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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 526

Submitted by the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources on _______ DEC __1 __2 ____ 2012

Re

House Bill No. 5996, taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 2543

Recommending its approval without amendment.

Sponsor

Senator Escudero.

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources to which were referred House Bill No. 5996, introduced by Representatives Teves, Arnaiz, Matugas, Abaya, Ungab, Mandanas, Apacible, Castro, Ejercito, Escudero, Lagdameo (M.), Limkaichong, Rodriguez (R.), Sarmiento (M.), and Treñas, entitled:

"AN ACT

PROVIDING FOR THE RETENTION BY THE PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT BOARD OF SEVENTY-FIVE PERCENT (75%) OF THE REVENUES ACCRUING TO THE INTEGRATED PROTECTED AREAS FUND (IPAF), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 16 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7586, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'NATIONAL INTEGRATED PROTECTED AREAS SYSTEM ACT OF 1992'"

and Senate Bill No. 2543, introduced by Senator Revilla Jr., entitled:

"AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 16 OF THE REPUBLIC ACT 7586 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL INTEGRATED PROTECTED AREAS SYSTEM ACT OF 1992"

has considered the same and has the honor to report these bills back to the Senate with the recommendation that House Bill No. 5996, taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 2543, be approved without amendment.

Respectfully submitted:

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