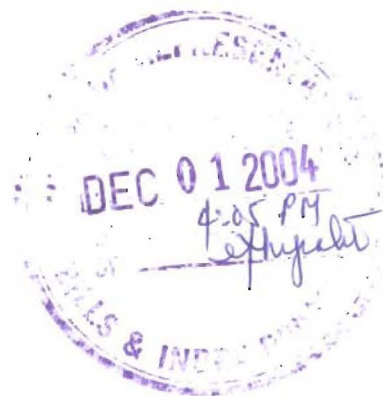


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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The creation of the Northern Negros Science High School in the City of San Carlos will open the door towards the discovery of potentials of younger Negrenses of the northern side in the course of sciences. This is a new avenue that will propel the education as well as the economic activities within the area.

As it is envisioned, the Northern Negros Science High School will serve as a government institution where opportunities for better education are provided.

This school is also aimed to build the capacity of the local inhabitants within the first district of Negros Occidental to become instruments in the transformation of a local education into a modern, more scientific and highly competitive.

The introduction of this science high school is hoped to contribute to good governance, enhance delivery of social services, maximize the use of existing government infrastructures and technologies, and promote common welfare including subsidized secondary education for deserving students and poverty alleviation.

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

Section 1. This Act shall be known as the “**Northern Negros Science High School Act of 2004.**”

Section 2. There shall be created a “**Northern Negros Science High School**” in the City of San Carlos, Province of Negros Occidental.

Section 3. The Secretary of the Department of Education shall immediately include in the Department’s program the operationalization of the “**Northern Negros Science High School**” and shall issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

Section 4. If any part or provision of this Act shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other provisions, which are not affected thereby, shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 5. All laws, presidential decrees, executive orders, rules and regulations or part thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

Section 6. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED.