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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

THIRTEENTH CONGRESS
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1993



Introduced by **Hon. EDUARDO R. GULLAS**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to provide the creation of one (1) Municipal Trial Court in Cities, branch 1 for the City of Talisay, Province of Cebu, amending for the purpose Section 29, Chapter III of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, as amended, otherwise known as the Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1981.

The City of Talisay, Province of Cebu, is a new component city created under R.A. No. 8979. Due to clogged dockets of the Municipal Trial Court branches in Cebu City, it is proposed that a Municipal Trial Court in Cities (MTCC) be established in Talisay City.

The system of the administration of justice must be geared to achieve the goal of delivering fair, impartial and swift justice. This measure would do justice to the poor constituents in the 1st Congressional District of Cebu who will no longer travel to Cebu City to attend court hearings.

In view thereof, support and approval of this measure is earnestly sought.


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AN ACT
PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF ONE (1) BRANCH OF THE
MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES FOR THE CITY OF TALISAY IN TE
PROVINCE OF CEBU, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 29, Chapter
III OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN
AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1981 AND PROVIDING
FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. There shall be a creation of one (1) Branch of the Municipal Trial Court in Cities for the City of Talisay, Province of Cebu.

SECTION 2. The cost of the implementation of this Act shall be charged to the appropriations of the Supreme Court under the current General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED