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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1855



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Introduced by Hon. Jerry P. Treñas

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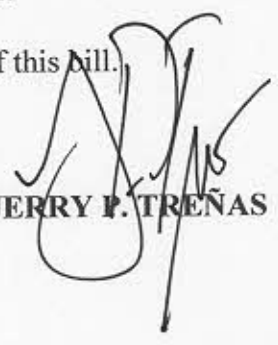
**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This bill seeks to convert **Hechanova Street to General Luna Street** in Iloilo City, presently classified as a local city road, into a national road.

The road spans a total length of 1,215 lineal meters and is located at the La Paz District of Iloilo City. It connects two national roads: the Iloilo Capiz Road (Old Route) – La Paz Section and the Iloilo-Antique Road. The road serves as a busy route of vehicles coming from La Paz District en route to the Molo District area, passing through the City Proper District fronting the Iloilo Provincial Capitol.

The road's conversion to a national road is necessary in order to ensure its proper maintenance and periodic improvement. The development of the road will also increase the vitality of commerce in Iloilo City and ease traffic in congested areas.

In view of the foregoing, I highly recommend the approval of this bill.

  
JERRY P. TREÑAS

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14 AN ACT CONVERTING HECHANOVA STREET TO GENERAL LUNA STREET IN LA  
15 PAZ DISTRICT, ILOILO CITY INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS  
16 THEREFOR

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

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21 SECTION 1. Hechanova Street to General Luna Street in La Paz District, Iloilo City is  
22 hereby converted into a national road under the supervision of the Department of Public Works  
23 and Highways.

24 SEC. 2. The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's  
25 program the improvement, repair and maintenance of the said road, the funding of which shall be  
26 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

27 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official*  
28 *Gazette* or in a national newspaper of general circulation.

29 Approved,