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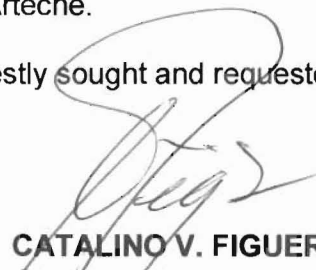
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to provide for the construction of a 100-meter open canal in *Barangay Arteche*, Municipality of Zumarraga, Province of Samar.

Barangay Arteche in the Municipality of Zumarraga is in dire need of an open canal because of the present proper drainage system from homes to the sewage system. The growing number of population and the increasing business activities in the said *barangay* deem it of urgency that the open canal be constructed. Besides, it will be of less threat to flooding in the area if an open canal can carry excess rain water to the sewerage. Besides, this will lessen foul smell which emanates from the wastes and other garbage left by the people on the streets of *Barangay Arteche*.

Early approval of this bill is earnestly sought and requested.



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**AN ACT
PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 100-METER OPEN CANAL
IN BARANGAY ARTECHE, MUNICIPALITY OF ZUMARRAGA,
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 100-meter open canal in *Barangay Arteche, Municipality of Zumarraga, Province of Samar.*

SECTION 2. The amount necessary for the effective 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 open canal shall be included in the annual budget of the Municipality of Zumarraga.

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

Approved,