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House Bill No. **3868**

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

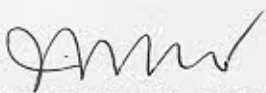
This Bill seeks to convert the Luzon Avenue, Visayas Avenue and Mindanao Avenue in Sampaloc (District IV), City of Manila into a national road which shall be under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH).

Considering the vital role that roads play in the process of development, it is not enough that they are constructed, they must also be properly maintained. Without good roads, commercial transactions and other economic activities are unduly affected.

Due to the limited financial capabilities of the city government of Manila, the above-mentioned routes could hardly be maintained thus transferred to the national government.

Consideration of this bill would stir up economic activities in the city as it would make trade, commerce and industry accessible to all, thereby opening better opportunities which will accelerate economic progress.

In view of the foregoing, the passage of this bill is earnestly sought.


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**AN ACT CONVERTING
THE LUZON, VISAYAS AND MINDANAO AVENUE, IN
SAMPALOC (DISTRICT IV) CITY OF MANILA, INTO A
NATIONAL ROAD AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

SECTION 1. The Luzon Avenue, Visayas Avenue and Mindanao Avenue in Sampaloc (District IV), City of Manila is hereby converted into a national road under the jurisdiction and supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways.

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

SECTION. 3. The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall issue the necessary rules, orders and circulars to implement the provisions of this Act.

SECTION. 4. All laws, decrees, orders, proclamations, rules and regulations which are inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its publication in the Official Gazette or in at least two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved.