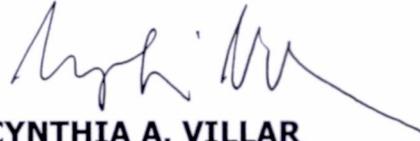


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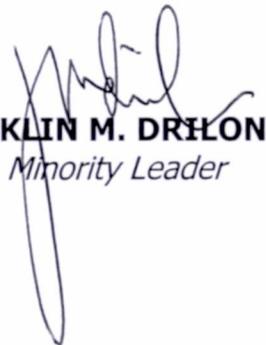
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BY REPRESENTATIVES VARGAS-ALFONSO AND NOGRALES (K.A.),
PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 695

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FISHERIES RESEARCH CENTER
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ABULUG, PROVINCE OF
CAGAYAN AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision
2 of the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources of the Department
3 of Agriculture, a fisheries and aquatic resources center in the
4 Municipality of Abulug, Province of Cagayan.

5 SEC. 2. The Secretary of Agriculture shall include
6 in the Department's programs the establishment of the fisheries
7 and aquatic resources center, the funding of which shall be included
8 in the annual General Appropriations Act. The local government of
9 Abulug shall set aside funds from any available local revenue in an
10 amount deemed appropriate for the operationalization of the center.

11 SEC. 3. Within sixty (60) days from the passage of this Act,
12 the Secretary of Agriculture, through the Bureau of Fisheries

1 and Aquatic Resources, shall issue rules and regulations necessary
2 to carry out the purposes of this Act.

3 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after
4 its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in any newspaper
5 of general circulation.

Approved,

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