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Quezon City

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1858



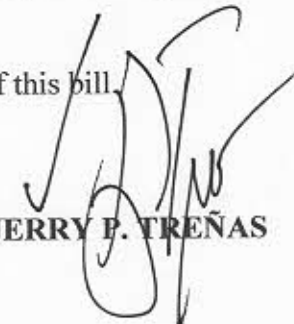
Introduced by Hon. Jerry P. Treñas

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to convert **the Radial Road** in Iloilo City, presently classified as a local city road, into a national road.

The road spans a total length of 2366 lineal meters. The construction of this new major road was implemented by the Regional Office of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH). It connects the Circumferential Road to two national roads: the Iloilo-Capiz Road (New Route) and the Iloilo-Dumangas Coastal Road. It is a new major highway which is used to ease traffic in the existing road networks in the city. Various vehicles, including private trucks carrying goods and commodities, pass through the Radial Road. The conversion of the road into a national road will redound to the benefit of City of Iloilo and the numerous road users coming from different parts of Panay, as trade and commerce will increase through the effective maintenance of the road.

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


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14 AN ACT CONVERTING THE RADIAL ROAD IN ILOILO CITY INTO A NATIONAL
15 ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

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20 SECTION 1. The Radial Road in Iloilo City is hereby converted into a national road
21 under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways.

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

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

27 Approved,