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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 126

Submitted jointly by the Committees on Local Government and Electoral Reforms and People's Participation on APR 22 2015.

Re: House Bill No. 3750

Recommending its approval with amendments.

Sponsors: Senator Marcos, Jr. and Senator Pimentel III

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committees on Local Government and Electoral Reforms and People's Participation to which was referred House Bill No. 3750, introduced by Representatives Raneo E. Abu, Mark Llandro L. Mendoza, Nelson P. Collantes and Elenita Milagros Ermita-Buhain, entitled:

**"AN ACT
SEPARATING THE CITY OF BATANGAS FROM THE SECOND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS TO CONSTITUTE THE LONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BATANGAS "**

have considered the same and have the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be approved with the following amendments:

1. Section 1 of House Bill No. 3750 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS IS HEREBY REAPPORTIONED INTO SIX (6) LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS TO COMMENCE IN THE NEXT

**NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS AFTER THE EFFECTIVITY OF THIS ACT,
EACH DISTRICT TO BE COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING:**

(a) *FIRST LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT* – THE MUNICIPALITIES THAT COMPRISE THE CURRENT FIRST LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL REMAIN IN ITS COMPOSITION, TO WIT:

- (1) BALAYAN**
- (2) CALACA**
- (3) CALATAGAN**
- (4) LEMERY**
- (5) LIAN**
- (6) NASUGBU**
- (7) TAAL**
- (8) TUY**

(b) *SECOND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT* – THE SECOND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL BE COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPALITIES:

- (1) BAUAN**
- (2) LOBO**
- (3) MABINI**
- (4) SAN LUIS**
- (5) SAN PASCUAL**
- (6) TINGLOY**

(c) *THIRD LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT* - THE CITY AND MUNICIPALITIES THAT COMPRISE THE CURRENT THIRD LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL REMAIN IN ITS COMPOSITION, TO WIT:

- (1) TANAUAN CITY**
- (2) AGONCILLO**
- (3) ALITAGTAG**
- (4) BALETE**
- (5) CUENCA**
- (6) LAUREL**
- (7) MALVAR**
- (8) MATAAS NA KAHUY**
- (9) SAN NICOLAS**
- (10) STA. TERESITA**
- (11) STO. TOMAS**
- (12) TALISAY**

(d) *FOURTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT* – THE FOURTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL BE COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPALITIES:

- (1) IBAAN**
- (2) PADRE GARCIA**
- (3) ROSARIO**
- (4) SAN JOSE**
- (5) SAN JUAN**
- (6) TAYSAN**

(e) **FIFTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT** – THE FIFTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL BE COMPOSED OF THE CITY OF BATANGAS.

(f) **SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT** - THE SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL BE COMPOSED OF THE CITY OF LIPA.”

2. Section 2 of House Bill No. 3750 is hereby amended to read as follows:

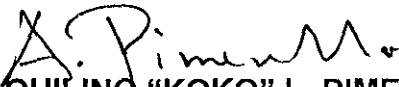
“SEC. 2. INCUMBENT REPRESENTATIVES. – THE INCUMBENT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SECOND (2ND) AND FOURTH (4TH) LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS OF THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS SHALL CONTINUE TO REPRESENT THE CITY OF BATANGAS AND THE CITY OF LIPA, RESPECTIVELY, UNTIL THE NEW REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FIFTH (5TH) AND SIXTH (6TH) LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS SHALL HAVE BEEN ELECTED AND QUALIFIED.”

3. The title of the bill is hereby amended to read as follows:

**“AN ACT
REAPPORTIONING THE PROVINCE OF BATANGAS INTO SIX (6) LEGISLATIVE
DISTRICTS”**


Respectfully submitted:

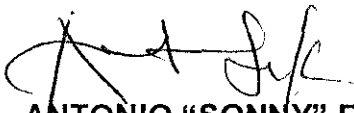
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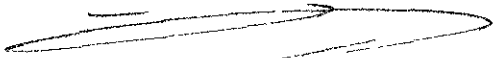

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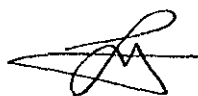
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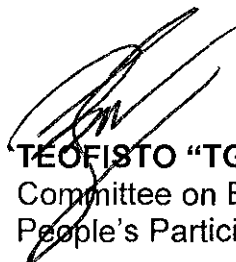
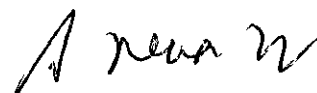
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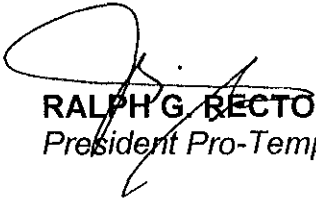


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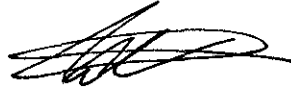


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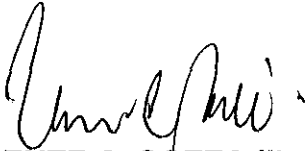
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 3750

BY REPRESENTATIVES ABU, MENDOZA (M.), COLLANTES AND
ERMITA-BUHAIN, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 38

AN ACT SEPARATING THE CITY OF BATANGAS FROM THE
SECOND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF
BATANGAS TO CONSTITUTE THE LONE LEGISLATIVE
DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BATANGAS

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

1 SECTION 1. *Lone Legislative District.* – The City of Batangas is
2 hereby separated from the Second Legislative District of the Province of
3 Batangas to constitute the Lone Legislative District of the City of Batangas,
4 which shall commence in the next national and local elections after the
5 effectivity of this Act.

6 SEC. 2. *Incumbent Representative.* – The incumbent Representative
7 of the Second Legislative District of the Province of Batangas shall continue
8 to represent the said district until the new Representative of the Lone
9 Legislative District of the City of Batangas shall have been elected and
10 qualified.

1 SEC. 3. *Rules and Regulations.* – The Commission on Elections shall
2 issue the necessary rules and regulations to implement this Act.

3 SEC. 4. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, rules and regulations which are
4 inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified
5 accordingly.

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

Approved,

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