

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City



THIRTEENTH CONGRESS
First Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568

Introduced by: HONORABLE MARCELINO C. LIBANAN

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to rename the Oras National High School, in the Municipality of Oras, Province of Eastern Samar, into *Federico O. Mengote National Memorial High School*.

The main object of this proposed legislation is to recognize and honor the late great leader of the Province of Eastern Samar, former Governor Federico O. Mengote. This honor and recognition is aptly deserved because the former Governor has validated the time-honored belief that abjection cannot impede one's way to victory. The institution, Oras National High School, which until now caters to the educational needs of students who are hard up yet determined to step ahead in the battle against analphabetism and ignorance should draw inspiration from the man who rose from the same station in life and who have relentlessly pursued the mastery of the calling he has chosen. To encourage the people to liberate themselves from the bondage of ignorance, Governor Mengote donated the piece of land where the Oras National High School is now located. The former governor should inspire the youth of Eastern Samar, particularly the youth of the Municipality of Oras, because of the countless good deeds and contributions he has brought about not only to the said municipality but also to the entire province.

Renaming government institutions after our leaders serve this very important purpose. These people who have played vital roles in charting the course of our history deserves recognition. Fittingly therefore, the legacy of our leaders who have contributed much to social change and development should be etched in the memories of the youth and should serve as an insight, emulating and reliving in them the wisdom and nobility of their great leaders.

In view of the foregoing, approval of this measure is earnestly sought.

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AN ACT
CHANGING THE NAME OF ORAS NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF ORAS, PROVINCE OF EASTERN SAMAR, INTO
FEDERICO O. MENGOTE NATIONAL MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

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

SECTION 1. The name of the Oras National High School, in the Municipality of Oras, Province of Eastern Samar, is hereby changed to Federico O. Mengote National Memorial High School.

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED,