

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1066

Introduced by Cong. LORNA C. SILVERIO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

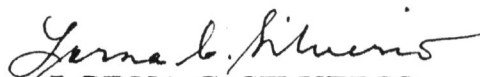
Education is the most valuable wealth parents could impart to their children. As the saying goes, this is a treasure that cannot be taken away from them.

This is the reason why the education of our youth is the priority of the government. Sec. 1 of Art. XIV of the 1987 Constitution provides that "the state shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible".

The bill which seeks the establishment of a public high school in Barangay Salacot, Municipality of San Miguel in the Province of Bulacan, to be known as the Vedasto R. Santiago Memorial High School will not only fulfill this constitutional mandate but will also benefit the people of San Miguel and other neighboring towns.

It may be recalled that the proposed bill was approved on third and final reading in the Twelfth Congress, however, due to lack of material time, the same was not approved by the Philippine Senate.

Approval of this bill is highly recommended.


LORNA C. SILVERIO

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1966

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AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
IN BARANGAY SALACOT, MUNICIPALITY OF SAN MIGUEL,
PROVINCE OF BULACAN TO BE KNOWN AS THE
VEDASTO R. SANTIAGO MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL
AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. *Establishment of a National High School.* – There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Department of Education, a national high school in the Municipality of San Miguel, Province of Bulacan to be known as the Vedasto R. Santiago Memorial High School.

SECTION 2. *Appropriations.* – The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Vedasto R. Santiago Memorial High School, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. *Implementation.* - The Secretary of Education shall issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

SECTION 4. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved,