

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

FIFTEENTH CONGRESS
SECOND REGULAR SESSION



COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1753

Submitted by the Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations on
~~25 JAN 2012~~

Re: House Bill No. 5742

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 3523

Sponsors. Representatives Niel C. Tupas, Jr., Joseph Emilio A. Abaya, Lani Mercado-Revilla, Jesus Crispin C. Remulla and Elpidio F. Barzaga, Jr.

Mr. Speaker.

The Committee on Justice and the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 3523, introduced by Representative Lani Mercado-Revilla, entitled:

AN ACT

CREATING FIFTEEN ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND NINE ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT VARIOUS MUNICIPALITIES AND CITIES IN THE PROVINCE OF CAVITE FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

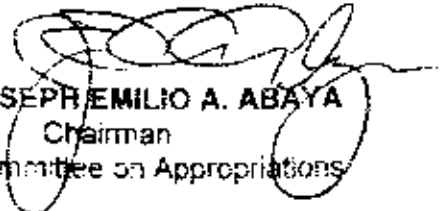
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have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 5742 entitled:

"AN ACT

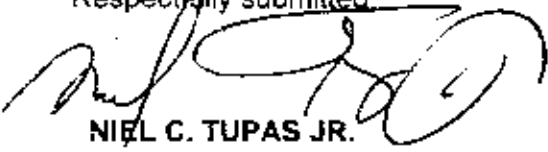
CREATING SIXTEEN (16) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND NINE (9) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT VARIOUS MUNICIPALITIES AND CITIES IN THE PROVINCE OF CAVITE FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION (14) (e) AND SECTION (27) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 3523 with Representatives Mercado-Revilla, Remulla, Barzaga, Jr. Tupas Jr. and Abaya as authors thereof.



JOSEPH EMILIO A. ABAYA
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations

Respectfully submitted



NIEL C. TUPAS JR.
Chairman
Committee on Justice

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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FIFTEENTH CONGRESS

First Regular Session

House Bill No. _____ 5712

Introduced by Representatives Mercado-Revilla, Remulla, Barzaga, Tupas Jr. and
Abaya

AN ACT

CREATING SIXTEEN (16) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND NINE (9) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT VARIOUS MUNICIPALITIES AND CITIES IN THE PROVINCE OF CAVITE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14 (c) AND SECTION 27 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980" AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. Three (3) additional Regional Trial Court branches for Bacoor; Two
2 (2) additional Regional Trial Court branches for Imus; Three (3) additional Regional
3 Trial Court branches for Dasmariñas City; Three (3) additional Regional Trial Court
4 branches for Trece Martires City; Two (2) additional Regional Trial Court branches for
5 Naic; and Three (3) additional Regional Trial Court branches for Tagaytay City, with
6 seats thereat^{are} hereby created in the Fourth Judicial Region.

7 SEC. 2. Three (3) additional Municipal Trial Court branches for Bacoor;
8 Three (3) additional Municipal Trial Court branches for Imus; and (3) additional
9 Municipal Trial Court branches for Dasmariñas City, with seats thereat, are hereby

1 created in the Fourth Judicial Region.

2 The Supreme Court shall assign the branch numbers of the newly created
3 branches of the Regional Trial Court and the Municipal Trial Court in the Fourth Judicial
4 Region.

5 SEC. 3 The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in coordination with the
6 Secretary of the Department of Justice shall immediately include in the Court's program
7 the operationalization of sixteen (16) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court and
8 nine (9) additional branches of Municipal Trial Court to be stationed at various
9 municipalities and cities in the Province of Cavite, the funding of which shall be
10 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

11 SEC. 4. Section 14 (e) and Section 30 of Batas Pambansa Bilang 129, otherwise
12 known as "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980" as amended, and all other laws,
13 rules and regulations which are inconsistent with this Act are hereby amended, repealed
14 or modified accordingly.

15 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete publication
16 in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

17 Approved,