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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 159

Submitted Jointly by the Committees on Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation and Finance on Aug. 1.7.2017

Re: Senate Bill No. $\underline{1561}$

Recommending its approval in substitution of Senate Bill No. 494

Sponsor: Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes IV

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committees on Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation and Finance to which was referred Senate Bill No. 494, introduced by Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes IV entitled:

"AN ACT PROVIDING THAT ALL CONTRACTUAL AND CASUAL EMPLOYEES IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE BE PAID CORRESPONDING WAGES DURING SPECIAL PUBLIC HOLIDAYS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

have considered the same and have the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that the attached bill, Senate Bill No. 1561, prepared by the Committees, entitled:

"AN ACT PROVIDING THAT ALL CONTRACTUAL AND CASUAL EMPLOYEES IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE BE PAID CORRESPONDING WAGES DURING SPECIAL PUBLIC AND LOCAL HOLIDAYS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

be approved in substitution of Senate Bill No. SBN 494 with Senators Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes IV and Loren B. Legarda as authors thereof.

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S. No. 1561

(In Substitution of Senate Bill No. 494)



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AN ACT

PROVIDING THAT ALL CONTRACTUAL AND CASUAL EMPLOYEES IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE BE PAID CORRESPONDING WAGES DURING SPECIAL PUBLIC AND LOCAL HOLIDAYS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

- **SECTION 1.** All contractual and casual government employees shall be entitled to the payment of their corresponding daily wages during special public and local holidays, as may be proclaimed by the President of the Philippines.
- SEC. 2. During the initial year of the implementation of this Act, the amount necessary for the effective implementation of this Act shall be charged against the appropriations of the respective government agencies wherein the concerned contractual and casual employees are employed. Thereafter, such sums as may be necessary for its continued implementation shall be included in the subsequent annual General Appropriations Act.
- SEC. 3. The Civil Service Commission (CSC), in consultation with the Department of Budget and Management (DBM), shall issue the appropriate rules or guidelines for the proper implementation of this act within thirty (30) days upon its approval.
- SEC. 4. All laws, presidential decrees, executive orders, rules and regulations or proclamations and other issuances, contrary or inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.
- SEC. 5. This act shall take effect within fifteen (15) days upon its publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the country, whichever comes first.

Approved