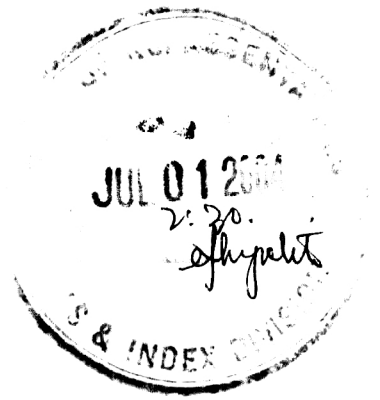


Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

THIRTEENTH CONGRESS
First Regular Session

House Bill No.: 978



Introduced by **Representative Juan Miguel F. Zubiri**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The job of barangay officials require them to be on call twenty-four hours a day to respond to the needs of their constituents. They usually find it difficult to find regular jobs and oftentimes they even fail to make a decent living.

Considering the rising costs of living today, the monthly honorarium awarded to our barangay officials obviously falls below their subsistence requirements. This legislation therefore proposes to provide an additional two thousand pesos (P 2,000.00) to the one thousand monthly stipend of barangay chairmen and six hundred pesos (P 600.00) to the six hundred monthly honorarium received by barangay council members.

Protecting the welfare of our public servants should be a concern of this government. Their dedication and committed service to our constituencies at the grassroots require no less than the recognition of the vital role they play in maintaining public order and social stability.



JUAN MIGUEL F. ZUBIRI
3rd District, Bukidnon

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

THIRTEENTH CONGRESS
First Regular Session

House Bill No. 978

Introduced by **Representative Juan Miguel F. Zubiri**

AN ACT
GRANTING MONTHLY HONORARIUM TO BARANGAY OFFICIALS
AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

Section 1. There is hereby granted an additional monthly honorarium of two thousand pesos (P2,000.00) for the barangay chairman and six hundred pesos (P 600.00) for each barangay council member.

Section 2. The amount necessary to carry out the provision of section 1 hereof shall be included in the next General Appropriations Act following the enactment of this law. Thereafter the sums as may be necessary for the purpose shall be included in the General Appropriations Act.

Section 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen days from the date of its publication in at least two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved.