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SBN 1457 "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DEFERMENT OF THE START OF THE SCHOOL YEAR IN TIMES OF EMERGENCIES AND CALAMITIES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7977 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Referred to the Committee on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE*

SBN 1458 "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE SHORTENING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR AND THE MASS PROMOTION OF STUDENTS IN TIMES OF EMERGENCIES AND CALAMITIES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7977 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Referred to the Committee on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE*

SBN 1459 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE TERTIARY ONLINE LEARNING AND DISTANCE EDUCATION OFFICE UNDER THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION, AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10650 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'OPEN DISTANCE LEARNING ACT' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY*

SBN 1460 "AN ACT EXPANDING THE BASIC EDUCATION CURRICULUM, INCREASING THE FUNCTIONS OF THE BUREAU OF LEARNING DELIVERY UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE DISTANCE EDUCATION AND ONLINE LEARNING,

THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10533 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'ENHANCED BASIC EDUCATION ACT OF 2013' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

SBN 1461 "AN ACT ENFORCING MEASURES TO MITIGATE THE SPREAD OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASES IN THE COMMUNITY AND SELECT PUBLIC ESTABLISHMENTS AND EVENTS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

SBN 1462 "AN ACT RENEWING THE FRANCHISE GRANTED TO THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES SYSTEM TO CONSTRUCT, ESTABLISH, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE FOR EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER RELATED PURPOSES RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATIONS WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES AND SUCH OTHER AREAS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF ITS OPERATION UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8160 TO ANOTHER TWENTY FIVE (25) YEARS"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1463 "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE ACTIVE USE AND DISPLAY OF COMMERCIAL BILLBOARDS DURING TYPHOONS"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC WORKS*

SBN 1464 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7743, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CONGRESSIONAL, CITY, AND MUNICIPAL

LIBRARIES AND BARANGAY READING CENTERS THROUGHOUT THE PHILIPPINES,' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1465 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MAGNA CARTA OF COMMUTERS"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES*

SBN 1466 "AN ACT REDEFINING THE CRIME OF ILLEGAL RECRUITMENT COMMITTED BY A SYNDICATE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 38 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES,' AS AMENDED AND SECTION 6 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'MIGRANT WORKERS AND OVERSEAS FILIPINOS ACT OF 1995,' AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FOREIGN RELATIONS*

SBN 1467 "AN ACT PROVIDING MEASURES TO ENSURE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; and PUBLIC WORKS*

SBN 1468 "AN ACT ENHANCING THE SOCIAL PROTECTION RESPONSES OF THE GOVERNMENT TO THE IMPACT OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1469 "AN ACT SUPPORTING THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF DIGITAL CAREERS IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committees on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1470 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NATIONAL DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION POLICY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1471 "AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11036, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MENTAL HEALTH ACT"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

SBN 1472 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE EHEALTH SYSTEM AND SERVICES IN SUPPORT OF UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE USING INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY IN THE PHILIPPINES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*

- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1473 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING AN INSTALLMENT PAYMENT SCHEME ON BASIC UTILITY BILLS DURING CALAMITIES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'THREE-GIVES LAW'"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Referred to the Committees on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and PUBLIC SERVICES*

SBN 1474 "AN ACT PROVIDING AN ECONOMIC STIMULUS STRATEGY FOR THE EFFECTS OF THE CORONA VIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO*
- *Substituted in Committee Report No. 98*

SBN 1475 "AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE MORE FILIPINO LAWYERS TO SERVE THE PEOPLE AND JOIN THE PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE THE ABOGADO PARA SA BAYAN RETURN SERVICE PROGRAM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator AQUILINO "KOKO" PIMENTEL III*
- *Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1476 "AN ACT TO FURTHER ASSIST FILIPINO MIGRANT WORKERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 10 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FOREIGN RELATIONS*

SBN 1477 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 95 (B) OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 856 OR THE CODE ON SANITATION OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1478 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 5, PARAGRAPH 3 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9225, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE CITIZENSHIP RETENTION AND REACQUISITION ACT OF 2003"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1479 "AN ACT PROHIBITING PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES FROM BEING THE SOURCE OF MISINFORMATION, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE, PERTINENT PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6713 OR THE 'CODE OF CONDUCT AND ETHICAL STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committee on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION*

SBN 1480 "AN ACT DEFINING AND PROHIBITING POLITICAL DYNASTIES, PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFORE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES*

SBN 1481 "AN ACT TO ASSIST INDIGENT CANCER PATIENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE A CANCER ASSISTANCE FUND AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1482 "AN ACT PRESCRIBING ELECTRONIC AND ONLINE MODALITIES FOR THE PROMULGATION OF LAWS, RESOLUTIONS, RULES AND OTHER ISSUANCES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 18, 24 AND 25 CHAPTER 5, BOOK 1 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 292 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF 1987"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA*

SBN 1483 "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE FORFEITURE POWERS OF THE STATE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1379, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'AN ACT DECLARING FORFEITURE IN FAVOUR OF THE STATE ANY PROPERTY FOUND TO HAVE BEEN UNLAWFULLY ACQUIRED BY ANY PUBLIC OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE AND PROVIDING THE PROCEEDINGS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1484 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY (ICT) HUB IN EVERY LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PHILIPPINES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1485 "AN ACT PENALIZING THE ILLICIT ENRICHMENT OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES FOR ACQUISITION OF PROPERTIES THROUGH UNLAWFUL MEANS"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION*

SBN 1486 "AN ACT BROADENING THE OPPORTUNITIES OF FILIPINO YOUTH BY ALLOWING GRADUATES OF K-12 ENHANCED EDUCATION IN THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE THE PNP LAW, R.A. 6975 AS AMENDED BY R.A. 8551"

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

SBN 1487 "AN ACT ORDAINING A SYSTEM TO ENSURE AVAILABLE DOCTORS AND HEALTH CARE IN UNDERSERVED AND GEOGRAPHICALLY DISADVANTAGED AREAS BY CREATING A MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP AND RETURN SERVICE PROGRAM FOR DESERVING STUDENTS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1488 "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY OF THE OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN BY AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT 6770, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'THE OMBUDSMAN ACT OF 1989,' AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and WAYS AND MEANS*

SBN 1489 "AN ACT IMPROVING THE DISCLOSURE AND TRANSPARENCY OF THE EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRIES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE; PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and FINANCE*

SBN 1490 "AN ACT CREATING THE PHILIPPINE AIRPORTS AUTHORITY, DEFINING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1491 "AN ACT CREATING A PHILIPPINE POLLUTANT RELEASE AND TRANSFER REGISTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1492 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE USE OF PLAIN WRITING IN ALL GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS TO ENHANCE CITIZENS' ACCESS TO GOVERNMENT INFORMATION AND SERVICES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE*

SBN 1493 "AN ACT PROVIDING EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS TO THE SURVIVING CHILDREN OF MEMBERS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE WHO WERE SLAIN IN THE LINE OF DUTY,

CREATING THE PNP EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS FUND, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE*

SBN 1494 “AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS SERVICE OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, AND FOR THIS PURPOSE AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE PNP LAW UNDER REPUBLIC ACT SIXTY NINE AND SEVENTY FIVE (RA 6975) AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT EIGHTY FIVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY ONE (RA 8551), AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

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

SBN 1495 “AN ACT TO REGULATE THE RATIONAL EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT AND UTILIZATION OF MINERAL RESOURCES, AND TO ENSURE THE EQUITABLE SHARING OF BENEFITS FOR THE STATE, INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND LOCAL COMMUNITIES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE; CULTURAL COMMUNITIES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1496 “AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL ENTERPRISES AS A MEANS TO ALLEVIATE POVERTY, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE THE ‘POVERTY REDUCTION THROUGH SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP (PRESENT) PROGRAM’, PROVIDING INCENTIVES AND BENEFITS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1497 "AN ACT INSTITUTING A NATIONAL COMPREHENSIVE FRAMEWORK ON RESILIENT HOUSING AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1498 "AN ACT AMENDING THE GROUNDS FOR LEGAL SEPARATION UNDER ARTICLE 55 OF THE FAMILY CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY*

SBN 1499 "AN ACT ERADICATING ABUSIVE CONTRACTUALIZATION PRACTICES AND PENALIZING EMPLOYERS AND CONTRACTORS WHO COMMIT SUCH ABUSES, BY AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE BOOK THREE, TITLE TWO AND BOOK SIX, TITLE I OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

SBN 1500 "AN ACT RATIONALIZING AND EXPANDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY COMMISSION AND THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1161, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8282, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'SOCIAL SECURITY ACT OF 1987'"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

SBN 1501 "AN ACT TO PROTECT FILIPINO CONSUMERS FROM SUBSTANDARD PRODUCTS, MANDATING FOR THIS PURPOSE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A 'TIMBANGAN CENTER' IN ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE MARKETS IN THE COUNTRY, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE CHAPTER II OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7394, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'CONSUMER ACT OF THE PHILIPPINES'"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT*

SBN 1502 "AN ACT EXPANDING THE BENEFITS OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS THEREBY AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8282, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT OF 1997"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

SBN 1503 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING A MECHANISM FOR THE MANDATORY AND EXPEDITED DISPOSITION OF ABANDONED IMPORTED GOODS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR AND UNDERPRIVILEGED IN TIMES OF CALAMITIES AND OTHER NATIONAL EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on WAYS AND MEANS; and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT*

SBN 1504 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9510, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "CREDIT INFORMATION SYSTEM

ACT" BY PROVIDING CREDIT PROTECTION TO BORROWERS DURING CALAMITIES AND OTHER EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES*

SBN 1505 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF TERTIARY CARE HOSPITALS IN ALL REGIONS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1506 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE SOCIAL PENSION OF INDIGENT PERSONS WITH DISABILITY, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1507 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ONLINE INFORMATION CENTERS DURING NATIONAL CALAMITIES AND OTHER EMERGENCIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and FINANCE*

SBN 1508 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A GRANT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE VISION CARE TO CHILDREN"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1509 "AN ACT PENALIZING PRANK CALLS IN EMERGENCY HOTLINES"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC SERVICES; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1510 "AN ACT MAKING THE POSITION OF A COOPERATIVES OFFICER MANDATORY IN THE MUNICIPAL, CITY AND PROVINCIAL LEVELS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and COOPERATIVES*

SBN 1511 "AN ACT PROVIDING PROTECTION FROM LIABILITY TO VOLUNTEERS FOR ACTS OR OMISSIONS COMMITTED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES DURING EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1512 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE E-HEALTH SYSTEM IN THE DELIVERY OF HEALTH SERVICES WITH THE USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY IN THE PHILIPPINES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; WAYS AND MEANS and FINANCE*

SBN 1513 "AN ACT INTEGRATING LABOR EDUCATION IN THE TERTIARY EDUCATION CURRICULUM"

- *Introduced by Senators MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID, RAMON BONG REVILLA JR. and JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

SBN 1514 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING A NATIONAL TELEMEDICINE SYSTEM IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senators FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO and CYNTHIA A. VILLAR*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

SBN 1515 "AN ACT PROVIDING LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ESTABLISHMENTS AND THEIR OWNERS FROM CORONAVIRUS-RELATED CLAIMS OF THEIR EMPLOYEES"

- *Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III*
- *Referred to the Committee on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP*

SBN 1516 "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS TO USE AND IMPLEMENT AN AUTOMATED AND ONLINE SYSTEM FOR VOTER REGISTRATION, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1517 "AN ACT PROVIDING SENIOR CITIZENS FREE MOVIE ACCESS TO ALL MOVIE THEATERS NATIONWIDE AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator SHERWIN GATCHALIAN*
- *Referred to the Committees on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1518 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NETWORK OF POP-UP BICYCLE LANES AND EMERGENCY PATHWAYS FOR USE DURING THE DURATION OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senators PIA S. CAYETANO and EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUAIO*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC SERVICES; PUBLIC WORKS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1519 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE IMMEDIATE DISPOSITION OF GOVERNMENT ASSETS AND PROPERTIES TO AUGMENT PUBLIC FUNDS DURING THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY ARISING FROM THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and FINANCE*

SBN 1520 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP AND RETURN SERVICE PROGRAM FOR DESERVING STUDENTS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senators VICENTE C. SOTTO III, RALPH G. RECTO, JOEL VILLANUEVA, RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA, SONNY ANGARA, MANUEL "LITO" LAPID, EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO, PANFILO "PING" LACSON, FRANCIS "TOL" TOLENTINO, RAMON Bong REVILLA, JR., CYNTHIA A. VILLAR, SHERWIN GATCHALIAN, and JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" ZUBIRI*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1521 "AN ACT GRANTING THE ABS-CBN BROADCASTING CORPORATION A PROVISIONAL FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, INSTALL, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN TELEVISION AND RADIO

BROADCASTING STATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senators MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID, FRANKLIN M. DRILON, RALPH G. RECTO, RICHARD J. GORDON, SHERWIN GATCHALIAN, JOEL VILLANUEVA, JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI, JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, RAMON BONG REVILLA JR., RISA HONTIVEROS, FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO, and LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1522 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR PROVISIONAL LICENSES TO RADIO STATIONS WITH PENDING FRANCHISE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS AMENDING FOR THAT PURPOSE SECTION 1 OF ACT NO. 3846 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION OF RADIO STATIONS AND RADIO COMMUNICATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1523 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR MANDATORY INSURANCE COVERAGE AND BENEFITS AND HAZARD PAY FOR JOURNALISTS, EMPLOYEES OF MEDIA ENTITIES ON FIELD ASSIGNMENTS AND FREELANCE JOURNALISTS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and WAYS AND MEANS*

SBN 1524 “AN ACT UPHOLDING AND PROMOTING CAMPUS JOURNALISM AND CAMPUS PRESS FREEDOM, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE, REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7079, ENTITLED ‘AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF CAMPUS JOURNALISM’, PENALIZING VIOLATIONS AGAINST CAMPUS PRESS FREEDOM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA*

SBN 1525 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MORATORIUM ON RENTAL PAYMENT AND EVICTION DURING DISASTERS AND OTHER EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT*

SBN 1526 "AN ACT CREATING THE NATIONAL EDUCATION COUNCIL, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator SHERWIN GATCHALIAN*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and FINANCE*

SBN 1527 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, ADMINISTRATION, ORGANIZATION, TRAINING, MAINTENANCE AND UTILIZATION OF THE MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator PIA S. CAYETANO*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1528 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11332, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'MANDATORY REPORTING OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES AND HEALTH EVENTS OF PUBLIC HEALTH CONCERN ACT'"

- *Introduced by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1529 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF QUARANTINE FACILITIES IN EVERY REGION IN THE COUNTRY, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; PUBLIC WORKS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1530 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 18, BOOK VII, CHAPTER 3 OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON*
- *Referred to the Committees on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND REVISION OF CODES; and PUBLIC SERVICES*

SBN 1531 "AN ACT DEFINING THE OFFENSES OF DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS AND INDISCRIMINATE FIRING OF FIREARMS AND PROVIDING STIFFER PENALTIES THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSES ARTICLE 254 OF ACT NO. 3815, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE REVISED PENAL CODE, AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10591, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE COMPREHENSIVE FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION REGULATION ACT"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1532 "AN ACT PRESERVING THE INDIGENOUS GAMES IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and SPORTS*

SBN 1533 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11332, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MANDATORY REPORTING OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES AND HEALTH OF PUBLIC HEALTH CONCERN ACT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1534 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR INCENTIVES AND BENEFITS FOR HEALTH WORKERS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE*

SBN 1535 "AN ACT ENCOURAGING A BASELINE POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION COVID-19 TESTING FOR VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF SOCIETY FOR THE PURPOSE OF INTERCEPTING COVID-19 TRANSMISSION"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT*

SBN 1536 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 2 OF ACT NO. 3326, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'AN ACT TO ESTABLISH PERIODS OF PRESCRIPTION FOR VIOLATIONS PENALIZED BY SPECIAL ACTS AND MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES AND TO PROVIDE WHEN PRESCRIPTION SHALL BEGIN TO RUN"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1537 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF TERTIARY CARE HOSPITALS IN ALL REGIONS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1538 AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MORATORIUM ON STUDENT LOAN PAYMENT DURING DISASTERS AND OTHER EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

SBN 1539 "AN ACT MANDATING THE LANGUAGE ACCESSIBILITY OF DISASTER-RELATED INFORMATION"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA*

SBN 1540 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A MECHANISM FOR THE PREVENTION OF SHORTAGES OF DRUGS, MEDICAL DEVICES AND OTHER MEDICAL SUPPLIES ESSENTIAL TO RESPOND TO EPIDEMICS AND PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCIES, AMENDING FOR THAT PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11332, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'MANDATORY REPORTING OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES AND HEALTH EVENTS OF PUBLIC HEALTH CONCERN ACT"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

SBN 1541 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 3 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7797, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT TO LENGTHEN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR FROM TWO HUNDRED (200) DAYS TO NOT MORE THAN TWO HUNDRED TWENTY DAYS (220) CLASS DAYS"

- *Introduced by Senators VICENTE C. SOTTO III, JOEL VILLANUEVA, FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO, SHERWIN GATCHALIAN, JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" ZUBIRI, and CYNTHIA A. VILLAR*
- *Passed both Houses*

SBN 1542 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ECONOMIC STIMULUS STRATEGY FOR THE COUNTRY'S GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE AFTERMATH OF COVID 19 AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III*
- *Consolidated/substituted in Committee Report No. 98*

SBN 1543 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE VIROLOGY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INSTITUTE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator PANFILO "PING" M. LACSON*
- *Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1544 "AN ACT EXPANDING THE FUNCTION OF THE LUPONG TAGAPAMAYAPA, THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE', AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1545 "AN ACT STRENGTHENING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ANTI-MONEY LAUNDERING ACT OF 2001, AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committees on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

SBN 1546 "AN ACT DECLARING THE EXISTENCE OF A CONTINUING NATIONAL EMERGENCY ARISING FROM THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19) SITUATION, AMENDING SECTION 9 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11469, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'BAYANIHAN TO HEAL AS ONE ACT,' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Consolidated/substituted in Committee Report No. 98*

SBN 1547 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE TELEVISION (TV) BROADCASTING EDUCATION PROGRAM AS AN ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM FOR BASIC EDUCATION (TELEVISION ALS ACT)"

- *Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; PUBLIC SERVICES; and FINANCE*

SBN 1548 "AN ACT DECLARING JANUARY 16 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL WORKING HOLIDAY TO BE KNOWN AS 'NATIONAL BAPTIST DAY'"

- *Introduced by Senators CYNTHIA A. VILLAR and CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Referred to the Committee on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE*

SBN 1549 "AN ACT CREATING THE REGIONAL INVESTMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE COORDINATING HUB OF CENTRAL LUZON, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON*
- *Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; ECONOMIC AFFAIRS; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1550 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN BARANGAY MAS-IN, CITY OF ORMOC IN THE PROVINCE OF

LEYTE TO BE KNOWN AS MASIN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1551 “AN ACT CONVERTING THE ORANI DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ORANI, PROVINCE OF BATAAN INTO A GENERAL HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE ORANI GENERAL HOSPITAL AND INCREASING ITS BED CAPACITY FROM FIFTY (50) TO TWO HUNDRED (200) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1552 “AN ACT CONVERTING THE PRESIDENT RAMON MAGSAYSAY PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF IBA, PROVINCE OF ZAMBALES INTO THE RAMON MAGSAYSAY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, UPGRADING AND MODERNIZING ITS FACILITIES, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1553 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AT BARANGAY FLORA IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF STO. DOMINGO, ILOCOS SUR TO BE KNOWN AS THE FLORA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1554 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CONVERSION OF DINAPIGUE, ISABELA ROAD GOING TO DILASAG, AURORA INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1555 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA) TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT CENTER IN BALANGA CITY, PROVINCE OF BATAAN, TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'BALANGA CITY TESDA TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT CENTER,' AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and FINANCE*

SBN 1556 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN BARANGAY MACABUG, CITY OF ORMOC IN THE PROVINCE OF LEYTE TO BE KNOWN AS MACABUG NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

SBN 1557 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA) TRAINING AND ACCREDITATION CENTER IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NAVAL, TO BE KNOWN AS THE TESDA NAVAL TRAINING CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and FINANCE*

SBN 1558 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ECONOMIC STIMULUS STRATEGY FOR THE COUNTRY'S GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE AFTERMATH OF COVID-19 AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Consolidated/ Substituted in Committee Report No.98*

SBN 1559 "AN ACT ACCELERATING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH FACILITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN, THEREBY CREATING A BUILD, BUILD, BUILD PROGRAM FOR

HOSPITALS AND OTHER HEALTH FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; PUBLIC WORKS; and FINANCE*

SBN 1560 “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR FREE FREIGHT SERVICES IN THE TRANSPORTATION OF RELIEF GOODS TO CALAMITY-STRIKEN AREAS”

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES*

SBN 1561 “AN ACT EXTENDING THE EFFECTIVITY OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11469, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE BAYANIHAN TO HEAL AS ONE ACT, PROVIDING MECHANISMS TO ACCELERATE THE RECOVERY AND BOLSTER THE RESILIENCY OF THE PHILIPPINE ECONOMY, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11469, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO*
- *Consolidated/substituted in Committee Report No. 98*

SBN 1562 “AN ACT INCREASING THE RECRUITMENT QUOTA REQUIREMENT OF FEMALE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP) OFFICERS, AMENDING SECTION 58 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8551, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced by Senators RAMON BONG REVILLA JR., LEILA M. DE LIMA and RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA and JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; and FINANCE*

SBN 1563 "AN ACT LOWERING THE MINIMUM HEIGHT REQUIREMENT FOR APPLICANTS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION (BFP), BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY (BJMP), AND BUREAU OF CORRECTION (BUCOR), AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6975, AS AMENDED, REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9263, AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10575, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator(s) JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI, VICENTE C. SOTTO III, PANFILO "PING" M. LACSON, FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO, RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA and EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY, PEACE, UNIFICATION AND RECONCILIATION; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

COMMITTEE REPORTS

CRN 84 ON SBN 1513 ENTITLED "AN ACT INTEGRATING LABOR EDUCATION IN THE TERTIARY EDUCATION CURRICULUMS"

- *Sponsored by Senators JOEL VILLANUEVA, MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID and RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 85 ON SBN 1216 ENTITLED "AN ACT DECLARING MAY 18 OF EVERY YEAR AS THE NATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION DAY"

- *Sponsored by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 86 ON SBN 1520 ENTITLED "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP AND RETURN SERVICE PROGRAM FOR DESERVING STUDENTS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Sponsored by Senators VICENTE C. SOTTO III, CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO, RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA, RALPH G. RECTO, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, RAMON BONG REVILLA JR., JOEL VILLANUEVA, JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGRA, MANUEL "LITO" LAPID, EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO, PANFILO "PING" LACSON, FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO, CYNTHIA A. VILLAR, SHERWIN GATCHALIAN, and JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Calendared for Special Order*

CRN 87 ON SBN 1541 ENTITLED "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 3 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7797, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT TO LENGTHEN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR FROM TWO HUNDRED (200) DAYS TO NOT MORE THAN TWO HUNDRED TWENTY DAYS (220) CLASS DAYS"

- *Sponsored by Senator SHERWIN GATCHALIAN*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 88 ON HBN 6218 ENTITLED "AN ACT RENAMING THE MALITA DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN BARANGAY POBLACION, MUNICIPALITY OF MALITA, PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL TO MALITA WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S WELLNESS CENTER"

- *Sponsored by CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 89 ON HBN 6499 ENTITLED "AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE QUIRINO MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER IN QUEZON CITY, METRO MANILA FROM FIVE HUNDRED (500) BEDS TO ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BEDS, UPGRADING ITS PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES AND FACILITIES, AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE OF ITS MEDICAL PERSONNEL COMPLEMENT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Sponsored by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 90 ON SBN 1103 ENTITLED "AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE CAGAYAN VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER (CVMC) IN TUGUEGARAO CITY, PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN, FROM FIVE HUNDRED (500) TO ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BEDS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Sponsored by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 91 ON SBN 143 ENTITLED "AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE LAS PIÑAS GENERAL HOSPITAL AND SATELLITE TRAUMA CENTER IN LAS PIÑAS CITY, METRO MANILA, FROM TWO HUNDRED (200) BEDS TO FIVE HUNDRED (500) BEDS, UPGRADING ITS SERVICE FACILITIES AND PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Sponsored by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 92 ON HBN 6035 ENTITLED "AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE WESTERN VISAYAS MEDICAL CENTER MANDURRIAO, ILOILO CITY FROM FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE (425) BEDS TO SEVEN HUNDRED (700) BEDS, UPGRADING ITS PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES AND FACILITIES, AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE OF ITS MEDICAL PERSONNEL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Sponsored by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 93 ON SBN 555 ENTITLED "AN ACT CONVERTING THE SIARGAO DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE PROVINCE OF SURIGAO DEL NORTE INTO A LEVEL 3 GENERAL HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'SIARGAO ISLAND MEDICAL CENTER,' AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Sponsored by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 94 ON SBN 1562 ENTITLED "AN ACT INCREASING THE RECRUITMENT QUOTA REQUIREMENT OF FEMALE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP) OFFICERS, AMENDING SECTION 58 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8551, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Sponsored by Senator RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

CRN 95 ON SBN 1563 ENTITLED "AN ACT LOWERING THE MINIMUM HEIGHT REQUIREMENT FOR APPLICANTS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP), BUREAU OF FIRE PROTECTION (BFP), BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY (BJMP), AND BUREAU OF CORRECTION (BUCOR), AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6975, AS AMENDED, REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9263, AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10575, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Sponsored by Senator RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS

PSRN 378 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REVITALIZATION OF THE CULTURAL AND CREATIVES INDUSTRY IN THE NEW NORMAL"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

PSRN 379 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE RESUMPTION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN ORDER TO IMMEDIATELY RESTORE MOBILITY AND LIVELIHOOD

WHILE STILL OBSERVING SOCIAL DISTANCING MEASURES AND OTHER HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS”

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

PSRN 380 “RESOLUTION URGING THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT TO FORMULATE AND IMPLEMENT A BALIK PROBINSYA PROGRAM”

- *Introduced by CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 381 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ALLEGED REFUSAL OF SOME HOSPITALS TO ADMIT AND PROVIDE NECESSARY EMERGENCY TREATMENT TO PERSONS IN NEED OF IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION”

- *Introduced by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

PSRN 382 “RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SYMPATHY AND SINCERE CONDOLENCE OF THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES ON THE DEATH OF FORMER SENATOR HEHERSON T. ALVAREZ”

- *Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR*
- *Consolidated with Adopted Resolution*

PSRN 383 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF THE OPEN DISTANCE LEARNING ACT”

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committee on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

PSRN 384 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT, AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND OTHER APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES. TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ADEQUACY OF ON-SITE ASSISTANCE AND PROGRAM FOR OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS IN LIGHT OF THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND THE CONSEQUENT OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT DISPLACEMENTS WORLDWIDE"

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

PSRN 385 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WOMEN CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE RAMPANT PROLIFERATION AND RISING INCIDENCE THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF PROPOSING LEGISLATIVE MEASURES AND ENSURING THAT THE WELFARE OF THE FILIPINO YOUTH AND CHILDREN ARE NOT NEGLECTED DURING A GLOBAL HEALTH CRISIS"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY*

PSRN 386 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10533, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ENHANCED BASIC EDUCATION ACT OF 2013", IN RELATION TO REPORTS ON THE APPARENT DIFFICULTY IN WRITING IN ENGLISH OF SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF IDENTIFYING THE GAPS OF THE CURRENT CURRICULUM AND PROPOSING LEGISLATIONS THAT WOULD ENSURE THAT THE FILIPINO YOUTH ARE INDEED RECEIVING THE QUALITY EDUCATION THEY DESERVE"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE*

PSRN 387 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS AND PROGRESS OF THE NATIONAL STRATEGY TO ADDRESS THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ADDRESSING ISSUES THAT MAY IMPEDE ITS PROGRESS, ENSURING THE REALIZATION OF ITS OBJECTIVES, RESTORING PUBLIC TRUST AND CONFIDENCE ON SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INSTITUTIONS, AND SUSTAINING GOVERNMENT EFFORTS TOWARDS RECOVERY AND NORMALCY"

- *Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO*
- *Referred to Committee on ECONOMIC AFFAIRS*

PSRN 388 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER AMONG MILITARY PERSONNEL IN THE PHILIPPINES WITH THE INTENTION OF BETTER UNDERSTANDING THE MENTAL HEALTH RISKS FACING FILIPINO SOLDIERS IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES"

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY, PEACE, UNIFICATION AND RECONCILIATION*

PSRN 389 "A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION ON THE SHORT, MEDIUM, AND LONG-TERM RAMIFICATIONS OF THE CORONA VIRUS DISEASE 2019 ON THE PHILIPPINE UPSTREAM, MIDSTREAM AND DOWNSTREAM OIL AND GAS SECTOR AND THE MEASURES TO BE EMPLOYED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY TO ADDRESS SUCH EFFECTS"

- *Introduced by Senator SHERWIN GATCHALIAN*
- *Referred to the Committee on ENERGY*

PSRN 390 "RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE OF FORMER SENATOR HEHERSON 'SONNY' T. ALVAREZ BY CONDUCTING A BLOOD DONATION DRIVE ON OCTOBER 26 AND APRIL 20 OF EVERY YEAR, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PHILIPPINE RED CROSS"

- *Introduced by Senator RICHARD J. GORDON*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 391 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO DETERMINE THE IMPACT OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC TO THE COUNTRY'S BASIC EDUCATION SYSTEM, IDENTIFY AND ADDRESS THE ISSUES AND CHALLENGES CONFRONTING THE GOVERNMENT IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, THE PARENTS, TEACHERS, LEARNERS, AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CRAFTING LEGISLATION THAT WOULD ENSURE AN IMMEDIATE, EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT GOVERNMENT RESPONSE, INCLUDING RECOVERY AND TRANSITION MEASURES, DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, THEREBY MITIGATING ITS IMPACT AND PROVIDING FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT EDUCATION SYSTEM IN EMRGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator SHERWIN GATCHALIAN*
- *Referred to the Committee on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE*

PSRN 392 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10929 OR THE FREE INTERNET ACCESS IN PUBLIC PLACES ACT FOR THE PURPOSE OF IDENTIFYING AND ADDRESSING IMPLEMENTATION GAPS, ISSUES, AND CHALLENGES, AND SPECIFICALLY TO DETERMINE ITS IMPLEMENTATION COVERAGE AND EFFECTIVITY IN THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM CENTERS, AND OTHER LEARNING CENTERS"

IN THE COMMUNITY, AS WELL AS IN STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CRAFTING COMPLEMENTARY AND/OR AMENDATORY LEGISLATION, TO INCLUDE MECHANISMS FOR THE AVAILABILITY OF UNINTERRUPTED, FAST, AND RELIABLE INTERNET CONNECTIVITY DURING PANDEMICS, ENDEMICS, OUTBREAKS, AND OTHER EMERGENCY OR CRISIS SITUATIONS TO ENSURE THE CONTINUOUS E-LEARNING OF LEARNERS AMIDST SUCH SITUATIONS”

- *Introduced by Senator SHERWIN GATCHALIAN*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY*

PSRN 393 “RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS INNOVATION, AND FUTURES THINKING TO CONDUCT A HEARING, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EFFECTS OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON VARIOUS SECTORS, THEIR INNOVATIONS AND STRATEGIES TO PREPARE FOR AND ADAPT TO THE NEW NORMAL, AND THEIR ACTION PLANS TO PREPARE FOR ALL POSSIBILITIES AND OUTCOMES IN THE NEW NORMAL AND POST-COVID-19, TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION STRATEGIC FORESIGHT TO ANALYZE POSSIBLE FUTURES BASED ON AVAILABLE INTELLIGENCE AND KNOWLEDGE”

- *Introduced by Senator PIA S. CAYETANO*
- *Referred to Committee on SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS, INNOVATION AND FUTURES THINKING*

PSRN 394 “RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE HEROISM OF THOSE IN THE FRONTLINES IN LEADING THE NATION'S BATTLE AGAINST THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND FOR THEIR RELENTLESS SPIRIT IN KEEPING THE FILIPINO SAFE IN THE FACE OF THIS UNSEEN ADVERSARY”

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

PSRN 395 “RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE SENATE TO URGE THE NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS

COMMISSION (NTC) TO RECONSIDER ITS CEASE AND DESIST ORDER AGAINST ABS CBN CORPORATION AND TO ALLOW THE CONTINUOUS OPERATION OF ABS CBN CORPORATION, ITS SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES ABS CBN CONVERGENCE INC., SKY CABLE CORPORATION, AND AMCARA BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC., PENDING THE DISPOSITION OF ITS FRANCHISE RENEWAL”

- *Introduced by Senators RISA HONTIVEROS, JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI, FRANKLIN M. DRILON, RALPH G. RECTO, JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, PIA S. CAYETANO, SHERWIN GATCHALIAN, LEILA M. DE LIMA, MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID, EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO, FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN and JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 396 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ACTUATIONS OF THE PAGCOR IN LOBBYING FOR AN EXCEPTION IN FAVOR OF PHILIPPINE OFFSHORE GAMING OPERATORS (POGOS) DURING THE COMMUNITY QUARANTINE IMPOSED IN THE PHILIPPINES AMIDST THE THREAT OF COVID-19”

- *Introduced by Senators FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN, LEILA M. DE LIMA and RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committee on GAMES AND AMUSEMENT*

PSRN 397 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT, AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND OTHER APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES, TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ADEQUACY OF PROGRAMS FOR AFFECTED WORKERS IN THE PHILIPPINES IN LIGHT OF THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC, THE POTENTIAL MASSIVE EMPLOYMENT DISPLACEMENTS AND THE READINESS OF THE COUNTRY'S RECOVERY PLAN”

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

PSRN 398 "RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SYMPATHY AND SINCERE CONDOLENCES OF THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES ON THE DEATH OF ONE OF THE PHILIPPINES MOST TALENTED DIRECTORS, MAURICE RUIZ DE LUZURIAGA GALLAGA OTHERWISE KNOWN AS PEQUE GALLAGA, AND HONORING HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO PHILIPPINE CINEMA"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 399 "RESOLUTION HONORING THE LATE COMMUNICATIONS LUMINARY AND FORMER SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM RAMON A. JIMENEZ, JR. FOR HIS REMARKABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO PHILIPPINE TOURISM, THE ADVERTISING AND COMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY, NATION-BUILDING, AND OUR PARTICIPATIVE DEMOCRACY"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN*
- *Adopted*

PSRN 400 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT, AND CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, WITH THE INTENT OF DETERMINING THE COMPLIANCE OF EMPLOYERS WITH REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11058, OR 'AN ACT STRENGTHENING COMPLIANCE WITH OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF' AND OTHER OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH MEASURES IMPLEMENTED IN THE CONTEXT OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THESE STANDARDS AND MEASURES IN RESPONDING TO RISKS AND HAZARDS OF THE PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION*

PSRN 401 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE REPORTS OF PUBLIC FUNDS BEING SPENT TO PAY AND MAINTAIN ONLINE TROLLS TO DISTORT AND MANIPULATE ONLINE INFORMATION IN VARIOUS SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS IN ORDER TO INFLUENCE PUBLIC OPINION AND POLITICAL OUTCOMES"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS*

PSRN 402 "RESOLUTION HONORING THE LATE TOURISM SECRETARY RAMON 'MON' JIMENEZ, JR. FOR HIS IMMEASURABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO PHILIPPINE ADVERTISING, HIS ENDURING LEGACY TOWARDS REVOLUTIONIZING THE PHILIPPINE TOURISM INDUSTRY, AND HIS LASTING IMPACT TOWARDS NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC GROWTH"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Consolidated with Adopted Resolution*

PSRN 403 "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE RESPONSIVENESS OF THE COUNTRY'S PUBLIC HEALTH INFRASTRUCTURE AND THE ACCESSIBILITY OF VITAL MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES, WITH THE END GOAL OF IMPROVING THE COUNTRY'S RESPONSIVENESS TO THE CURRENT COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND PREPAREDNESS FOR FUTURE NATIONAL HEALTH EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator PIA S. CAYETANO*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and PUBLIC WORKS*

PSRN 404 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS, INNOVATION, AND FUTURES THINKING TO CONDUCT A HEARING, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EFFECTS OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON THE FUTURE OF HEALTH SERVICE DELIVERY IN THE COUNTRY FOR THE NEW NORMAL AND IN PREPARATION FOR FUTURE PANDEMICS AND OTHER HEALTH EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator PIA S. CAYETANO*
- *Referred to the Committees on SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS, INNOVATION AND FUTURES THINKING; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

PSRN 405 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE, COMMERCE, AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT A HEARING, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EFFECTS OF COVID-19 ON PHILIPPINE TRADE, COMMERCE, AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP, AND THE POSSIBLE WAYS TO 'RESTART' THE ECONOMY DURING AND AFTER THE 'COVID-19 ERA'"

- *Introduced by Senator AQUILINO "KOKO" PIMENTEL III*
- *Referred to the Committees on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and ECONOMIC AFFAIRS*

PSRN 406 "RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SYMPATHY AND SINCERE CONDOLENCES OF THE SENATE ON THE DEATH OF HONORABLE MARIA TERESA 'TESSIE' AQUINO ORETA, FORMER SENATOR (1998-2004), FORMER MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (1987-1998), AND THE FIRST WOMAN ASSISTANT MAJORITY FLOOR LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES"

- *Introduced by Senators VICENTE C. SOTTO III, PANFILO "PING" M. LACSON, RICHARD J. GORDON, PIA S.*

CAYETANO, EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO, RAMON BONG REVILLA JR., MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID, JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI, JOEL VILLANUEVA, JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA, RALPH G. RECTO, FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO, CYNTHIA A. VILLAR, RONALD "BATO" DELA ROSA, IMEE R. MARCOS, CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO, LEILA M. DE LIMA, SHERWIN GATCHALIAN, FRANKLIN M. DRILON, GRACE POE, RISA HONTIVEROS, FRANCIS "KIKO" PANGILINAN, and AQUILINO "KOKO" PIMENTEL III

➤ *Adopted*

PSRN 407 "RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN INVESTIGATION IN AID OF LEGISLATION INTO THE DOMESTIC DISSEMINATION OF FOREIGN PROPAGANDA THROUGH PHILIPPINE PUBLIC RADIO BROADCASTS AND SOCIAL MEDIA"

- *Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA*

PSRN 408 "RESOLUTION HONORING THE COUNTRY'S FALLEN FRONTLINE HEALTHCARE WORKERS AND EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND CONDOLENCES OF THE STATE"

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

PSRN 409 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO DETERMINE THE BUDGETARY REQUIREMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT TO UTILIZE INNOVATIVE DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES AND ACCELERATE THE BUILD-UP OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE TOWARDS IMPROVING GOVERNANCE, SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PROMPT DELIVERY OF SERVICES TO THE FILIPINO PEOPLE"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Consolidated/substituted in Committee Report No. 98*

PSRN 410 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS AND THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPOSING AND COLLECTING TAXES FROM MULTINATIONAL ONLINE STREAMING SERVICES AND THE DIGITAL ECONOMY IN GENERAL"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS*

PSRN 411 "RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS IN COORDINATION WITH THE METROPOLITAN MANILA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO DESIGNATED, DEVELOP, AND IMPROVE BICYCLE LANES IN METRO MANILA FOR THE DURATION OF THE COMMUNITY QUARANTINE"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO*
- *Consolidated/Substituted in Committee Report No. 101*

PSRN 412 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLE'S PARTICIPATION TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO ASSESS THE PREPARATIONS OF THE COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS (COMELEC) FOR THE 2022 NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS AMIDST CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC IN THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committee on ELECTORAL REFORMS AND PEOPLES PARTICIPATION*

PSRN 413 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGS), INNOVATION, AND

FUTURES THINKING TO CONDUCT A HEARING, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EFFECTS OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON THE FUTURE OF THE EDUCATION SYSTEM OF THE COUNTRY AND ITS IMPACT ON SDG 4 CONCERNING QUALITY EDUCATION, IN LIGHT OF THE NEW NORMAL AND MAPPING NEW AND RESPONSIVE WAYS AND SYSTEM OF LEARNING IN THE CURRENT PANDEMIC AND FOR FUTURE HEALTH EMERGENCIES”

- *Introduced by Senator PIA S. CAYETANO*
- *Referred to the Committees on SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS, INNOVATION AND FUTURES THINKING; and BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE*

PSRN 414 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT OF INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF COUNTRY'S INTERNET CONNECTIVITY, SPEED, BANDWIDTH CAPACITY AND OTHER RELEVANT PARAMETERS CONSIDERING THE INCREASE OF WORK-FROM-HOME ARRANGEMENTS, ONLINE CLASSES AND LEARNING SYSTEMS, AND THE SHIFT OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES TO DIGITAL PLATFORMS IN LIGHT OF THE 'NEW NORMAL' CAUSES BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC”

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and PUBLIC SERVICES*

PSRN 415 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, WITH THE INTENT OF DETERMINING THE FEASIBILITY OF CREATING AN ONLINE EDUCATIONAL DELIVERY PLATFORM, TO BE MANAGED BY THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED), THAT WILL BE ACCESSIBLE TO ALL TERTIARY EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS, TEACHERS AND COLLEGE STUDENTS”

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

PSRN 416 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE, AND HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF MANDATING TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANIES TO PROVIDE FREE INTERNET ACCESS TO ONLINE LEARNING PORTALS, EDUCATIONAL WEBSITES AND SIMILAR DIGITAL PLATFORMS FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL STUDENTS AND TEACHERS DURING TIMES OF DISASTER AND EMERGENCY WHEN PHYSICAL CLASSES CANNOT BE CONDUCTED"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

PSRN 417 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT, TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID LEGISLATION, ON THE ADEQUATENESS AND SUFFICIENCY OF THE OVERSEAS WORKERS WELFARE ADMINISTRATION'S ASSISTANCE TO OVERSEAS FILIPINO AFFECTED BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANKLIN M. DRILON*
- *Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

PSRN 418 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE ALLEGED MASSIVE USE AND ABUSE OF AUTHORITY OF GOVERNMENT SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS TO SPREAD FALSE INFORMATION AND TO TARGET MEMBERS OF THE MEDIA, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF CRAFTING LEGISLATION THAT SHALL HOLD THE PURVEYORS AND PERPETRATORS OF FALSEHOOD ACCOUNTABLE AND RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR WRONGDOING AND ENSURING THAT FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND OF THE PRESS ARE NOT SUPPRESSED DURING A GLOBAL HEALTH CRISIS"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee(s) on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS; and PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA*

PSRN 419 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE POWER GRANTED TO THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10867, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION REORGANIZATION AND MODERNIZATION ACT', IN RELATION TO SUBPOENAS SERVED BY THE NBI TO PRIVATE CITIZENS IN LIGHT OF THE RECENT COVID-19 GLOBAL PANDEMIC, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF DETERMINING POSSIBLE MISUSE AND ABUSE OF ITS SUBPOENA POWERS TO SUPPRESS CRITICAL DISSENT, UNDERMINE DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS, PREVENT AN EFFICACIOUS FIGHT AGAINST THE PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committees on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

PSRN 420 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY REQUIRING OFWS TO UNDERGO MANDATORY QUARANTINE AND TEST FOR COVID-19 WITH THE END IN VIEW OF PROVIDING IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO RETURNING OFWS AND ADOPTING STRATEGIES TO COPE WITH THE MASS REPATRIATION OF OFWS"

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

PSRN 421 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE COUNTRY'S PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE AGAINST COMMON DISEASES DURING RAINY

SEASON AS THE COUNTRY CONTINUES TO CONTAIN THE SPREAD OF COVID-19”

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

PSRN 422 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO DETERMINE AND ASSESS THE RESPONSE AND ACTION PLANS OF THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION (PRC), THE SUPREME COURT (SC), THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION (CSC), THE NATIONAL POLICE COMMISSION (NAPOLCOM), THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIS), ON THE CONDUCT OF ITS RESPECTIVE ENTRANCE AND LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS AMID THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND IN PREPARATION FOR THE NEW NORMAL”

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

PSRN 423 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE RISING INCIDENCE OF ONLINE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN IN THE PHILIPPINES, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF STRENGTHENING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7610, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'SPECIAL PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AGAINST ABUSE, EXPLOITATION AND DISCRIMINATION ACT' AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9775, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'ANTI-CHILD PORNOGRAPHY ACT OF 2009”

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY*

PSRN 424 "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE IMPACT OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON OUR YOUTH"

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

PSRN 425 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE REAL STATUS OF MASS TESTING IN THE COUNTRY, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF ADDRESSING ISSUES THAT IMPEDE THE PROGRESS OF GOVERNMENT RESPONSE TO COVID-19"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

PSRN 426 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE REPORTED ISSUES AND DELAYS IN THE RELEASE OF OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS (OFWS) FROM DESIGNATED QUARANTINE FACILITIES AS PART OF THE ONGOING PROGRAM OF THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT SEEKING TO REPATRIATE AND REUNITE THEM WITH THEIR FAMILIES AMIDST THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC DOWNTURN AND LABOR CONTRACTIONS BROUGHT UPON BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*

SRN 427 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ROLE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN FIGHTING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, INCLUDING THE USE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN DEVELOPING PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS THAT WILL HELP THE COUNTRY ADAPT TO THE NEW NORMAL"

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committee on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY*

PSRN 428 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED ILLEGAL HOSPITALS EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHINESE NATIONALS INFECTED WITH COVID-19"

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

PSRN 429 "A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE SENATE TO IMPOSE SUSPENSION OF THE INCREASE IN PHILHEALTH PREMIUM CONTRIBUTIONS FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AND OTHER HEALTH CARE WORKERS APPLICABLE FOR THE YEAR 2020"

- *Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

The Senate of the Philippines As an Institution

The Senate of the Philippines is one of the pillars of the country's lawmaking body, the other one being the House of Representatives. It is composed of 24 elected Senators whose terms of office shall be six (6) years. This dynamic institution is established to balance our economic, social and political environment and whose concerns are national in scope.

As the bastion of democracy, its action is centered on consensus and consultation with the end purpose of serving the best interest of the Filipino people.

The SENATE also values the importance of having productive and harmonious relationship with other institutions, from the government and the private sector, to create an environment where rapport and goodwill among institutions prevail. Its main objective is the passage of good, implementable and doable laws in pursuit of democratic ideals that would truly serve the national interest and the welfare of the people.

-Julieta J. Cervo-

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- The Senate As An Institution
(A briefing manual on the history, functions, symbols, organizational set-up and offices, and officers of Senate, etc.)
- ILS Resource Directory (Volumes I-II)
(Compilation of contact persons and addresses of NGOs, POs, Academes, Associations, Etc.)
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