



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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AN ACT INCREASING THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF BIÑAN FROM TEN (10) TO TWELVE (12) AND SEPARATING IT FROM THE FIRST LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF LAGUNA TO CONSTITUTE THE LONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BIÑAN, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTIONS 10 AND 61, RESPECTIVELY, OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9740, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "CHARTER OF THE CITY OF BIÑAN"

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 10 of Republic Act No. 9740, otherwise known as
2 the "Charter of the City of Biñan", is hereby amended to read as follows:
3 "SEC. 10. *Composition.* – (a) The sangguniang panlungsod,
4 the legislative body of the City, shall be composed of the city
5 vice mayor as the presiding officer, the [ten (10)] TWELVE (12)
6 regular sanggunian members [which] WHO shall be elected at
7 large, the president of the city chapter of the liga ng mga barangay,

1 the president of the panlungsod na pederasyon ng mga sangguniang
2 kabataan and the sectoral representatives, as members.

3 "x x x."

4 SEC. 2. Section 61 of the Charter of the City of Biñan is hereby
5 amended to read as follows:

6 "SEC. 61. *Representative District.* – [Until otherwise
7 provided by law, the] THE City of Biñan shall [continue to be a
8 part of the First Congressional District of the Province of Laguna]
9 **HAVE ITS OWN REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT TO COMMENCE IN**
10 **THE NEXT NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS AFTER THE**
11 **EFFECTIVITY OF THIS ACT."**

12 SEC. 3. *Incumbent Representative.* – The incumbent Representative
13 of the First Legislative District of the Province of Laguna, including the City of
14 Biñan, shall continue to represent the said district until the expiration of his
15 term of office.

16 SEC. 4. *Incumbent and Additional Members of the Sangguniang*
17 *Panlungsod of the City of Biñan.* – The incumbent members of the
18 Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Biñan, Province of Laguna shall
19 continue to serve until the expiration of their term of office. The additional
20 members as provided under Section 1 of this Act, shall be elected, together
21 with the incumbent regular members, in the next national and local elections
22 after the effectivity of this Act.

23 SEC. 5. *Rules and Regulations.* – The Commission on Elections shall
24 issue the necessary rules and regulations to implement this Act within thirty
25 (30) days after its effectivity.

1 SEC. 6. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, rules and regulations which are
2 inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified
3 accordingly.

4 SEC. 7. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after
5 its publication in any newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,

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