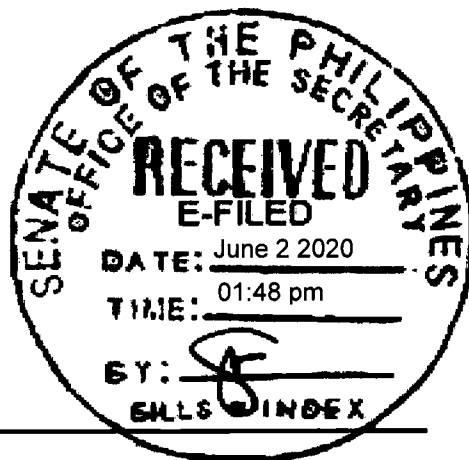


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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Article II, Section 15 of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall protect the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them. It is the policy of the state to ensure that all communities have access to quality and accessible healthcare.

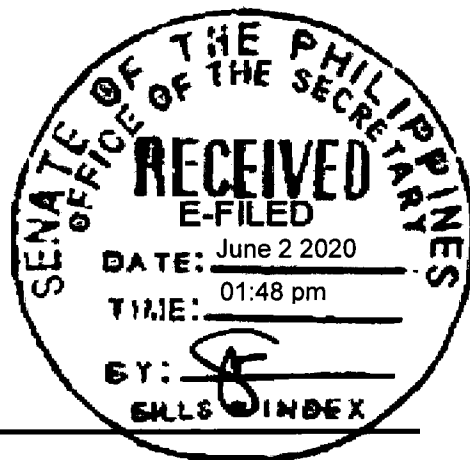
The Luis Hora Memorial Regional Hospital (HMRH) is located in the Municipality of Kayan, Mountain province. The HMRC is well-equipped with qualified medical professionals, however, it has been a challenge for them to meet the proper medical needs of their patients because of the lack of medical facilities and bed space.

To address this problem, this bill proposes to establish a hundred-bed capacity extension of the Luis Hora Memorial Regional Hospital in the Province of Ifugao.

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

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

1 Section 1. *Extension of Regional Hospital.* – There shall be established, under  
2 the control and supervision of the Department of Health, a hundred-bed extension of  
3 the Luis Hora Memorial Regional Hospital, which extensions shall be in the Province  
4 of Ifugao, to be known as the Luis Hora Memorial Regional Hospital – Ifugao Extension  
5 Hospital.

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7 Section 2. *Location.* – The Luis Hora Memorial Regional Hospital – Ifugao  
8 Extension Hospital, shall be constructed and located between the boundary or  
9 adjacent to the boundary of the Municipality of Mayoyao and Municipality of Aguinaldo,  
10 Province of Ifugao.

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12 Section 3. *Personnel.* – After the construction of the Luis Hora Memorial  
13 Regional Hospital – Ifugao Extension Hospital, the Department of Health through the  
14 Secretary of Health shall make sure that personnel of the extension hospital will be  
15 provided and appointed thereof and that funds for its maintenance and operations are  
16 provided for.

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18 Section 4. *Appropriations.* – The amount necessary to carry out the provisions  
19 of this Act shall be charged against the existing budget of the Department of Health  
20 under the 2020 General Appropriations Act. Thereafter, such sums as maybe  
21 necessary for the operation and maintenance of the Ifugao Extension Hospital shall  
22 be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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24 Section 5. *Effectivity Clause.* – This Act shall effect fifteen (15) days after its  
25 publication in the *Official Gazette* or two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

*Approved,*