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HOUSE BILL NO. 1038



Introduced by HONORABLE FERDINAND MARTIN G. ROMUALDEZ

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill aims to convert the Palo East-By Pass Road in Palo, Leyte into a National Road.

The Palo East By-Pass Road, with a width of 6.70 meters and length of 1,543 meters, will decongest traffic along Maharlika Highway in Palo. It also serves as an alternate route to and from McArthur Park, the Government Center, as well as the Daniel Z. Romualdez Airport in Tacloban City.

Hence, the immediate passage of this bill is earnestly requested.


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AN ACT
CONVERTING THE PALO EAST BY-PASS ROAD IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF
PALO, PROVINCE OF LEYTE INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. *Conversion of Provincial Road.*- The Palo East By-Pass in the Municipality of Palo, Province of Leyte is hereby converted into a national road under the jurisdiction and supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways.

SECTION 2. *Appropriations.*- The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's program the repair, maintenance and improvement of the said road, the funding of which shall be included in the Annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. *Effectivity.*- This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette.

Approved.