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Quezon City

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1856



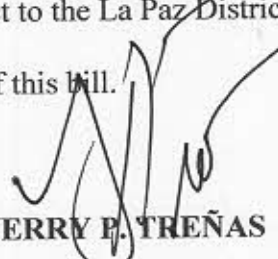
Introduced by Hon. Jerry P. Treñas

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to convert **Quirino Bridge – Rizal Street La Paz (Muelle Loney Marginal Wharf Road Extension)** in Iloilo City, presently classified as a local city road, into a national road.

The road spans a total length of 627 lineal meters and is located at the City Proper District of Iloilo City. The street is an extension of the Muelle Loney Marginal Wharf road, which is an existing national road. It connects the Muelle Loney Marginal Wharf Road in the City Proper District to the La Paz District, and it passes through the back of the Iloilo Provincial Capitol and the Iloilo Hall of Justice. Numerous private vehicles, public transports and commercial trucks carrying various goods utilize the road. It is a vital thoroughfare in Iloilo City and its maintenance and improvement are necessary to ensure the vitality of commerce and the efficient flow of traffic in the area connecting the City Proper District to the La Paz District.

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


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14 AN ACT CONVERTING QUIRINO BRIDGE – RIZAL STREET LA PAZ (MUELLE LONEY
15 MARGINAL WHARF ROAD EXTENSION) IN CITY PROPER DISTRICT, ILOILO CITY
16 INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS 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. Quirino Bridge – Rizal Street La Paz (Muelle Loney Marginal Wharf Road
22 Extension) in City Proper District, Iloilo City is hereby converted into a national road under the
23 supervision of the Department of Public Works 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,