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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 270

Submitted Jointly by the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and on Finance on ______MAR - 2 2009 ____.

Re: House Bill No. 5137

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. 5137, introduced by Representatives Violago, De Guzman, and Lagman, entitled:

"AN ACT

SEPARATING THE CONSTANCIO PADILLA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL - STO. NIÑO 3RD ANNEX IN BARANGAY STO. NIÑO 3RD, CITY OF SAN JOSE, PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA FROM THE CONSTANCIO PADILLA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS STO. NIÑO 3RD 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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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5137

BY REPRESENTATIVES, VIOLAGO, DE GUZMAN AND LAGMAN, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1262

AN ACT SEPARATING THE CONSTANCIO PADILLA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL – STO. NIÑO 3RD ANNEX IN BARANGAY STO. NIÑO 3RD, CITY OF SAN JOSE, PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA FROM THE CONSTANCIO PADILLA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS STO. NIÑO 3RD NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

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

The Constancio Padilla National High School – Sto. Niño 3rd Annex in

Barangay Sto. Niño, City of San Jose, Province of Nueva Ecija is hereby separated from the Constancio Padilla National High School and converted

5 into an independent national high school to be known as Sto. Niño 3rd National

6 High School.

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7 SEC. 2. Transfer of Assets and Liabilities. - All personnel, assets,

liabilities and records of the Constancio Padilla National High

| 1 | School - S | Sto. | Niño | 3 rd | Annex | are | hereby | transferred | to | and | absorbed | by | the |
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| 2 | Sto. Niño | 3 rd N | lation | al F | ligh Sch | iool | • | | | | | | |

- SEC. 3. Appropriations. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Sto. Niño 3rd National High School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriations of the Constancio Padilla National High School Sto. Niño 3rd Annex. Thereafter, the amount necessary for the continued operation of the school shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.
 - SEC. 4. Implementation. The Secretary of Education shall issue rules 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,