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CREATING A DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE IN THE SEVENTH LEGISLATIVE
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THEREFOR**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

One of the basic and most important functions of the government is to provide quick, accessible and efficient services to all Filipinos. As such, it is imperative that that government offices be readily accessible in areas that need them the most.

Currently, there are seven District Engineering Offices in Cebu, serving 38 municipalities, 6 component cities and 3 independent cities. This bill seeks to create an additional District Engineering Office in the Seventh Legislative District of the province. The proposed new District Engineering Office shall serve the municipalities of Dumanjug, Ronda, Alcantara, Moalboal, Badian, Alegria, Malabuyoc, and Ginatilan, all in the province of Cebu.

The creation of the Seventh District Engineering Office will be important for a faster and more efficient provision of services relating to infrastructure and public works of the enumerated municipalities, giving them a boost in their continuous effort towards development.

In view of the foregoing, the 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.** A district engineering office is hereby created in the Seventh Legislative
2 District in the Province of Cebu, to be located in the municipality of Dumanjug and referred
3 to as the Seventh District Engineering Office.

4 **SEC. 2.** The Seventh District Engineering Office shall serve the municipalities of
5 Dumanjug, Ronda, Alcantara, Moalboal, Badian, Alegria, Malabuyoc, and Ginatilan, all
6 located in the Province of Cebu.

7 **SEC. 3.** The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the
8 Department's program the operationalization of the Seventh District Engineering Office in
9 the Province of Cebu, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General
10 Appropriations Act.

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

13 *Approved,*