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EXPLANATORY NOTE

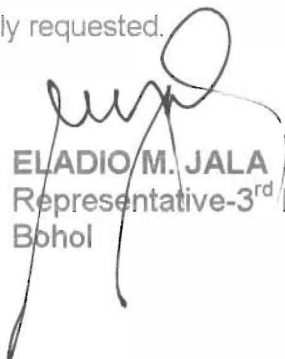
This bill seeks to reapportion the province of Bohol into four (4) legislative districts based on the standards provided in Section 5, Article VI of the Philippine Constitution.

The province of Bohol, based on the latest census, has now a population of 1,150,000. Thus, it is entitled to another legislative district in addition to the existing three (3) districts.

This reapportionment is in accordance with the number of inhabitants and on the basis of a uniform and progressive ratio. Each district comprises contiguous, compact and adjacent territory with a population of at least two hundred fifty thousand.

It is necessary to reapportion Bohol into four (4) legislative districts in order that its people will be effectively and properly represented in congress.

In view thereof, approval of this bill is earnestly requested.



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AN ACT
REAPPORTIONING THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL INTO FOUR (4) LEGISLATIVE
DISTRICTS

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

Section 1. The Province of Bohol is hereby reapportioned into four (4) legislative districts as follows:

First District: Tagbilaran City and the Municipalities of Alburquerque, Antequera, Bacayon, Balilihan, Calape, Catigbi-an, Corella, Cortes, Dausi, Loon, Maribojoc, Panglao, and Sikatuna.

Second District: Municipalities of Clarin, Inabanga, Sagbayan, Buenavista, Jetafe, Danao, Trinidad, Talibon, San Isidro, and Tubigon.

Third District: Municipalities of Loay, Loboc, Bilar, Batuan, Carmen, Sevilla, Lila, Dimiao, Valencia, Garcia-Hernandez, Jagna, Duero, and Sierra-Bullones.

Fourth District: Municipalities of Alicia, Anda, Bien Unido, Candijay, Dagohoy, Mabini, Pilar, President Garcia, San Miguel, Ubay, and Guindulman.

Section 2. All laws, executive orders, regulations, or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in at least two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines.

Approved,