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*Introduced by Representative Juliette T. Uy, Maximo B. Rodriguez Jr.
And Representative Rufus B. Rodriguez*

House Bill No. **4249**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

At present, the Municipality of Villanueva in the Province of Misamis Oriental is widely considered as the industrial hub of the province and arguably, even Northern Mindanao as it has sixteen (16) medium to large scale industries.

Due to the growing economy of Villanueva, the expanding industries and the corresponding increase in the demand for skilled technical workers, there is a need to establish an education program that would increase technical course graduates. As such, there is a need to establish an extension of the Mindanao University of Science and Technology (MUST) in Villanueva.

This would ensure that there is a constant supply of technical skilled workers coming from a reputable University in the Municipality of Villanueva.

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


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AN ACT

ESTABLISHING AN EXTENSION PROGRAM OF THE MINDANAO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY THAT WOULD CONCENTRATE ON TECHNICAL COURSES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLANUEVA, PROVINCE OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL

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

SECTION 1. There shall be established an extension program of the Mindanao University of Science and Technology (MUST) that would concentrate on technical courses in the Municipality of Villanueva, Province of Misamis Oriental.

SEC 2. The program shall be under the supervision of the MUST and shall follow the plans and programs of the MUST Board of Directors.

SEC 3. The MUST Board is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with a suitable school in the Municipality of Villanueva, Province of Misamis Oriental with a school building that can accommodate the extension program of MUST.

SEC 4. The Commission on Higher Education, in consultation and coordination with the concerned officials of the MUST and the local government of Misamis Oriental shall formulate and promulgate the implementing guidelines, rules and regulations necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act.

SEC 5. The Commission on Higher Education shall immediately include in the Commission's programs the operationalization of the extension program of the Mindanao University of Science and Technology (MUST), the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,