

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City, Metro Manila

Thirteenth Congress

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1515

Introduced by Honorable Alfonso V. Umali, Jr.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks the conversion of the municipality of the Malamig National High School Extension Classes (MNHS-EC) in Brgy. Maligaya (Poblacion), Municipality of Gloria, Province of Oriental Mindoro into an independent national high school, separating the same from its mother school, the Malamig National High School in Brgy. malamig of the same Municipality. The new school shall be known as President Diosdado macapagal Memorial National High School in honor of the late President whose proclamation created the Municipality of Gloria.

This legislative proposal aims to ensure accessibility and affordability of quality of education for the youth populace of the Municipality of Gloria and nearby municipalities considering that the two existing national high schools in the4 municipality are not enough to accommodate the increasing number of students who wish to avail of free high school education. More, this measure aims to hasten and enhance the growth and development of both schools, as they would have separate and distinct budgetary allocations that would enable both schools to attend to their respective urgent needs.

Knowing fully well that the Constitution mandates the provision of quality education to all qualified citizens- to the poor and the underprivileged in particular- the establishment of Malamig National High School Extension Classes in Brgy. maligaya into an independent national high school is a rational solution for many poor families in the area who want their children to have education in the high school level, but are constrained due to the high cost of education in private centers.

Approval of this bill is earnestly sought.


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AN ACT
CONVERTING THE MALAMIG NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL EXTENSION CLASSES IN BRGY. MALIGAYA, MUNICIPALITY OF GLORIA, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS PRESIDENT DIOSDADO MACAPAGAL MEMORIAL NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.

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

SECTION 1. Conversion into a National High School. The Malamig National High School Extension Classes in Barangay Maligaya, Municipality of Gloria, Province of Oriental Mindoro, is hereby converted into an independent national high school to be known as President Diosdado Macapagal National High School.

SEC. 2. Transfer of Assets and Liabilities. All personnel, assets, liabilities and records of the Malamig National High School Extension Classes are hereby transferred to be absorbed by the President Diosdado Macapagal National High School.

SEC. 3. Appropriations. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the President Diosdado Macapagal National Memorial National High School, the funding of which shall issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

SEC. 5. Effectivity. This aaAct shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved,