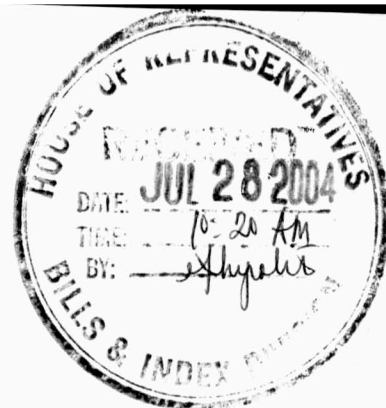


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Introduced by the **Honorable ROILO GOLEZ**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

At present, the Technological University of the Philippines (TUP) has successfully provided the country with graduates that have been sufficiently educated and trained in advanced vocational, technical, industrial, technological and professional education and practical arts. It is unfortunate that the University cannot accommodate as many students as it can because of limited resources and space.

Parañaque is one of the most industrialized areas in the country. More than 12,000 business establishments are presently registered in the City from the production and manufacturing of cars, computer components, refrigerators, electric fans, foods products, packaging products, garments and other electronic products. The establishments of TUP campus in the City of Parañaque will be an ideal step for apprenticeship programs to boost the skills of the youth for possible employment in the said industries. Moreover, the City of Paranaque is the prime gateway to CALABARZON area.

Hence, approval of this bill is earnestly sought.

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AN ACT
AMENDING SECTION 1 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1519
PROVIDING FOR THE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY OF THE
PHILIPPINES IN PARANAQUE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Presidential Decree No. 1515 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The present Philippine College of Arts and Trades is hereby converted into the "Technological University of the Philippines." Hereinafter referred to in this Decree as the University. The present campus in the city of Manila shall be known as the University College AND SERVE AS THE MAIN CAMPUS. THE UNIVERSITY SHALL ALSO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A CAMPUS IN THE CITY OF PARAÑAQUE."

Sec. 2. The amount necessary for the initial implementation of this Act shall be taken from the funds available in the current budget of the University. Thereafter, such sums as may be needed for the operation and maintenance of the Parañaque Campus shall be included in the Annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete publication in the Official Gazette or in at least one newspaper of general circulation and one newspaper of local circulation respectively.

Approved,