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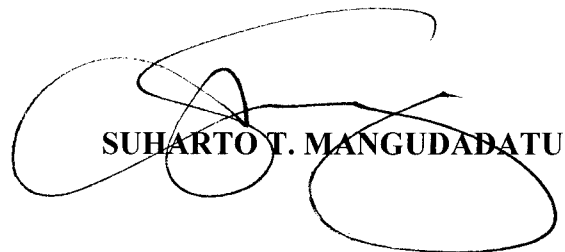
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Owing to the scarcity of funds in the provincial coffers, the maintenance of the provincial road connecting the Municipalities of Datu Paglas in Maguindanao, Columbio and Lutayan has not been regularly undertaken which made the road uneven and even impassable during rainy days. This road is a vital artery that connects various barangays in the province. Thus, there is a need to make this road passable and in good condition at all times in order to enable our constituents to bring their produce to the nearest market. Through this undertaking, the national government will be able to accelerate the promotion of economic growth as well as stable peace and order situation in the locality.

Inasmuch as the local government could no longer improve or maintain adequately the aforementioned subject road, there is therefore a need to convert the provincial road connecting the Municipalities of Datu Paglas in Maguindanao, Columbio and Lutayan in the Province of Sultan Kudarat into a national road in order to implement the badly needed repair.

In view thereof, passage of this bill is earnestly urged.


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AN ACT
CONVERTING THE PROVINCIAL ROAD CONNECTING THE
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LUTAYAN IN THE PROVINCE OF SULTAN KUDARAT INTO A NATIONAL
ROAD, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. The provincial road connecting the Municipalities of Datu Paglas, Maguindanao and Lutayan in the Province of Sultan Kudarat shall be converted into a national road under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways.

SECTION 2. The amount necessary to cover the improvement, maintenance and repair of said road shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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

Approved,