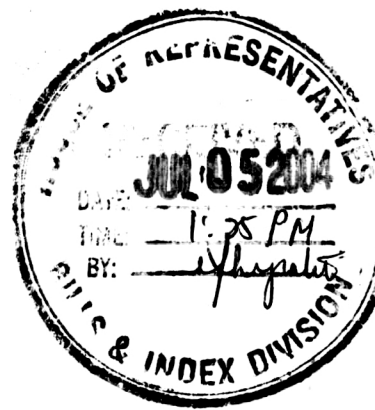


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HOUSE BILL NO. 1076

Introduced by Honorable RUY ELIAS C. LOPEZ

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks the establishment of the Alambre National High School in Barangay Alambre, Toril District, Davao City.

It is the government's principal thrust to support and promote the right of Filipinos to quality education as embodied in the 1987 Philippine Constitution, to wit:

"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 to all." (Section 1, Article XIV, The Constitution of the Republic of the Philippines, 1987)

Barangay Alambre is located in the mountainous territory of Toril District, Davao City. To be able to attend high school, students not only from Barangay Alambre but also those from the neighboring barangays of Tagluno, Tungkalan, Camansi and Daliaon Plantation have to travel all the way to Barangay Toril Poblacion, several kilometers away. The establishment of a public center of secondary education in Barangay Alambre will greatly alleviate the economic burden farmers have to endure to be able to send their children to high school by eliminating the need to provide for their board and lodging expenses. Furthermore, parents could better supervise their children's education with the proximity of the proposed high school in their community. Students would also be farther from distractions and temptations ordinarily encountered by students who go to school in urban areas. Going to high school right in their own barangay and near their families would, likewise, influence and convince the youth to help their parents in the promotion and advancement of agriculture in the area.

With the foregoing, approval of this bill is earnestly requested.


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AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
IN BARANGAY ALAMBRE, TORIL DISTRICT, DAVAO CITY TO BE KNOWN AS
THE ALAMBRE NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR

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

Section 1. There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Department of Education, a national high school in Barangay Alambre, Toril District, Davao City to be known as the Alambre National High School.

Section 2. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Alambre National High School, the funding of which shall be include in the annual General Appropriations Act.

Section 3. The Secretary of Education, Culture, and Sports shall issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

Section 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved,