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SENATE

# COMMITTEE REPORT NO. <u>331</u>

Submitted by the Committee on Justice and Human Rights on <u>November 8,2021</u>

Re: House Bill No. 9376

Recommending the approval of House Bill No. 9376 without amendment, taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 2221.

Sponsor: Senator Richard J. Gordon

#### MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Justice and Human Rights, to which was referred **House Bill No. 9376**, introduced by Representatives Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez, Yedda Marie K. Romualdez, Juan Miguel Macapagal Arroyo, Ma. Lourdes T. Arroyo, Antonio "Tonypet" T. Albano, Gerardo "Gerryboy" J. Espina, Jr., et al., entitled:

#### "AN ACT

# GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO ELIZABETH EDER ZOBEL DE AYALA"

taking into consideration **Senate Bill No. 2221**, introduced by Senators Franklin M. Drilon, Juan Miguel F. Zubiri, Risa Hontiveros, Richard J. Gordon, Ralph G. Recto, Sonny Angara, and Joel Villanueva, entitled:

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has considered the same and has the honor to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that House Bill No. 9376, taking into consideration Senate Bill No. 2221, be approved without amendment.

Respectfully submitted:

Chairperson

**RICHARD J. GORDON** 

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### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

#### H. No. 9376

BY REPRESENTATIVES ROMUALDEZ (F.M.), ROMUALDEZ (Y.M.), MACAPAGAL ARROYO, ARROYO, ALBANO (A.), ESPINA, DELOS SANTOS, MARCOLETA, BAUTISTA-BANDIGAN, PALMA, DAGOOC, LAGON, REVILLA, RADAZA, MERCADO, VILLARAZA-SUAREZ, CO (A.N.), CRISOLOGO, EBCAS, DEFENSOR (M.), TY (A.), SANCHEZ, CASTRO (F.H.), ROMUALDO, CO (E.), BABASA, BAUTISTA, VARGAS ALFONSO, GUYA, ECLEO, PADIERNOS, ROMAN, ZAMORA (W.K.), CABATBAT AND VELOSO

### AN ACT GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO ELIZABETH EDER ZOBEL DE AYALA

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

SECTION 1. Mrs. Elizabeth Eder Zobel de Ayala is hereby granted Philippine 1 citizenship with all the rights, privileges, and prerogatives, as well as the duties and 2 obligations appurtenant thereto under the Constitution and the laws of the Republic з 4 of the Philippines.

SEC. 2. Mrs. Elizabeth Eder Zobel de Ayala shall take the Oath of Allegiance to 5 the Republic of the Philippines before an officer duly authorized to administer the 6 same. The Oath of Allegiance shall be registered with the Bureau of Immigration. 7

SEC. 3. Upon registration of the Oath of Allegiance, the Bureau of Immigration 8 shall issue a Certificate of Naturalization to Mrs. Elizabeth Eder Zobel de Ayala who 9 shall thereupon enter into the full enjoyment of Philippine citizenship. 10

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