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House Bill No. 1159

Introduced By Honorable ELADIO M. JALA

EXPLANATORY NOTE

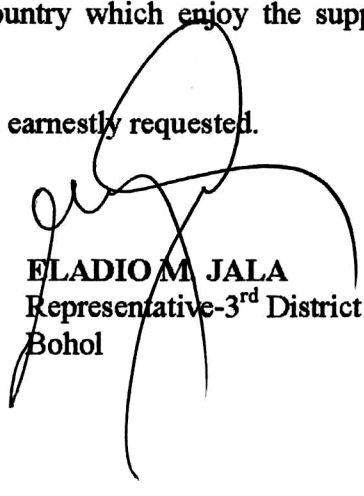
This bill seeks to convert the Pilar High School in Pilar, Bohol into a national high school to be known as the Pilar National High School.

The Pilar High School has been rendering educational service among the people of Pilar for several years now. The student population is expected to rise in the coming years due to the increasing number of graduates from the various elementary schools of the different barangays of Pilar, Bohol.

The expected increase of student enrollees of the Pilar High School, however, will pose problems to the officials concerned considering the municipality's financial capability and the limited financial assistance they can obtain, if any, from the municipal government of Pilar, Bohol to support its growing population.

The proposed conversion of the Pilar High School into a national high school, therefore, could be one of the most viable solutions. The conversion of the existing school will expand and improve the facilities therein since it can now enjoy the financial support from the national government through the Department of Education, Culture and Sports (DECS). Additionally, the conversion would open the door for the students to have access to a standard education at par with those enrolled in other national high schools in the province and elsewhere in the country which enjoy the support of the national government.

Immediate approval of this bill is therefore earnestly requested.


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AN ACT
CONVERTING THE PILAR HIGH SCHOOL, MUNICIPALITY OF PILAR, PROVINCE
OF BOHOL INTO A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS THE PILAR
NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES

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

SECTION 1. The Pilar High School of the Municipality of Pilar, Province of Bohol is hereby converted into a national high school to be known as the Pilar National High School under the direct supervision of the Department of Education, Culture and Sports.

SECTION. 2. The Secretary of the Department of Education, Culture and Sports shall issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

SECTION 3. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act shall be included in the General Appropriations Act of the year following its enactment into law and thereafter.

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

Approved,