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Submitted Jointly by the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and on Finance on _______.

Re: House Bill No. 5293

Recommending its approval without amendment.

Sponsors: Senators Mar Roxas and Edgardo J. Angara

Mr. President:

The Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and on Finance to which was referred House Bill No. 5293, introduced by Representatives Gatchalian, De Guzman, and Lagman, entitled:

"AN ACT

SEPARATING THE VALENZUELA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL - ARKONG BATO ANNEX IN BARANGAY ARKONG BATO, CITY OF VALENZUELA. METRO MANILA FROM THE VALENZUELA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL. CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS ARKONG BATO NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

have considered the same and have the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be approved without amendment.

Respectfully submitted:

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CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES FOURTEENTH CONGRESS Second Regular Session

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5293

BY REPRESENTATIVES GATCHALIAN, DE GUZMAN AND LAGMAN, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1396

AN ACT SEPARATING THE VALENZUELA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL – ARKONG BATO ANNEX IN BARANGAY ARKONG BATO, CITY OF VALENZUELA, METRO MANILA FROM THE VALENZUELA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS ARKONG BATO NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. Separation and Conversion into a National High School. -

The Valenzuela National High School – Arkong Bato Annex in Barangay Arkong Bato, City of Valenzuela, Metro Manila is hereby separated from the Valenzuela National High School and converted into an independent national high school to be known as Arkong Bato National High School.

- 6 SEC. 2. Transfer of Assets and Liabilities. All personnel, assets, 7 liabilities and records of the Valenzuela National High School – Arkong Bato 8 Annex are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the Arkong Bato National
- 9 High School.

1 SEC. 3. Appropriations. – The Secretary of Education shall immediately 2 include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Arkong Bato 3 National High School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the 4 current year's appropriations of the Valenzuela National High School – 5 Arkong Bato Annex. Thereafter, the amount necessary for the continued 6 operation of the school shall be included in the annual General Appropriations 7 Act.

8 SEC. 4. Implementation. - The Secretary of Education shall issue rules
9 and regulations that may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

SEC. 5. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
publication in the *Official Gazette*.

Approved,

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