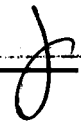


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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 389

Submitted jointly by the Committees on Health and Demography, and Finance on
MAY 23 2018

Re : House Bill No. 1955

Recommending the approval of House Bill No. 1955 with amendment.

Sponsor : Senator Joseph Victor G. Ejercito

Mr. President:

The Committees on Health and Demography, and Finance, to which was referred House Bill No. 1955, introduced by Representatives Eusebio, Nograles (K.A.), Romero, Revilla, Garcia (J.E.) and Martinez, entitled:

"AN ACT

**INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF RIZAL MEDICAL CENTER
IN PASIG CITY FROM THREE HUNDRED (300) TO FIVE
HUNDRED (500) BEDS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"**

have considered the same and have the honor to report back to the Senate with the recommendation that the attached House Bill No. 1955, be approved with one amendment, to wit:

1. On Page 1, line 4 insert a new Section that reads:

"SEC. 2. THE EXISTING MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES, ITS OPERATING FUNDS AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEEDED INFRASTRUCTURE OF THE RMC ARE HEREBY UPGRADED TO CONFORM WITH AND BE COMMENSURATE TO THE INCREASE IN BED CAPACITY AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 1 HEREOF."

Renumber the subsequent sections accordingly.

Respectfully submitted:


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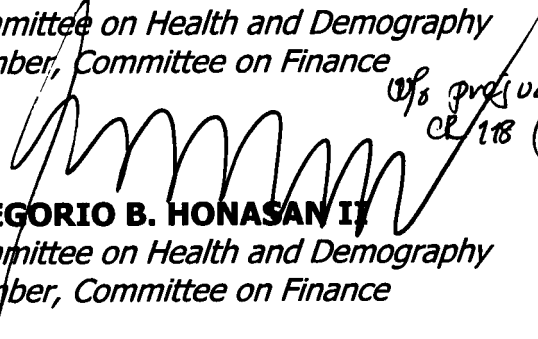
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 1955

BY REPRESENTATIVES EUSEBIO, NOGRALES (K.A.), ROMERO,
REVILLA, GARCIA (J.E.) AND MARTINEZ

AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF RIZAL
MEDICAL CENTER IN PASIG CITY FROM THREE
HUNDRED (300) TO FIVE HUNDRED (500) BEDS
AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. The authorized bed capacity of Rizal Medical
2 Center (RMC) in Pasig City is hereby upgraded from three hundred
3 (300) to five hundred (500) beds.

4 SEC. 2. The increase in bed capacity of RMC from three
5 hundred (300) to five hundred (500) beds shall be implemented for a
6 period of not more than three (3) years from the approval of this
7 Act. The Secretary of Health shall immediately include in the
8 Department's programs the said implementation, the funding of
9 which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

1 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
2 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general
3 circulation.

Approved.

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