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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill provides for the construction of a slaughterhouse in the Poblacion of the Municipality of Calbiga, Province of Samar.

At present, the Municipality of Calbiga has no abattoir of its own. The cattles and hogs sold for public consumption are slaughtered in private homes and other unsanitary places. In view thereof, the meat products are usually unclean and, sometimes, show signs of decomposition. The residents are not assured of good quality meat products because it is difficult for the local authorities to monitor and regulate the slaughtering of these animals.

The construction of the slaughterhouse will assure the people that the meat they buy is sanitary and thus, not dangerous to their health. It will ensure the sanitary examination of the animals before they could be slaughtered and sold for public consumption.

Hence, approval of this bill is highly recommended.


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**AN ACT
PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SLAUGHTERHOUSE IN THE
POBLACION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALBIGA, PROVINCE OF SAMAR
AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.**

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

SECTION 1. There shall be constructed, under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways, a slaughterhouse in the Poblacion of the Municipality of Calbiga, Province of Samar.

SECTION 2. The amount necessary for the implementation of this Act shall be charged to the appropriations for the Department of Public Works and Highways under the current General Appropriations Act. Thereafter, such sum as may be necessary for the repairs and maintenance of the slaughterhouse shall be included in the annual budget of the Municipality of Calbiga.

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

Approved,