

(AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE)

CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES  
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8696

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BY REPRESENTATIVES UNICO, SY-ALVARADO AND PRIMICIAS-AGABAS,  
PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 989

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[AN ACT DECLARING FEBRUARY 1 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL [NON]WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF CAMARINES NORTE, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9090, ENTITLED: "AN ACT DECLARING FEBRUARY FIRST OF EVERY YEAR AS 'JOSE MARIA C. PANGANIBAN DAY' AND A SPECIAL WORKING PUBLIC HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF CAMARINES NORTE"] AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9090 OR AN ACT DECLARING FEBRUARY FIRST OF EVERY YEAR AS "JOSE MARIA C. PANGANIBAN DAY" AND A SPECIAL WORKING PUBLIC HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF CAMARINES NORTE

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

1           [SECTION 1. February 1 of every year is hereby declared a  
2 special [non]working holiday in the Province of Camarines Norte, in  
3 recognition of Jose Maria C. Panganiban's sacrifice and fight for  
4 humanitarian reforms for his beloved country, and placing him  
5 among the heroes and great men whose death or birth anniversaries  
6 are given appropriate recognition and honor.

1           SEC. 2. Republic Act No. 9090, entitled: "An Act Declaring  
2 February First of Every Year as 'Jose Maria C. Panganiban Day'  
3 and a Special Working Public Holiday in the Province of Camarines  
4 Norte", and all laws, decrees, executive orders and regulations  
5 inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified  
6 accordingly.]

7           SECTION 1. Section 2 of Republic Act No. 9090 is hereby  
8 amended:

9           "SEC. 2. In recognition of Jose Maria C.  
10 Panganiban's sacrifices and his fight for humanitarian  
11 reforms for his beloved country, and for placing him  
12 among the heroes and great men whose death or birth  
13 anniversaries are given appropriate recognition and honor  
14 by way of declaring their respective date of death or date  
15 of birth as a special working public holiday, it is hereby  
16 declared that February 1st of every year as "Jose Maria C.  
17 Panganiban Day" and a special working public holiday in  
18 the Province of Camarines Norte. UPON  
19 PROCLAMATION OF THE PRESIDENT, FEBRUARY  
20 1 OF EVERY YEAR SHALL BE A SPECIAL  
21 NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF  
22 CAMARINES NORTE AS "JOSE MARIA C.  
23 PANGANIBAN DAY."

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

Approved,