



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5638

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BY REPRESENTATIVES GO (A.F.), CATAMCO, BAGUILAT, ALIPING AND  
ROMARATE, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 654

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AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN  
INDIGENOUS TRAINING AND LEARNING CENTER IN THE  
MUNICIPALITY OF SEN. NINOY AQUINO, SECOND DISTRICT  
OF SULTAN KUDARAT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS  
THEREFOR

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

1           SECTION 1. There shall be established an indigenous training and  
2 learning center in the Municipality of Sen. Ninoy Aquino, Second District of  
3 Sultan Kudarat.

4           SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the National Commission on Indigenous  
5 Peoples (NCIP), in coordination with the Technical Education and Skills  
6 Development Authority (TESDA), to provide appropriate skills training to  
7 recipient members of the indigenous cultural communities (ICCs) in the  
8 Second District of Sultan Kudarat.

9           To this end, the NCIP shall formulate learning programs that shall be  
10 relevant to the needs of the concerned ICCs who themselves shall determine

1 the types of skills training applicable to their circumstances. For this purpose,  
2 the NCIP shall coordinate with the Department of Public Works and Highways  
3 (DPWH) for the construction of a building where the skills training and  
4 learning sessions shall be conducted.

5 SEC. 3. To carry out the provisions of this Act, the NCIP shall receive  
6 the amount of five million pesos (P5,000,000.00) in addition to its existing  
7 appropriations. This amount shall be charged against any available  
8 appropriation in the General Appropriations Act (GAA) in the year of its  
9 implementation. Thereafter, such sum as may be necessary shall be included in  
10 the annual GAA. This appropriation may be increased in subsequent years, if  
11 necessary.

12 SEC. 4. Within sixty (60) days after the effectivity of this Act, the  
13 NCIP, in coordination with the TESDA, shall promulgate the necessary rules  
14 and regulations to govern the effective implementation of this Act.

15 SEC. 5. Any provision of law, order, issuance, rule or regulation  
16 inconsistent with this Act is hereby repealed, revoked, or modified  
17 accordingly.

18 SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication  
19 in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,

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