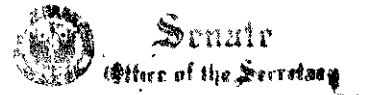


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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 108

Submitted by the Committee on Justice and Human Rights on

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Re: H. No. 4073

Recommending its approval with amendments.

Sponsor: Senator Pimentel

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**MR. PRESIDENT:**

The Committee on Justice and Human Rights, to which was referred H. No. 4073, introduced by Reps. Gerona-Robredo, and Tupas, entitled:


**"AN ACT  
GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO  
FARRELL ELDRIAN WU"**


has considered the same and has the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that the attached bill, H.No. 4073, be approved with amendments.

The amendments are as follows:

1. On Section 1, Lines 3-4, change the phrase “and with the same effects and subject to the same conditions as provided under the Constitution” to “**under the Constitution and the laws of the Republic of the Philippines;**”; thereafter, insert the following sentence at the end of the paragraph: “**Being a minor, his parents, Ching Yang Wu and Elaine Lim So, have given their full consent to his naturalization as expressed in their *Joint Affidavit of Consent* dated December 15, 2014.**”
2. Delete the entire Section 2;
3. A new Section 2 is inserted to read as follows:  
  
“**SEC. 2. After the taking by Farrell Eldrian Wu of his *Oath of Allegiance* before an officer duly authorized for this purpose, and the registration of the same with the Bureau of Immigration, Farrell Eldrian Wu shall enter upon the full enjoyment of his Philippine citizenship.**”;
4. A new Section 3 is inserted to read as follows:  
  
“**SEC. 3. Upon registration of the *Oath of Allegiance*, the Bureau of Immigration shall forthwith issue Farrell Eldrian Wu’s Certificate of Naturalization**”;
5. The original Section 3 will now become Section 4, but on Line 10 thereof, delete the phrase “in the *Official Gazette* or”.

Respectfully Submitted:

  
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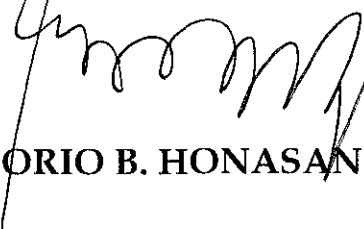
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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 4073

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BY REPRESENTATIVES GERONA-ROBREDO AND TUPAS

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### AN ACT GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO FARRELL ELDRIAN WU

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

1           SECTION 1. Farrell Eldrian Wu is hereby granted Philippine  
2 citizenship with all the rights, privileges, prerogatives, duties and obligations  
3 appurtenant thereto and with the same effects and subject to the same  
4 conditions as provided under the Constitution.

5           SEC. 2. Upon the taking and registration of the Oath of Allegiance to  
6 the Republic of the Philippines before the Bureau of Immigration and the  
7 issuance to him of the Certificate of Naturalization, Farrell Eldrian Wu shall  
8 enter upon the full enjoyment of the Philippine citizenship.

9           SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete  
10 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in at least (2) newspapers of general  
11 circulation.

Approved,

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VERSION INCORPORATING THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS.

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H. No. 4537

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BY REPRESENTATIVES GERONA-ROBREDO AND TUPAS

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AN ACT  
GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP  
TO FARRELL ELDRIAN WU

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

1       **SECTION 1.** Farrell Eldrian Wu is hereby granted Philippine  
2 citizenship with all the rights, privileges and prerogatives, as well as the  
3 duties and obligations appurtenant thereto under the Constitution and the  
4 laws of the Republic of the Philippines. Being a minor, his parents, Ching  
5 Yang Wu and Elaine Lim So, have given their full consent to his  
6 naturalization as expressed in their *Joint Affidavit of Consent* dated  
7 December 15, 2014.

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9       **SEC. 2.** After the taking by Farrell Eldrian Wu of his *Oath of*  
10 *Allegiance* before an officer duly authorized for this purpose, and the  
11 registration of the same with the Bureau of Immigration, Farrell Eldrian  
12 Wu shall enter upon the full enjoyment of his Philippine citizenship.

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1           **SEC. 3.** Upon registration of the *Oath of Allegiance*, the Bureau of  
2 Immigration shall forthwith issue Farrell Eldrian Wu's Certificate of  
3 Naturalization.

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5           **SEC. 4.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its  
6 publication in at least two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

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8           *Approved,*