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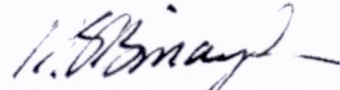
The barangay is the most important political unit of our country. It is where the interaction between the State and its people is direct and immediate. The barangay serves as the primary and planning and implementing unit of government policies, plans, programs, projects, and activities in the community, and as a forum wherein the collective views of the people may be expressed, crystallized and considered, and where disputes may be amicably settled. As such, barangay officials not only play an indispensable role in the delivery of basic services, but more importantly, they are crucial partners to nation-building.

Barangay officials are tasked to perform functions and duties similar to those of city or municipal officials, such as enactment and enforcement of laws and ordinances, maintenance of peace and order, delivery of basic services and promotion of general welfare. However, compared to other local government officials, barangay officials receive monthly honoraria instead of fixed monthly salaries and are not entitled to the same employment benefits and privileges.

Thus, in recognition of the vital and immeasurable contribution of barangay officials to our nation, the proposed bill seeks to make barangay officials regular

government employees with fixed salaries, allowances, insurance, medical and dental coverage, retirement benefits and other fringe benefits to which regular government employees are entitled to.

In view of the foregoing, the immediate passage of this bill is earnestly sought.



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

1 Section 1. *Short Title.* – This Act shall be known as the "Regularization of  
2 Barangay Officials act of 2019."

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4 Sec. 2. *Barangay Officials as Regular Government Employees.* – The  
5 punong barangay, sangguniang barangay members, the sangguniang kabataan  
6 chairman, the barangay secretary, and barangay treasurer in all barangays are  
7 hereby declared regular government employees, and as such entitled to fixed  
8 salaries, allowances, insurance, medical and dental coverage, retirement benefits  
9 and such other fringe benefits which, under Civil Service laws, rules and  
10 regulations, a regular government employee may be entitled to.

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12 Sec. 3. *Salaries of Barangay Officials.* – As soon as the appropriate steps  
13 and measures are undertaken by each city or municipality in coordination with  
14 the individual barangay involved on matters relating to the sources of fund and  
15 the corresponding appropriation ordinance, which in no case shall be later than  
16 six (6) months from the approval hereof, all barangay officials mentioned in  
17 paragraph 2 hereof, shall be entitled to the following fixed salaries:

- 1 (1) Punong Barangay – An amount equivalent to the salary of a  
2 sangguniang panlungsod or sangguniang bayan member of  
3 his city or municipality;
- 4 (2) Seven (7) Sangguniang Barangay Members – An amount  
5 equivalent to eighty percent (80%) of the salary of a  
6 sangguniang panlungsod or sangguniang bayan member of  
7 his city or municipality; and
- 8 (3) Sangguniang Kabataang Chairman, Barangay Secretary,  
9 Barangay Treasurer – An amount equivalent to seventy-five  
10 percent (75%) of the salary of a sangguniang panlungsod or  
11 sangguniang bayan member of his city or municipality.  
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13 Sec. 4. *Budgetary Estimates.* – The Secretary of Department of Interior  
14 and Local Government (DILG) shall submit to Congress the necessary budgetary  
15 estimates to implement the provisions of this Act concerning the allowances,  
16 insurance, medical, dental, and retirement benefits, and other fringe benefits of  
17 barangay officials.  
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19 Sec. 5. *Implementing Rules and Regulations.* – The DILG, in consultation  
20 with the Civil Service Commission and other government agencies charged with  
21 the carrying out of the provisions of this Act shall within sixty (60) days after the  
22 effectivity of this Act, formulate the necessary rules and regulations for its  
23 effective implementation.  
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25 Sec. 6. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, decrees, executive orders,  
26 proclamations, rules and regulations and other issuances or parts thereof,  
27 inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed or modified  
28 accordingly.  
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1            *Sec. 7. Separability Clause.* – If, for any reason, any section or provision  
2 of this Act is held unconstitutional or invalid, the other sections or provisions  
3 hereof shall not be affected thereby.

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5            *Sec. 8. Effectivity Clause.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days  
6 after its complete publication in at least two (2) newspapers of general  
7 circulation.

Approved,