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Introduced by Representative Maximo B. Rodriguez Jr. and
Representative Rufus B. Rodriguez

House Bill No. **4247**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Municipality of Medina is a 4th class municipality in the province of Misamis Oriental, Philippines. It is located in the eastern part of the province and is 120 kilometers away from the Golden City of Cagayan de Oro. It has an estimated population of around 35,000 and is still growing.

Accompanying this population growth is the need to have a hospital that can address the health issues and concerns of the populace. At present, Medina only has a small hospital which is having a very difficult time addressing all the patients that need medical attention.

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


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AN ACT

ESTABLISHING THE 25-BED CAPACITY MEDINA MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF MEDINA, PROVINCE OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representative of the Philippines in congress
assembled:*

SECTION 1. There is hereby established, under the management, supervision and control of the Department of Health, a twenty five (25)-bed capacity municipal hospital in the Municipality of Medina, Province of Misamis Oriental to be known as the Medina Municipal Hospital.

SEC. 2. Pursuant to Section 17, paragraph (f) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991", the Medina Municipal Hospital shall receive from the national government such amount to provide or augment its basic health services and facilities for a period of five (5) years until such time that it shall have been established to meet the requirements of its inhabitants.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of Health shall immediately include in the Department's programs the national government's assistance for the operationalization of the Medina Municipal Hospital, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,