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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 25

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Submitted jointly by the Committees on Local Government; Public Services; Public Works; Ways and Means; and Finance on NOV 27 2019.

Re: **Senate Bill No. 1211**

Recommending its approval in substitution of Senate Bill No. 1012, taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 1065.

Sponsor: **Senator Tolentino**

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committees on Local Government; Public Services; Public Works; Ways and Means; and Finance, to which were referred **Senate Bill No. 1012**, introduced by **Senator Francis "Tol" N. Tolentino**, entitled:

"AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991, BY EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS' POWERS OVER LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 1065, introduced by **Senator Ralph G. Recto** entitled:

"AN ACT ACCELERATING PUBLIC SECTOR INVESTMENTS IN LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE THE LOCAL BUILD, BUILD, BUILD PROGRAM, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

have considered the same and have the honor to report them back to the Senate with the recommendation that the attached Senate Bill No. 1211 prepared by the Committees entitled:

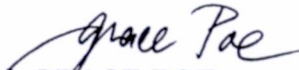
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be approved in substitution of Senate Bill No. 1012 taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 1065 with Senators Tolentino and Recto as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted:



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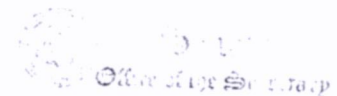


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AN ACT
AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991," BY EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS' POWERS OVER LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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 "LGU Transportation
2 Act."

3 Sec. 2. Section 17 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local
4 Government Code of 1991", is hereby amended as follows:

5 "SEC. 17. **Basic Services and Facilities.** –

6 "(a) XXX

7 "(j) XXX

8 **"(K) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS SHALL ENDEAVOR TO**
9 **PROVIDE SAFE, AFFORDABLE, ACCESSIBLE AND SUSTAINABLE MASS**
10 **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS, SUCH AS MODERN RAIL-BASED**
11 **SYSTEMS, PERSONAL RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEMS, MONORAILS, RAILWAYS,**
12 **SUBWAYS, CABLE CARS, TRAMS, BUS RAPID TRANSITS, AND OTHER**

1 MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION CONSISTENT WITH THE CONCEPT OF
2 LIVABLE AND SUSTAINABLE SMART CITIES, THROUGH LOANS, GRANTS,
3 CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, PARTNERSHIPS, AND JOINT VENTURES WITH
4 BOTH PRIVATE AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OR ENTITIES, WHETHER
5 DOMESTIC OR INTERNATIONAL, WITHOUT SOVEREIGN GUARANTY, FOR
6 THE CONCEPTUALIZATION, ESTABLISHMENT, OPERATION, AND
7 MAINTENANCE OF MODERN AND STATE-OF-THE-ART MASS
8 TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS. PROVIDED THAT, INTERCONNECTIVITY
9 AND INTEGRATION WITH EXISTING AND PROPOSED NATIONAL
10 INTERMODAL TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS AS WELL AS THOSE OF
11 OTHER LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS SHALL BE CONSIDERED AND
12 CONSULTATIONS WITH RELEVANT NATIONAL GOVERNMENT
13 TRANSPORTATION AND PLANNING AGENCIES SHALL BE CONDUCTED.

14 "LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS MAY, THROUGH APPROPRIATE
15 ORDINANCES, CONSOLIDATE OR COORDINATE THEIR EFFORTS,
16 SERVICES, AND RESOURCES IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECTS
17 UNDER THE PROGRAM TO ENSURE THE ENHANCEMENT OF OPERATIONAL
18 EFFICIENCY, EFFECTIVE UTILIZATION OF PUBLIC RESOURCES,
19 REALIZATION OF PROJECT OUTCOMES, AND STRENGTHENING OF
20 MECHANISMS FOR INTER-LOCAL COOPERATION. IN SUPPORT OF SUCH
21 UNDERTAKING, THE LGUS CONCERNED MAY CONTRIBUTE FUNDS, REAL
22 ESTATE, EQUIPMENT, AND OTHER KINDS OF PROPERTY AND APPOINT OR
23 ASSIGN PERSONNEL UNDER SUCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS MAY BE
24 AGREED UPON BY THE PARTICIPATING LGUS THROUGH A MEMORANDUM
25 OF AGREEMENT.

26 "Costs may also be charged for the delivery of basic services or facilities
27 enumerated in this Section."
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29 *Sec. 3. Implementing Rules and Regulations* – Within sixty (60) days from the
30 effectivity of this Act, the Department of the Interior and Local Government, in
31 consultation with the Department of Budget and Management, the Department of

1 Transportation, the Department of Public Works and Highways, Department of
2 Finance, the National Economic and Development Authority, League of Provinces,
3 League of Cities, League of Municipalities, Liga ng mga Barangay and other
4 government agencies concerned, shall jointly promulgate the implementing rules and
5 regulations to effectively implement the provisions of this Act.

6 *Sec. 4. Separability Clause.* – If any provision of this Act shall be held
7 unconstitutional or invalid, the other provisions not otherwise affected shall remain in
8 full force and effect.

9 *Sec. 5. Repealing Clause.* – All laws, decrees, executive orders, proclamations
10 and other executive issuances which are inconsistent with or contrary to the
11 provisions of this Act are hereby amended or repealed accordingly.

12 *Sec. 6. Effectivity Clause.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days
13 following its complete publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) national
14 newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,