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BY REPRESENTATIVES MANALO, BARBERS, CUA, CALDERON, NOEL, MARCOLETA, SAVELLANO, BATAOIL, ALVAREZ (P.) AND FARIÑAS, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 75

AN ACT SIMPLIFYING THE DONOR'S TAX RATE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 99 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, AS AMENDED

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

SECTION 1. Section 99 of the National Internal Revenue Code of 1997, 1 as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows: 2 3 "SEC. 99. Rates of Tax Payable by Donor. -"(A) In General. - The tax for each calendar year 4 SHALL BE SIX PERCENT (6%) AND shall be computed on the 5 6 basis of the total net gifts made during the calendar year: [in accordance with the following schedule: PROVIDED, THAT 7 8 ANNUAL NET GIFTS NOT EXCEEDING P100,000 SHALL BE 9 EXEMPT.

1	[If the net gift is:				
2 3	Over	But Not Over	The Tax Shall Be	Plus	Of the Excess Over
4		P100,000	Exempt		
5	P100,000	P200,000	0	2%	P100,000
6	200,000	500,000	2,000	4%	200,000
7	.500,000	1,000,000	14,000	6%	500,000
8	1,000,000	3,000,000	44,000	8%	1,000,000
9	3,000,000	5,000,000	204,000	10%	3,000,000
10	5,000,000	10,000,000	404,000	12%	5,000,000
11	10,000,000		1,004,000	15%	10,000,000]
12	"(B) Tax Payable by Donor if Donee is a Stranger. –				
13	When the donce or beneficiary is a stranger, the tax payable by				
14	the donor shall be [thirty percent (30%)] SIX PERCENT (6%) of				
15	the net gifts. For the purpose of this tax, a 'stranger' is a person				
16	who is not a:				
17	"(1) Brother, sister (whether by whole or half-blood),				
18	spouse, ancestor and lineal descendant; or				
19 20	"(2) Relative by consanguinity in the collateral line				
21	within the fourth degree of relationship.				
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23	"x x x."				
24	SEC. 2. Implementing Rules and Regulations Within thirty (30)				
25	days upon the effectivity of this Act, the Secretary of Finance shall, upon				
26	recommendation of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, promulgate the				
27	necessary rules and regulations for its effective implementation.				
28	SEC. 3. Separability Clause If any provision of this Act is				
29	subsequently declared invalid or unconstitutional, other provisions hereof				
30	which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.				

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SEC. 4. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, acts, presidential decrees,
executive orders, issuances, presidential proclamations, rules and regulations
or parts thereof which are contrary to or inconsistent with any provision of this
Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

5 SEC. 5. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after 6 its complete publication in the *Official Gazette* or in two (2) newspapers of 7 general circulation.

Approved,