM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 205** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM OF EDUCATION FOR ADULTS, OUT-OF-SCHOOL YOUTH, MEMBERS OF CULTURAL MINORITIES INDIGENOUS PEOPLE, AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES"

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; YOUTH; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 206** "AN ACT INSTITUTING A PROGRAM FOR THE MANDATORY CONTINUING EDUCATION OF TEACHERS IN THE PRIMARY AND SECONDARY LEVELS IN BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 207** "AN ACT EXPANDING THE PURPOSE AND APPLICATION OF THE SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND (SEF), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 272 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"

- Introduced by Senator SHERWIN T. GATCHALIAN
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 208** "AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN TECHNICAL VOCATIONAL EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING (TVET) IN THE PHILIPPINES BY INCORPORATING APPRENTICESHIP AND DUAL TRAINING AND RECOGNIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF CONTINUOUS TRAINING OF THE UNEMPLOYED AND EXPANDING THE PROVISION OF ENTERPRISE-BASED EDUCATION AND TRAINING"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL JOEL VILLANUEVA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 209** "AN ACT DECLARING THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF AUGUST OF EVERY YEAR AS THE NATIONAL TECH-VOC DAY"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL JOEL VILLANUEVA
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 210** "AN ACT PROVIDING FINANCIAL LITERACY AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAMS FOR WORKERS"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL JOEL VILLANUEVA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and FINANCE

**SBN 211** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PHILIPPINE QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK (PQF) AND ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR EDUCATION"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL JOEL VILLANUEVA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 212** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AND PROVIDING JOB OPPORTUNITIES TO INMATES IN DETENTION FACILITIES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL JOEL VILLANUEVA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 213** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A REVISED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE CHAPTERS I AND II OF TITLE II OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL JOEL VILLANUEVA
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 214** "AN ACT CREATING THE COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKER EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAM, INCREASING COMPENSATION AND OTHER BENEFITS FOR BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS (BHW), APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 215** "AN ACT INCREASING THE MATERNITY LEAVE PERIOD TO ONE HUNDRED TWENTY (120) DAYS FOR FEMALE EMPLOYEES, MARRIED OR UNMARRIED, IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE AND IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR, AND GRANTING AN ADDITIONAL THIRTY (30) DAYS FOR SOLO MOTHERS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT 1161, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; and CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

**SBN 216** "AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR THE REFUSAL OF HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CLINICS TO ADMINISTER APPROPRIATE INITIAL MEDICAL TREATMENT AND SUPPORT IN EMERGENCY OR SERIOUS CASES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 702, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS " AN ACT PROHIBITING THE DEMAND OF DEPOSITS OR ADVANCE PAYMENTS FOR THE CONFINEMENT OR TREATMENT OF PATIENTS IN HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CLINIC IN CERTAIN CASES" AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8344, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 217** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE SECURITY OF TENURE OR WORKERS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLEES 248, 279, 280, 281 AND 288, AND INTRODUCING NEW ARTICLES 106, 106-A, 106-B, 106-C, 106-D, 106-E, 280-A AND 280-B TO PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 218** "AN ACT BANNING THE USE OF FIRECRACKERS EXCEPT IN DESIGNATED AREAS DONE BY PROFESSIONALS"

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**SBN 219** "AN ACT GRANTING EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE AND BENEFITS TO THE DEPENDENTS OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP) , PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION (BFP), BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY (BJMP), NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION (NBI), PHILIPPINE DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY (PDEA), PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD (PCG) AND BUREAU OF CORRECTIONS (BUCOR) WHO ARE KILLED OR PERMANENTLY

INCAPACITATED WHILE IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEM DUTY OR BY REASON OF THEIR OFFICE OR POSITION”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 220** “AN ACT INSTITUTING A SCHOOL NOURISHMENT AND DIETARY PROGRAM TO ALL PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFORE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 221** “AN ACT PROHIBITING BACKRIDERS ON TWO-WHEELED MOTORCYCLES/SCOOTERS AND EXCEPTIONS THERETO”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 222** “AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 150 OF REPUBLIC ACT 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 223** “AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 4 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8049, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT REGULATING HAZING AND OTHER FORMS OF INITIATION RITES IN FRATERNITIES, SORORITIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III

- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES

**SBN 224** "ISANG BATAS NA NAGTATAKDA NAA ANG KATAWAGAN SA ATING BANSA AY REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS O SA MAIKLING SALITA AY PILIPINAS"

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 225** AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE FISCAL REGIME AND REVENUE SHARING ARRANGEMENT FOR LARGE-SCALE METALLIC MINING"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

**SBN 226** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE POLITICAL PARTY SYSTEM"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 227** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE STANDARDS"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 228** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING AND STRENGTHENING PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON

- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC WORKS; ECONOMIC AFFAIRS; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 229** "AN ACT RATIONALIZING THE GRANT AND ADMINISTRATION OF FISCAL INCENTIVES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

**SBN 230** "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF POLITICAL DYNASTIES"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee on ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION

**SBN 231** "AN ACT REVISING THE CORPORATION CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES

**SBN 232** "AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT"

- Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 233** "AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM THE POPULATION AND THE LAND AREA REQUIREMENTS THE CONVERSION OF A MUNICIPALITY INTO A COMPONENT CITY IF IT HAS A LOCALLY GENERATED AVERAGE ANNUAL INCOME OF AT LEAST TWO HUNDRED FIFTY MILLION PESOS (P250,000,000.00), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE

SECTION 450 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991”

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**SBN 234** “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE INCOME CLASSIFICATION OF PROVINCES, CITIES AND MUNICIPALITIES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 235** “AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8485 ENTITLED, AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE ANIMAL WELFARE IN THE PHILIPPINES OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE “ANIMAL WELFARE ACT OF 1998”, AS AMENDED”

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

**SBN 236** “AN ACT TO INCREASE TO FIVE MILLION PESOS THE APPROVING AUTHORITY OF THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT TO RESTRUCTURE OR CONDONE THE UNPAID INTERESTS, PENALTIES AND/OR SURCHARGES ON AGRICULTURAL LOANS OF FARMERS AND FISHERFOLKS”

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

**SBN 237** “AGUS-PULANGUI PRIVATIZATION EXEMPTION ACT OF 2016”

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENERGY; and GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

**SBN 238** "AN ACT REPEALING THE MINIMUM HEIGHT REQUIREMENT FOR APPLICANTS TO THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), THE BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION (BFP), AND THE BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMNET AND PENOLOGY (BJMP)"

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

**SBN 239** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A TOTAL BAN ON ANTI-PERSONNEL LANDMINES, FOR OTHER PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF LANDMINES, BOOBY-TRAPS AND OTHER DEVICES, CREATING FOR THIS PURPOSE A PHILIPPINES COORDINATING COMMITTEE ON LANDMINES, AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee(s) on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; and FINANCE

**SBN 240** "AN ACT TO GIVE JURIDICAL PERSONALITY TO THE PRESENT VETERANS MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER (VMMC) AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 241** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DIRECT REMITTANCE TO THE HOST LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ITS FORTY PERCENT (40%) SHARE OF THE GROSS COLLECTION DERIVED BY THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT FROM NATIONAL WEALTH TAXES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 293 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"

- Introduced by Senator GREGORIO B. HONASAN II
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 242** "AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES, PROVIDING FOR ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 243** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8972, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SOLO PARENTS' WELFARE ACT OF 2010, PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL BENEFITS ON BASIC COMMODITIES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 244** "AN ACT INSTITUTING THE MAGNA CARTA OF FILIPINO SEAFARERS"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FOREIGN RELATIONS

**SBN 245** "AN ACT PROMOTING INTEGRATED WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT IN THE USE OF THE COUNTRY'S WATER RESOURCES THROUGH THE RATIONALIZATION OF SERVICE AREAS, PROVISION OF INCENTIVES FOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT OR CLEAN AND EFFICIENT TECHNOLOGIES, AND REORGANIZATION OF THE NATIONAL WATER RESOURCES BOARD, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CERTAIN LAWS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; PUBLIC WORKS; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 246** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A THREE THOUSAND PESO (PHP 3,000.00) INCREASE IN THE MONTHLY PENSION OF WAR VETERANS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; and FINANCE

**SBN 247** "AN ACT EXEMPTING THE BANK DEPOSITS OF SENIOR CITIZENS FROM THE 20% WITHHOLDING TAX ON INTERESTS INCOME, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7432"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 248** "AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO INFORMATION ON MATTERS OF PUBLIC CONCERN GUARANTEED UNDER SECTION SEVEN, ARTICLE THREE OF THE 1987 CONSTITUTION AND THE STATE POLICY OF FULL PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF ALL ITS TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING PUBLIC INTEREST UNDER SECTION TWENTY EIGHT, ARTICLE TWO OF THE 1987 CONSTITUTION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 249** "AN ACT GRANTING MANDATORY PHILHEALTH COVERAGE TO ALL PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWDS), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "MAGNA CARTA FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY", PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA

- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 250** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA OF THE POOR"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 251** "AN ACT TO PROMOTE A LOW CARBON ECONOMY ESTABLISHING FOR THIS PURPOSE THE EMISSION CAP-AND-TRADE SYSTEM IN THE INDUSTRY SECTOR TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS AND PROTECT THE CLIMATE"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CLIMATE CHANGE; TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and FINANCE

**SBN 252** "AN ACT REGULATING THE SALE OF PREPAID SUBSCRIBER IDENTITY MODULE (SIM) CARDS, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**SBN 253** "AN ACT TO AMEND ARTICLES 180, 183 and 184 OF SECTION TWO, CHAPTER TWO, TITLE FOUR OF ACT NO. 3815, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE REVISED PENAL CODE, AS AMENDED."

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 254** "AN ACT UPGRADING THE BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES OF BARANGAY TANOD MEMBERS WHO HAVE RENDERED AT LEAST ONE YEAR OF SERVICE IN THE BARANGAY GOVERNMENT"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 255** "AN ACT UPGRADING THE BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES OF BARANGAY TANOD MEMBERS WHO HAVE RENDERED AT LEAST ONE YEAR OF SERVICE IN THE BARANGAY GOVERNMENT"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE;

**SBN 256** "AN ACT INSTITUTING REFORMS IN LAND ADMINISTRATION"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 257** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR PARENT SUPPORT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 258** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR PROTECTION, SECURITY AND BENEFITS OF WHISTLEBLOWERS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON

- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 259** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE AIR FORCE ACADEMY (PAFA) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 260** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6963, ENTITLED "AN ACT GRANTING SPECIAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND BENEFITS TO THE FAMILY OR BENEFICIARY OF ANY POLICE OR MILITARY PERSONNEL OR FIREMAN KILLED OR PERMANENTLY INCAPACITATED WHILE IN THE PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTY OR BY REASON OF HIS OFFICE OR POSITION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 261** "AN ACT DECLARING THE CONFERMENT OF A DOCTORATE DEGREE AS EQUIVALENT TO ENTRY LEVEL CAREER EXECUTIVE SERVICE OFFICER ELIGIBILITY IN THE CIVIL SERVICE"

- Introduced by Senator PANFILO M. LACSON
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 262** "AN ACT CONDONING UNPAID AMORTIZATIONS OF LANDS AWARDED TO COMPREHENSIVE AGRARIAN REFORM BENEFICIARIES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on AGRARIAN REFORM

**SBN 263** "AN ACT PRIORITIZING THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR IN THE GRANT OF LOANS BY THE LAND BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES; and AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

**SBN 264** "AN ACT INSTITUTING REFORMS TO FURTHER PROTECT AND DEVELOP MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 81, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "1986 REVISED CHARTER OF THE DEVELOPMENT BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES," AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES

**SBN 265** "AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE MEDICAL ACADEMY, ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 266** "AN ACT CREATING THE SPECIAL MASS TRANSIT SYSTEM SUPPORT FUND AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 7 AND 8 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8794, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "MOTOR VEHICLE USER'S CHARGE ACT OF 2000""

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC WORKS; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 267** "AN ACT INSTITUTING INCOME TAX REFORM FOR INDIVIDUAL AND CORPORATE TAXPAYERS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE SECTIONS 24(A)(2), 27(A) AND 35(A) OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 268** "AN ACT REDUCING THE COST OF ELECTRICITY FOR NATIONAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES BY PROMOTING THE DEVELOPMENT AND UTILIZATION OF SOLAR ENERGY IN ALL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENERGY; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 269** "AN ACT REQUIRING INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDERS TO DELIVER A MINIMUM STANDARD FOR INTERNET CONNECTION SPEED"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**SBN 270** "AN ACT INCREASING THE THRESHOLD FOR CERTAIN NON-VAT TAXPAYERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 109 AND 236 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 271** "AN ACT EXTENDING THE VALIDITY PERIOD OF A DRIVER'S LICENSE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 23 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 4136, AS AMENDED BY BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 398, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "LAND TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC CODE"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

**SBN 272** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1097, THE NATIONAL BUILDING CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED BY MANDATING A COMPREHENSIVE NATIONWIDE INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS AND IMPOSING STIFF PENALTIES AGAINST BUILDING OFFICIALS WHO VIOLATE THE PERTINENT PROVISIONS OF THE SAID CODE"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC WORKS; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**SBN 273** "AN ACT PENALIZING CERTAIN ACTS IN THE IMPOSITION OF EXCESSIVE PLACEMENT FEES AGAINST OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 274** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9184, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT REFORM ACT"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

**SBN 275** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MORE RESPONSIVE CIVIL REGISTRATION SYSTEM"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 276** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA OF WORKERS IN THE INFORMAL SECTOR, INSTITUTIONALIZING MECHANISMS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF AND AMENDING FOR THE

PURPOSE CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160 AND 8282"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 277** "AN ACT TO PROVIDE A CIVIL ACTION FOR A MINOR INJURED BY EXPOSURE TO AN ENTERTAINMENT PRODUCT CONTAINING MATERIAL THAT IS HARMFUL TO MINORS"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 278** "AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT CORPORATE COUNSEL, BY RE-DEFINING, EXPANDING, STRENGTHENING, RATIONALIZING AND FURTHER PROFESSIONALIZING ITS ORGANIZATION, UPGRADING EMPLOYEE BENEFITS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 279** "AN ACT TO GRANT MONTHLY PENSION TO GOVERNMENT RETIREES UNDER R.A. 1616 WHO HAVE REACHED THE AGE OF SEVENTY (70) YEARS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHE PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 280** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN EDUCATION TRUST FUND FOR GRANTEEES OF GSIS AND SSS MEMBERS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 281** "AN ACT RECOGNIZING AND STRENGTHENING ALTERNATIVE CARE OF CHILDREN, PROVIDING INCENTIVES TO AGENCIES PROVIDING THE SAME"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 282** "AN ACT INCREASING THE COMBAT DUTY PAY OF ALL COMMISSIONED AND NON-COMMISSIONED PERSONNEL OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP) FROM THE CURRENT VALUE THEY ARE RECEIVING TO TWENTY-FIVE PERCENTUM (25%) OF THEIR BASE PAY AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

**SBN 283** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR SECURITY OF TENURE FOR ALL CASUAL AND CONTRACTUAL EMPLOYEES OF THE GOVERNMENT WHO HAVE RENDERED THE PRESCRIBED YEARS OF SERVICE IN THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND THE LCOAL GOVERNMENT UNITS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

**SBN 284** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL INSURANCE COVERAGE AND BENEFITS FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES, PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION, BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY, NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, PHILIPPINE DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, AND PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD WHO ARE KILLED, WOUNDED OR INJURED IN LINE OF DUTY, PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PREMIUMS AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

**SBN 285** "AN ACT GRANTING EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE AND BENEFITS TO THE DEPENDENTS OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES (AFP), PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION (BFP) , BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY (BJMP), NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION (NBI), PHILIPPINE DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY (PDEA), PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD (PCG) AND BUREAU OF CORRECTIONS (BUCOR) WHO ARE KILLED OR PERMANENTLY INCAPACITATED WHILE IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTY OR BY REASON OF THEIR OFFICE OR POSITION"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE;

**SBN 286** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE (COLA) FOR ALL OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES IN THE GOVERNMENT SECTOR AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE

**SBN 287** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (EMA), AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERED 10121, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 288** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA FOR THE POOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE;

**SBN 289** "AN ACT PROVIDING ADDITIONAL RELIEF TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENTS, SUPPORTING AGING PARENTS AND DISABLED PERSONS"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 290** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR PROTECTION, SECURITY AND OTHER BENEFITS FOR WHISTLEBLOWERS"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 291** "AN ACT PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST PERSONS ON ACCOUNT OF ETHNIC ORIGIN AND/OR RELIGIOUS BELIEF"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CULTURAL COMMUNITIES; and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 292** "AN ACT ENSURING THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO PEACEABLY ASSEMBLE AND PETITION THE GOVERNMENT FOR REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 293** "AN ACT DECLARING A ONE-TIME AMNESTY ON ESTATE TAX, INCLUSIVE OF FINES, INTEREST, PENALTIES, SURCHARGES AND OTHER ADDITIONS THERETO, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 294** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 84 OF CHAPTER I, TITLE III OF THE NATIONAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997 AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 295** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 99(B), 100 AND 101 OF TITLE III, ESTATE AND DONOR'S TAXES, OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997 AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 296** "AN ACT IMPOSING A UNIFORM TAX FOR EXCESS CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE SECTION 24 AND 27 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997""

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION

**SBN 297** "AN ACT CREATING THREE ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT WHICH SEATS AT CALAMBA, LAGUNA IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (E) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 298** "AN ACT CREATING AN ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT WITH THE SEAT AT IBA, ZAMBALES IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL REGION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (C) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 299** "AN ACT CREATING TWO ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURT WITH SEATS AT MALABON CITY, METRO MANILA IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL JUDICIAL REGION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 27 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

**SBN 300** "AN ACT CREATING TWO ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT WITH SEATS AT ORMOC, LEYTE IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL REGION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (I) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

## **PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS**

**PSRN 19** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON EFFECTIVE DRUG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION FOR THE YOUTH"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and YOUTH

**PSRN 20** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ENHANCED BASIC EDUCATION ACT OF 2013"

- Introduced by SENATOR PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**PSRN 21** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BMBE ACT OF 2002 IN SUPPORT OF MICRO ENTERPRISES IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS

**PSRN 22** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE LIVELIHOOD AND ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS OF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENABLING CLOSER COORDINATION AND CONVERGENCE TOWARDS MORE EFFECTIVE SERVICE AND SUPPORT FOR PHILIPPINE ENTERPRISES"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**PSRN 23** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON GOVERNMENT PLANS AND STRATEGIES TO PROMOTE EASE OF DOING BUSINESS IN THE COUNTRY"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**PSRN 24** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS TO PROMOTE ACCESS TO RESPONSIVE FINANCING FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE COMMERCE & ENTREPRENEURSHIP, and BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS and CURRENCIES

**PSRN 25** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATE OF E-COMMERCE ADOPTION IN THE PHILIPPINES AND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PHILIPPINE E-COMMERCE ROADMAP"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**PSRN 26** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE INCREASE OF YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT AND THE NEED TO CREATE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AND FORMULATE PROGRAMS TO ADDRESS THE NEEDS OF YOUNG FILIPINOS, INCLUDING THE UNEMPLOYED YOUTH, WORKERS IN VULNERABLE EMPLOYMENT AND YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**PSRN 27** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN REFORM ACT OF 2015 AND PLANNING FOR THE CONDUCT OF SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN ELECTIONS THIS YEAR"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; ELECTORAL REFORMS and PEOPLES PARTICIPATION

**PSRN 28** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF E-GOVERNMENT AGENCIES"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**PSRN 29** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EDUCATION OF YOUTH REGARDING THE MARTIAL LAW PERIOD AND HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES UNDER THE MARCOS REGIME WITH THE END VIEW OF PRESERVING MEMORY THROUGH HISTORICAL TRUTH-TELLING,

PROTECTING OUR DEMOCRACY, AND PROMOTING A SENSE OF JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS AMONG YOUNG FILIPINOS”

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and YOUTH

**PSRN 30** “RESOLUTION URGING THE SECRETARY OF FINANCE AND COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE TO ADJUST ANEW THE THRESHOLD AMOUNTS PROVIDED UNDER SECTION 109 (1)(P), (Q) AND (W) OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE (NIRC) OF 1997, AS AMENDED, AS MANDATORILY REQUIRED BY THE SAID LAW”

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**PSRN 31** “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE COMPREHENSIVE TRAFFIC PROGRAM OF THE GOVERNMENT AMID THE WORSENING TRAFFIC GRIDLOCKS WHERE PRECIOUS RESOURCES AND MAN-HOURS ARE WASTED, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF DETERMINING IF SUCH TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN WOULD ACTUALLY EASE CONGESTION IN MAJOR URBAN CENTERS AND SPEED UP THE SAFE AND EFFICIENT MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE AND GOODS”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

**PSRN 32** “A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS AND VIABILITY OF THE APPROVED FLOOD MANAGEMENT MASTER PLAN FOR METRO MANILA AND SURROUNDING AREAS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENSURING A COMPREHNSIVE AND COST-EFFICIENT SOLUTION TO THE FLOODING PROBLEM AND WOULD IMMEDIATELY BRING RELIEF TO THE PUBLIC”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC WORKS

**PSRN 33** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE MASS TRANSIT ROADMAP OF THE GOVERNMENT, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF DETERMINING ITS VIABILITY AND ENSURING A SAFE, RELIABLE, EFFICIENT AND AFFORDABLE PUBLIC TRANSIT SYSTEM"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

**PSRN 34** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE REGULAR RECRUITMENT PROGRAM WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENSURING THE ATTAINMENT OF THE IDEAL POLICE TO POPULATION RATIO OF ONE POLICEMAN FOR EVERY FIVE HUNDRED PEOPLE AND TO PROMOTE TRANSPARENCY IN THE UTILIZATION OF THE ALLOCATED FUNDS FOR ITS PURPOSE"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

**PSRN 35** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE BIDDING PROCESS OF PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) PROJECTS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENSURING THAT THE FILIPINO PEOPLE WILL BENEFIT FROM QUALITY PUBLIC SERVICES AT THE LEAST POSSIBLE COST"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC WORKS

**PSRN 36** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE JOB GENERATION PROGRAM OF THE

GOVERNMENT IN THE FACE OF THE HIGH UNDEREMPLOYMENT RATE AND PERVASIVE IN-WORK POVERTY DESPITE THE STRONG GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT GROWTH IN THE LAST TEN YEARS”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

**PSRN 37** “A RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW AND ASSESSMENT, IN AID OF LEGISLATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9136 OR THE ELECTRIC POWER INDUSTRY REFORM ACT OF 2001, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF AMENDING THE LAW IN ORDER TO MAKE IT MORE EFFECTIVE IN LOWERING ELECTRICITY RATES”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENERGY; and PUBLIC SERVICES

**PSRN 38** “A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE CONTINGENT LIABILITIES ARISING FROM PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) PROJECTS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF INSTITUTIONALIZING FISCAL DISCIPLINE AND STRENGTHENING GOVERNMENT MECHANISMS TO ENFORCE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY OVER THE UTILIZATION AND REPORTING OF PUBLIC FUNDS”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

**PSRN 39** “A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE CONFLICTING DATA OF THE BUREAU OF THE TREASURY AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY ON REVENUES COLLECTED FROM THE MALAMPAYA NATIONAL GAS PROJECT, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF RECONCILING ALL BOOKS OF ACCOUNTS PERTAINING TO THE MALAMPAYA FUND AND COLLECTING THE CORRECT ROYALTIES DUE TO THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and ENERGY

**PSRN 40** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE SERVICE CONTRACTS ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY TO THE ENERGY EXPLORATION COMPANIES, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENSURING THAT SUCH CONTRACTS ARE NOT DISADVANTAGEOUS TO GOVERNMENT AND TO OUR INDIGENOUS ENERGY RESOURCES"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on ENERGY

**PSRN 41** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE LA NIÑA PHENOMENON AND TO DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT INTERVENTION, WITH THE INTENT OF STRENGTHENING THE MANDATES OF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND ENSURING THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF THE FILIPINO PEOPLE"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CLIMATE CHANGE; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

**PSRN 42** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF ALL MASS TRANSIT PROJECTS IN THE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP (PPP) CENTER PROJECT PIPELINE, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF LOWERING THE RISK OF DELAYS AND FOSTERING TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC WORKS

**PSRN 43** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE SUBMISSION OF A POST BUDGET STATUS REPORT OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF LEGISLATING

MORE EFFECTIVE AND RESPONSIVE GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS AND STRENGTHENING THE GOVERNMENT MECHANISMS TO ENSURE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY OVER THE UTILIZATION OF PUBLIC FUNDS”

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

**PSRN 44** “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; AND ON WAYS AND MEANS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, AND LOOK INTO, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, THE DISTRIBUTION OF AMUSEMENT TAX COLLECTED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUS) IN METRO MANILA AND IN SUCH OTHER PLACES WHERE ALL OR ANY FILM FESTIVAL ENTRY IS EXHIBITED SIMULTANEOUSLY DURING THE FILM FESTIVAL PERIOD STARTING FROM 2002 UP TO THE PRESENT”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and WAYS AND MEANS

**PSRN 45** “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, AND LOOK INTO, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, THE NEW RULES OF SELECTION IMPOSED BY THE METRO MANILA FILM FESTIVAL”

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA

**PSRN 46** “RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, AS TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERS 7432 AND 9994 BENEFITING OUR SENIOR CITIZENS AND THE HURDLES LEADING TO VARIOUS INTERPRETATIONS AND COMPLIANCE TO SAID LAWS, WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF FORMULATING A UNIFORM SET OF RULES OR GUIDELINES FOR ITS EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION”

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**PSRN 47** "RESOLUTION URGING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE TO MAINTAIN AND OPERATE AN IMPROVED 24/7 DEDICATED DIRECT NATIONAL EMERGENCY HOTLINE TO ADDRESS CRIME SITUATIONS AND ASSISTANCE, AN AVENUE FOR CITIZENS' PREDICAMENTS AND SIMILAR OTHER PEACE AND ORDER ISSUES ON A REAL TIME, PRO-ACTIVE ENGAGEMENT"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

**PSRN 48** "RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE DESIGN CENTER OF THE PHILIPPINES, THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY, AND OTHER CONCERNED STATE AGENCIES TO CONDUCT STRATEGIC STUDIES TO PROMOTE THE CREATIVE SERVICES INDUSTRY LIKE ANIMATION, SMARTPHONE APPLICATION AND GAME DEVELOPMENT, GAMING SOLUTIONS AND MOBILE AND INTERNET START-UP OPERATIONS WITH THE OBJECTIVES OF TAPPING POTENTIAL INVESTMENTS AND CREATING NEW EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENTHUSIASTS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PERSONNEL AND THE FILIPINO YOUTH"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**PSRN 49** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON YOUTH AND ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO CONDUCT A STUDY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON YOUTH JOBLESSNESS TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THE RECENT GOVERNMENT STATISTICS OF 1.190 MILLION YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT IN JANUARY 2016, WITH THE OBJECTIVES OF STRENGTHENING POLICIES AND INTRODUCING DYNAMIC MEASURES AIMED AT GENERATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AND THE UNEMPLOYED"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on YOUTH; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**PSRN 50** "RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENTS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS; AND ENERGY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES MARINE SCIENCE INSTITUTE TO CONDUCT SHORT- AND LONG-TERM SCIENTIFIC/MARINE RESEARCH STUDIES AND EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT APPROACHES ON THE BENHAM RISE, A 13-MILLION-HECTARE UNDERWATER TERRITORY OFF EASTERN LUZON, AND SUBMIT TO THE SENATE RELEVANT LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS INDICATING FULL POSSESSION AND OWNERSHIP"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENERGY; and FOREIGN RELATIONS

**PSRN 51** "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, REGARDING THE STATUS OF PREVENTIVE HEALTH CARE IN THE COUNTRY, WITH THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORP.'S (PHILHEALTH) "TAMANG SERBISYO PARA SA KALUSUGAN NG PAMILYA" (TSEKAP) PROGRAM AS BACKDROP, AIMED AT UTILIZING THE SAID PROGRAM AS A MODEL FOR PREVENTIVE HEALTH CARE, AND FURTHER STUDYING THE FEASIBILITY OF INSTITUTIONALIZING ITS IMPLEMENTATION AT THE GRASSROOTS LEVEL, IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**PSRN 52** "RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND RELEVANT OFFICE/S TO STUDY AND TO CONSIDER FOR POSSIBLE ADHERENCE AND ACQUIESCENCE THE OPTIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE INTERNATIONAL COVENANT ON ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, AND CULTURAL RIGHTS (ICESCR), AS A STRONG AND UNEQUIVOCAL STATEMENT ABOUT THE VALUE OF ALL HUMAN RIGHTS"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee on FOREIGN RELATIONS

**PSRN 53** "URGING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO EVALUATE THE GOVERNMENT'S INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM IN THE LIGHT OF THE DISMAL RANKING OF THE PHILIPPINES IN TERMS OF QUALITY OF OVERALL INFRASTRUCTURE IN THE WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM GLOBAL COMPETITIVENESS REPORT 2013-2014 AND TO RECOMMEND MEASURES TO REVAMP THE COUNTRY'S INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC WORKS

**PSRN 54** "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO CONDUCT A RELEVANT STUDY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE VARIOUS LAWS AND POLICIES GOVERNING APPLICATION FOR LICENSES, PERMITS AND CLEARANCES INCLUDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE E-COMMERCE LAW WITH THE INTENTION OF SIMPLIFYING BUREAUCRATIC PROCEDURES, ERADICATING RED TAPE AND PROMOTING PHILIPPINE COMPETITIVENESS"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

**PSRN 55** "RESOLUTION URGING A REVIEW OF EXISTING GOVERNMENT INFRASTRUCTURE AND INVESTMENTS IN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF REALIZING THE FULL POTENTIALS OF THE INDUSTRY, ADDRESSING THE SLOW INTERNET SPEED IN THE COUNTRY AND SUSTAIN ECONOMIC GROWTH"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

**PSRN 56** "RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING TREAT CONRAD HUEY FOR HIS INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO PHILIPPINE SPORTS AS THE FIRST FILIPINO WHO QUALIFIED FOR THE SEMIFINAL ROUND OF A GRAND SLAM TENNIS TOURNAMENT"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

**PSRN 57** "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE VIABILITY OF THE PREVAILING PENSION PROGRAMS OF THE MILITARY AND OTHER UNIFORMED PERSONNEL ORGANIZATIONS, WITH THE INTENT OF ENSURING EQUITABLE ALLOCATION OF GOVERNMENT RESOURCES, ADEQUATE BENEFITS AND ASSISTANCE TO FILIPINO PENSIONERS, AND THE SUSTAINABILITY OF GOVERNMENT PENSION PROGRAMS"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; and PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS and FINANCE

**PSRN 58** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF PORTIONS OF METRO MANILA CAMPS IN ACCORDANCE WITH REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER 7227, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE BASES CONVERSION AND DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1991, AS AMENDED, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ENSURING THAT SAID PROCEEDS WERE REMITTED BY THE BCDA AND WERE UTILIZED FOR THEIR INTENDED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

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