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HOUSE BILL No. 1463

Introduced by HON. JULIETTE T. UY

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill is a re-filing of House Bill 6798 that was approved by the 15th Congress on February 4, 2013 and transmitted to and received by the Senate on February 6, 2013.

This bill seeks to create an additional branch of Regional Trial Court at the Municipality of Tagoloan in view of the increasing number of cases filed in the courts in the province of Misamis Oriental.

The addition of an RTC branch at Tagoloan will help in de-clogging the dockets of existing courts and generally improve the justice system in the province.

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

Approved,


HON. JULIETTE T. UY
2nd District, Misamis Oriental

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AN ACT
CREATING AN ADDITIONAL BRANCH OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
IN THE PROVINCE OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL TO BE STATIONED AT THE
MUNICIPALITY OF TAGOLOAN, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION
14, PARAGRAPH (K) 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:

SECTION 1. There is hereby created an additional Regional Trial Court branch in the Tenth Judicial Region, with seat at the Municipality of Tagoloan, Province of Misamis Oriental.

The Supreme Court shall assign the branch number of the newly-created branch of the Regional Trial Court in the Tenth Judicial Region.

SECTION 2. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall immediately include in the Court's program the operationalization of an additional branch of the Regional Trial Court to be stationed at the Municipality of Tagoloan, Province of Misamis Oriental, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. Section 14(k) of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, otherwise known as "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980", as amended, and all other laws, rules and regulations which are inconsistent with this Act, are hereby amended, repealed or modified accordingly.

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

Approved,

