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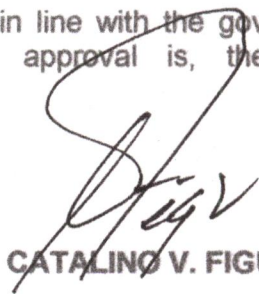
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to provide for the construction of perimeter fence at the Sto. Niño Elementary School in *Barangay* Sto. Niño, Municipality of Villareal, Province of Samar.

Sto. Niño Elementary School is the only elementary school in *Barangay* Sto. Niño and other adjacent areas. Most of the children of the residents in the said *barangay* and other places are enrolled in the school. For so many years now, the said school only had a temporary perimeter fence which was always destroyed by typhoons. Besides, stray animals enter the school premises even during school hours disturbing on-going classes and, sometimes, posing threats to the students. Soil in the surrounding areas of the school has been eroding and poses greater threats to the students, teachers and personnel of the Sto. Niño Elementary School. With the construction of perimeter fences, such dangers will be minimized.

The proposed measure is also in line with the government policy of promoting rural development. Its approval is, therefore, earnestly recommended.


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STO. NIÑO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN BARANGAY STO. NIÑO,
MUNICIPALITY OF VILLAREAL, 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 perimeter fence at the Sto. Niño Elementary School in *Barangay* Sto. Niño, Municipality of Villareal, Province of Samar.

SECTION 2. The amount necessary for the 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 perimeter fence shall be included in the annual budget of the Municipality of Villareal.

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

Approved,