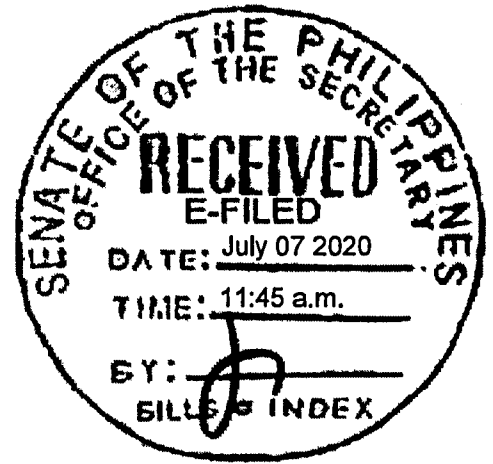


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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The 1987 Constitution, under Article X, Section 13 states that, "*Local government units may group themselves, consolidate or coordinate their efforts, services, and resources for purposes commonly beneficial to them in accordance with law.*" Well-maintained roads are important for better transport of goods and services, particularly in the rural areas of the country.

The Junction Nueva Estrella – Honrado – Atoyay – Salug road is a vital link to the economic and social activities of the Municipality of Socorro. It provides access to major tourist and economic destinations in the entire island of Socorro. It is therefore important to convert the said road to a national road in order to promote tourism and the economic growth in the island.

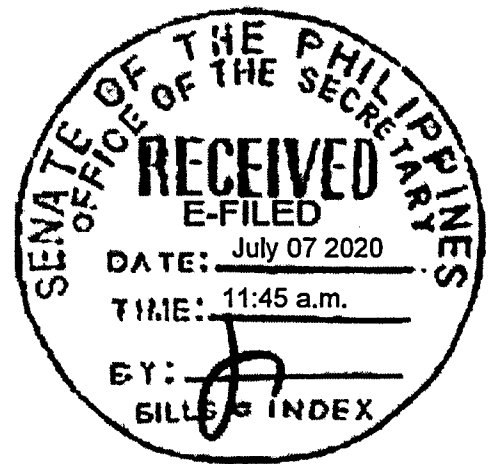
In this regard, this measure seeks to convert the road stretching from Junction Nueva Estrella to Barangay Salug Road in the Municipality of Socorro, Province of Surigao del Norte into a national road. Furthermore, this measure will improve and appropriate maintenance of the said road to help boost tourism and economic development in one of the most beautiful islands in the country.

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

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**IMEE R. MARCOS**

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THEREFOR**

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

1 SECTION 1. The road stretching from Junction Nueva Estrella, Barangay Nueva  
2 Estrella to Barangay Salug in the Municipality of Socorro, Province of Surigao del Norte  
3 is hereby converted into a national road.

4 SEC. 2. The technical description of the road is as follows:

5 From the Surigao Reference Network (SRN) No. 55 of the road with distance of  
6 3,330.00 meters, bearing N 16-36 W, with the following lines, bearings and distances  
7 to wit:

LINES	BEARINGS	DISTANCES
1-2	N 88 – 41 W	64.25 m.
2-3	N 22 – 17 E	2, 946.50 m.
3-4	N 10 – 22 E	2, 150.00 m.
4-5	N 45 – 33 E	4, 584.50 m.
5-6	S 51 – 33 E	60.46 m.
6-7	S 45 – 33 W	4, 572. 95 m.
7-8	S 10 – 22 W	2, 137. 24 m.
8-1	S 22 – 17 W	2, 929.77 m.

1           SEC. 3. The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways shall  
2 include in the Department's program the improvement, repair and maintenance of the  
3 said road, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations  
4 Act.

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

*Approved,*