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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 14

Submitted Jointly by the Committees on Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation; Basic Education, Arts and Culture; Ways and Means and Finance on

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Re: Senate Bill No. 1092

Recommending its approval in substitution of Senate Bill Nos. 42, 75 and 957.

Sponsor: Senator Ramon Bong Revilla, Jr.

**MR. PRESIDENT:**

The Committees on Civil Service, Government Reorganization and Professional Regulation; Basic Education, Arts and Culture; Ways and Means and Finance to which were referred Senate Bill No. 42, introduced by, Senator Ralph G. Recto, entitled:

**"AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE GRANT OF A TEACHING SUPPLIES ALLOWANCE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"**

Senate Bill No. 75, introduced by, Senator Ramon Bong Revilla, Jr. entitled:

**"AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE GRANT OF A TEACHING SUPPLIES ALLOWANCE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"**

and Senate Bill No. 957, introduced by Senator Sonny Angara, entitled:

**"AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A TEACHING SUPPLIES ALLOWANCE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"**

have considered the same and have the honor to report them back to the Senate with the recommendation that the attached bill, Senate Bill No. 1092, prepared by the Committees, entitled:

**"AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE GRANT OF A TEACHING SUPPLIES ALLOWANCE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"**

be approved in substitution of Senate Bill Nos. 42, 75 and 957 with Senators Ralph G. Recto, Ramon Bong Revilla, Jr., Sonny Angara, Win Gatchalian, and Pia S. Cayetano as authors thereof.

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:**



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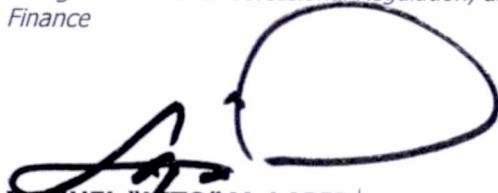
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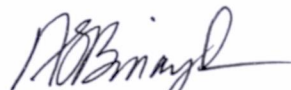
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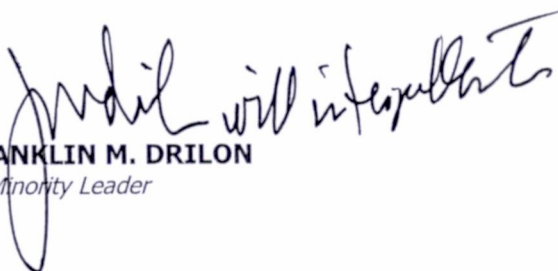
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**AN ACT**

**INSTITUTIONALIZING THE GRANT OF A TEACHING SUPPLIES ALLOWANCE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

1 Section 1. *Short Title.* - This Act shall be known as the "Teaching Supplies  
2 Allowance Act of 2019".

3 Sec. 2. *Declaration of Policy.* - It is hereby declared to be the policy of the  
4 State to promote and improve the economic status of teachers and assist them in  
5 providing quality education to their students.

6 Sec. 3. *Teaching Supplies Allowance.* - A Teaching Supplies Allowance for  
7 the purchase of chinks, erasers, forms, and other classroom supplies and materials  
8 in the amount of Five thousand pesos (PhP5,000.00) per teacher per school year is  
9 hereby authorized.

10 Sec. 4. *Coverage.* - The grant of the cash allowance authorized in this Act  
11 shall be limited to teachers who are engaged in actual classroom teaching in public  
12 basic education.

1           Sec. 5. *Funding.* – In the first year of the effectivity of this Act, the amount of  
2 Two thousand five hundred pesos (PhP2,500.00) per teacher per school year, shall  
3 be charged against the current appropriations of the Department of Education  
4 (DepEd) for the Teaching Supplies Allowance, while the additional amount of Two  
5 thousand five hundred pesos (PhP2,500.00) per teacher per school year, shall be  
6 charged against any available funds and/or savings of the DepEd. Thereafter, the  
7 amount of Five thousand pesos (PhP5,000.00) per teacher per school year, shall be  
8 included in the DepEd budget for the Teaching Supplies Allowance under the  
9 General Appropriations Act.

10           Sec. 6. *Periodic Review for Increases.* – The Secretary of Education is hereby  
11 mandated to conduct a periodic review of the Teaching Supplies Allowance, taking  
12 into account the current prices of classroom supplies, and, if warranted, recommend  
13 the necessary increase in the amount of the allowance.

14           Sec. 7. *Separability Clause.* – If any part, section or provision of this Act is  
15 held invalid or unconstitutional, other provisions not affected thereby shall remain in  
16 full force and effect.

17           Sec. 8. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, decrees, orders, rules and regulations or  
18 parts thereof inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

19           Sec. 9. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its  
20 publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

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22           Approved,