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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 251

Submitted by the Committee on Education, Arts and Culture on FEB 26 2018

Re: House Bill No. 5780

Recommending its approval with amendments.

Sponsor: Senator Escudero

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Education, Arts and Culture to which was referred House Bill No. 5780, introduced by Rep. Gonzales, A., *et. al.* entitled:

**"AN ACT
RENAMING THE DON HONORIO VENTURA TECHNOLOGICAL STATE
UNIVERSITY (DHVTSU) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BACOLOR, PROVINCE OF
PAMPANGA AS THE DON HONORIO VENTURA STATE UNIVERSITY
(DHVSU), AND EXPANDING ITS CURRICULAR OFFERINGS, AMENDING FOR
THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9832, ENTITLED 'AN ACT CONVERTING
THE DON HONORIO VENTURA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND TRADES IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF BACOLOR, PROVINCE OF PAMPANGA INTO A STATE
UNIVERSITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE DON HONORIO VENTURA
TECHNOLOGICAL STATE UNIVERSITY (DHVTSU) AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR"**

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

1. ON PAGE 2, LINE 5, SECTION 3, BEFORE THE WORD "UNDERGRADUATE" INSERT "TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL,".
2. ON THE SAME PAGE AND SECTION, LINE 12, AFTER THE ROMAN NUMERAL "III", REPLACE THE PERIOD (.) WITH A SEMI-COLON (;).
3. ON THE SAME PAGE, SECTION AND LINE, AT THE END OF THE PARAGRAPH, ADD THE FOLLOWING:

"PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT NO DEGREE PROGRAM SHALL BE OFFERED WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION BEFORE THE SAME SHALL BE APPROVED BY ITS BOARD."

4. ON THE SAME PAGE AND SECTION, ADD THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH:

"THE UNIVERSITY MAY OPERATE A REASONABLY-SIZED LABORATORY SCHOOL, IF IT HAS A COLLEGE EDUCATION."

SECTION 3 SHALL NOW READ AS FOLLOWS:

"SEC. 3. CURRICULAR OFFERINGS. THE UNIVERSITY SHALL OFFER TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL, UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE COURSES IN THE FIELDS OF EDUCATION, ENGINEERING, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ARTS AND HUMANITIES, INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY, LIBERAL ARTS, LEGAL MANAGEMENT, LAW, MEDICINE SCIENCES, HEALTH-RELATED COURSES, ENTREPRENEURIAL PROGRAM, CREATIVE INDUSTRIES, TRAVEL MANAGEMENT, CULINARY MANAGEMENT, AND OTHER RELEVANT COURSES WITHIN ITS AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION AND ACCORDING TO ITS CAPABILITIES, AS THE BOARD OF REGENTS MAY DEEM NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT ITS OBJECTIVES, IN ORDER TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE PROVINCE OF PAMPANGA AND REGION III; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT NO DEGREE PROGRAM SHALL BE OFFERED WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION BEFORE THE SAME SHALL BE APPROVED BY ITS BOARD.

THE UNIVERSITY MAY OPERATE A REASONABLY-SIZED LABORATORY SCHOOL, IF IT HAS A COLLEGE EDUCATION.

Respectfully submitted:

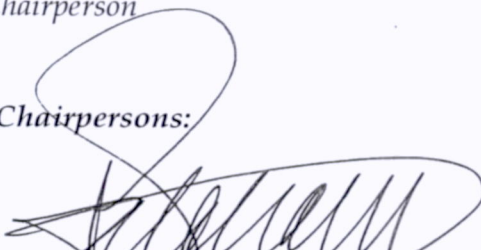


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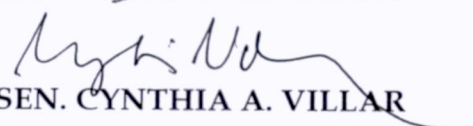
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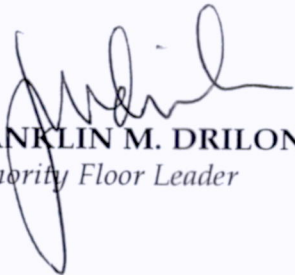
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5780

BY REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES (A.D.), HOFER AND SY-ALVARADO,
PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 272

AN ACT RENAMING THE DON HONORIO VENTURA TECHNOLOGICAL STATE UNIVERSITY (DHVTSU) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BACOLOR, PROVINCE OF PAMPANGA AS THE DON HONORIO VENTURA STATE UNIVERSITY (DHVSU), AND EXPANDING ITS CURRICULAR OFFERINGS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9832, ENTITLED "AN ACT CONVERTING THE DON HONORIO VENTURA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND TRADES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BACOLOR, PROVINCE OF PAMPANGA INTO A STATE UNIVERSITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE DON HONORIO VENTURA TECHNOLOGICAL STATE UNIVERSITY (DHVTSU) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

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

1 SECTION 1. The Don Honorio Ventura Technological State University
2 (DHVTSU) in the Municipality of Bacolor, Province of Pampanga is hereby
3 renamed as the Don Honorio Ventura State University (DHVSU).

4 SEC. 2. *General Mandate.* - The University shall primarily provide
5 advanced instruction and professional training in education, engineering,
6 science and technology, arts and humanities, information and communications
7 technology, liberal arts, medical, health-related programs, and other relevant
8 fields of study. It shall also undertake research, extension services, and

1 production activities in support of the socioeconomic development of the
2 Province of Pampanga and provide progressive leadership in its areas of
3 specialization.

4 SEC. 3. *Curricular Offerings.* - The University shall offer
5 undergraduate and graduate courses in the fields of education, engineering,
6 science and technology, arts and humanities, information and communications
7 technology, liberal arts, legal management, law, medicine sciences, health-
8 related courses, entrepreneurial program, creative industries, travel
9 management, culinary management, and other relevant courses within its areas
10 of specialization and according to its capabilities, as the Board of Regents may
11 deem necessary to carry out its objectives, in order to meet the needs of the
12 Province of Pampanga and Region III.

13 SEC. 4. *Repealing Clause.* - All provisions of Republic Act No. 9832
14 referring to the name of Don Honorio Ventura Technological State University
15 are hereby modified accordingly.

16 SEC. 5. *Effectivity.* - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after
17 its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved.

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