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Quezon City, Metro Manila

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HOUSE BILL NO. 4219



Introduced by: **HONORABLE MARCELINO C. LIBANAN**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks the establishment of the Maydolong National High School in the Municipality of Maydolong, Province of Eastern Samar. This is in line with the objective of the State to provide for equal opportunities to all Filipino children for high school education regardless of birth or economic status.

The establishment of a national high school in Maydolong is a response to the problem of the municipality regarding the accessibility to the nearest High School. Moreover, the former Maydolong National Agricultural School was absorbed by the creation of Eastern Samar State University which caused the abolishment of the high school course offered thereat. In addition, it is important to particularly address the problem faced by a greater number of the people living in this town who are low-income farmers and who cannot afford the cost of sending their children to centers of secondary education.

The Education Act of 1982 provides for the democratization of the acquisition of education and its accessibility to the less fortunate margin of the Philippines citizenry. It serves as the legal basis for this proposed bill on top of which, it is constitutionally mandated that the state gives education the highest priority.

It is in this light that the early passage of this bill is earnestly sought.


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AN ACT
CREATING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN MUNICIPALITY OF
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PROVINCE OF EASTERN SAMAR, TO BE KNOWN AS
THE MAYDOLONG NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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

SECTION 1. There shall be established a national high school in Municipality of Maydolong, Province of Eastern Samar, to be known as the Maydolong National High School.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Department of Education shall promulgate and issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this act.

SECTION 3. The amount necessary to carry out the provision of this Act shall be included in the General Appropriations Act of the year following its enactment into law and thereafter.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved.