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EXPLANATORY NOTE

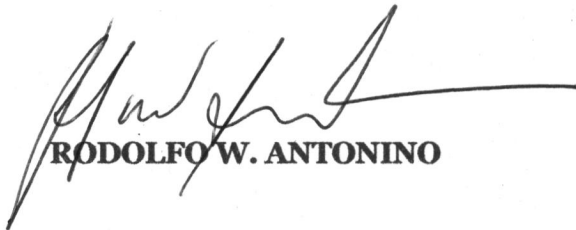
This bill seeks to establish a national high school in Barangay Rizal, Municipality of San Leonardo, Province of Nueva Ecija, to be known as the San Leonardo High School.

The Municipality of San Leonardo National presently has, for its greater population, families belonging to the lower income level. The economic condition in the area has not been that promising, the municipality being reliant mainly on agriculture. Consequently, as a matter of ordinary course and as the basic needs remain the same but the means are stagnant, the number of enrollees is continually decreasing.

Due to the regressing economic conditions in the province, and also due to rising costs of education; a sizable number of elementary graduates are unable to pursue secondary education because of the location and limited number of public national high schools in the immediate area.

As the greater mass of the families in San Leonardo are poor, and private education is becoming more and more expensive, it becomes burdensome for the families to send their children to the same, and yet, even as public education becomes the only option, there is no existing nearest public high school in this highly populated area.

It is for this reason that it is earnestly sought that the San Leonardo National High School be established.


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AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN BARANGAY RIZAL,
MUNICIPALITY OF SAN LEONARDO, PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA, TO
BE KNOWN AS THE SAN LEONARDO NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 **SECTION 1. *Establishment of a National High School.*** There is hereby
2 established, under the supervision of th Department of Education, a national high school
3 in Barangay Rizal, Municipality of San Leonardo, Province of Nueva Ecija, to be known
4 as the San Leonardo National High School.
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6 **SEC. 2. *Appropriations.*** The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in
7 the Department's program the operationalization of the San Leonardo National High
8 School, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.
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10 **SEC. 3. *Implementation.*** The Secretary of Education shall issue such rules and
11 regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.
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13 **SEC. 4. *Effectivity.*** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication
14 in the Official Gazette.
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16 Approved,