

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

**First Regular Session
Thirteenth Congress**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1654

Introduced by HON. VICTOR S. DOMINGUEZ

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to establish a science high school in the municipality of Tadian, Mountain Province to be known as the Mountain Province Science High School.

Article II, Section 17 of the Philippine Constitution provides that it is the policy of the State to give priority to education, science and technology.

The establishment of a science high school will address the need of producing globally competitive, self-reliant and productive citizens who will contribute to the socio-economic well being of their communities.

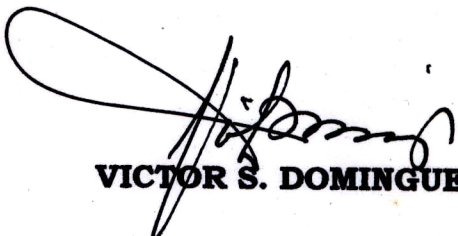
The science high school that implements a special curriculum will provide the appropriate background in science and technology for students to apply knowledge, skills and attitudes learned in school and in the community business and industries thereby preparing students for the world of work.

To promote the thrust in science and technology education, the then Department of Education, Culture and Sports issued DECS Order No. 69, s. 1993, encouraging the establishment of science high schools in coordination with the Department of Science and Technology.

At present, there is no science high school in the Mountain Province to cater to the scientific, technological and socio economic demands of the community.

With a law creating the Mountain Province Science High School, it will be able to promote quality and accessible education geared to modern-day science and technology for national development and progress.

With the laudable purpose of this Act, early approval of this bill is respectfully sought.


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AN ACT

**ESTABLISHING THE MOUNTAIN PROVINCE SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TADIAN, MOUNTAIN PROVINCE AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.**

Section 1. There shall be established a Science High School in the Municipality of Tadian, Mountain Province to be known as the Mountain Province Science High School.

Section 2. The Department of Education in collaboration and coordination with the Department of Science and Technology shall issue such rules and regulation as maybe 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.