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Submitted by the Committee on Local Government on _____MAR 2 1 2018

RE: H. B. No. 5565

Recommending the approval of House Bill No. 5565 without amendment.

Sponsor: Senator Angara

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Local Government to which was referred **House Bill No. 5565**, introduced by Representatives Gil P. Acosta, Frederick "Erick" F.

Abueg, Franz E. Alvarez and Marlyn L. Primicias-Agabas, entitled:

"AN ACT DECLARING JANUARY 24 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF PALAWAN AND THE CITY OF PUERTO PRINCESA IN HONOR OF THE MARTYRDOM OF GOVERNOR HIGINIO ACOSTA MENDOZA, SR., TO BE KNOWN AS 'GOVERNOR HIGINIO ACOSTA MENDOZA, SR. DAY'"

has considered the same and has the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be approved without amendment.

Respectfully submitted:

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5565

BY REPRESENTATIVES ACOSTA, ABUEG, ALVAREZ (F.) AND PRIMICIAS-AGABAS, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 217

AN ACT DECLARING JANUARY 24 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF PALAWAN AND THE CITY OF PUERTO PRINCESA IN HONOR OF THE MARTYRDOM OF GOVERNOR HIGINIO ACOSTA MENDOZA, SR., TO BE KNOWN AS "GOVERNOR HIGINIO ACOSTA MENDOZA, SR. DAY"

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

- SECTION 1. January 24 of every year is hereby declared a special
- 2 nonworking holiday in the Province of Palawan and the City of Puerto
- 3 Princesa in honor of the martyrdom of Governor Higinio Acosta Mendoza, Sr.,
- 4 to be known as "Governor Higinio Acosta Mendoza, Sr. Day".
- 5 SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication
- in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,