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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

House Bill No. **4579**

Introduced by Representative Susan A. Yap

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Much of the inimical effects of poverty of the country experiences these days are being passed on to the most vulnerable sector- the youth. Most of today's youth do not have sufficient means to finish high school, or at least reach such level.

In the Province of Tarlac, most elementary school graduates seek better and more specialized learning institutions to further their learning experience. To many, this can only be achieved by enrolling in a science high school that would promote their skills in science and technology- skills that are proven to be very important in present day standards. Providing for high caliber education is one major step to respond to this problem. Providing it for free and easy accessibility is another.

The bill aims to advance the right to free and quality education of every Filipino youth, particularly in the secondary level. It seeks for the establishment of an institution that would promote learning, while providing for employment opportunities to qualified instructors in the area.

The future of any society depends on the kind of youth it has. But the future of these youth depends on the endeavors this present generation has committed itself to.

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

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AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL IN THE CITY OF
TARLAC, PROVINCE OF TARLAC TO BE KNOWN AS THE TARLAC
NATIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR

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

Section 1. Establishment of a National Science High School. – There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Department of Education, a national science high school in the City of Tarlac, Province of Tarlac to be known as the Tarlac National Science High School.

Section 2. Appropriations. – The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Tarlac National Science High School, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

Section 3.- Implementation. The Secretary of Education shall issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

Section 4. – This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved,