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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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House Bill No. 3542

Introduced by Honorable Catalino V. Figueroa

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to provide for the construction of the San Sebastian Municipal landmark to be placed at the entrance to the town at *Barangay Inobogan*, Municipality of San Sebastian, Province of Samar.

A town needs to be known not only by its residents but by tourists who visit it. San Sebastian, which can only be accessible by sea and by traversing through the Municipalities of Jiabong, Motiong and Paranas coming from the provincial capital town of Catbalogan and through the Municipalities of Sta. Rita, Pinabacdao and Calbiga coming from Tacloban City, needs an identity so that the visitors will know that they have entered the said town.

For years now, San Sebastian has never had a municipal landmark. It is in this light that the people of the said municipality have requested that the town be identified with a landmark so as to give visitors knowledge that such a place exists in the Province of Samar.

It is in this light that approval of this bill is highly recommended.

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**AN ACT
PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE
SAN SEBASTIAN MUNICIPAL LANDMARK
TO BE PLACED AT BARANGAY INOBONGAN,
MUNICIPALITY OF SAN SEBASTIAN, 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. The San Sebastian Municipal Landmark to be placed at *Barangay Inobongan*, Municipality of San Sebastian, Province of Samar shall be constructed under the supervision of the Department of Interior and Local Governments.

SECTION 2. The amount necessary for the implementation of this Act shall be charged to the appropriations for the Department of Interior and Local Governments under the current General Appropriations Act. Thereafter, such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the municipal landmark shall be included in the annual budget of the Municipality of San Sebastian.

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

Approved,