



Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City, Metro Manila

13TH CONGRESS

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HOUSE BILL NO. 4706

Introduced by **HON. ANTONIO C. ALVAREZ**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks the establishment of a national high school in Barangay Calandagan, Municipality of Araceli, and Province of Palawan, to be known as the Calandagan National High School.

Calandagan is an island barangay some kilometers away from the poblacion of the Municipality of Araceli, where the nearest high school is located. Due to distance constraint, many of its youth and those of nearby barangays find it difficult to avail of secondary education after graduating from elementary schools. To date, there are several elementary schools in the vicinity that can serve as feeder schools to the proposed Calandagan National High School.

By making available secondary education to the youth of Calandagan, we shall not only secure their future but also stop putting their lives at risk in their pursuit of education.

In view of the foregoing, approval of this bill is earnestly sought.


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AN ACT

ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN BARANGAY CALANDAGAN, MUNICIPALITY OF ARACELI, PROVINCE OF PALAWAN, TO BE KNOWN AS THE CALANDAGAN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, PROVIDING FOR ITS FUNDING AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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

SECTION 1. A national high school shall be established in Barangay Calandagan, Municipality of Araceli, Province of Palawan, to be known as the Calandagan National High School.

SECTION 2. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act shall be included in the General Appropriations Act of the year following its enactment into law and thereafter.

SECTION 3. The Department of Education shall promulgate the necessary rules and regulations for the effective implementation of the provisions of this Act.

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

Approved.