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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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House Bill No. 4224

Introduced by Representative Maria Leonor Gerona-Robredo

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Quipayo – Fabrica – Siba-o – Lugsad – Manguring provincial road in the Municipality of Calabanga serves as a vital road network for the transport of goods and agricultural produce to markets and different selling points. The road traverses several agricultural barangays which need developed and well maintained public infrastructure to boost commerce in the area. The said road will enhance the agriculture sector in the Municipality of Calabanga and the Third District of Camarines Sur. Furthermore, it is a vital component in bringing in inclusive growth and sustainable development to the area.

Given the importance of the provincial road to the agriculture industry in the Municipality of Calabanga and the Third District of Camarines Sur, it is prudent that the National Government develop it in order to spur commerce and economic progress to areas connected to it.

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

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14 **AN ACT CONVERTING THE QUIPAYO – FABRICA – SIBA-O – LUGSAD –**
15 **MANGUIRING PROVINCIAL ROAD IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF**
16 **CALABANGA IN THE PROVINCE OF CAMARINES SUR INTO A**
17 **NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

20 Section 1. The Quipayo – Fabrica – Siba-o – Lugsad – Manguring provincial road in
21 the Municipality of Calabanga in the province of Camarines Sur, is hereby converted
22 into a national road under the jurisdiction and supervision of the Department of
23 Public Works and Highways.

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

27 Section 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in
28 the *Official Gazette* or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

29 Approved,