

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City, Metro Manila

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HOUSE BILL NO. 4826



Introduced by HON. MANUEL S. AGYAO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This is a refiled Bill which has reached the Senate in the 15th Congress.

“Health is Wealth”, and a healthy citizenry is a vibrant community. It is the paramount duty of the Government to provide basic health services to the people. The Philippine Constitution specifically provides, “*The state shall protect and promote the right to health of its people and instill health consciousness among them*” (Art. II, Section 15). Towards this end, the establishment of a health center in every barangay is necessary to ensure efficient and immediate delivery of the basic health services to the people.

Barangay Dangtalan in the Municipality of Pasil, Province of Kalinga, is one barrio in dire need of a health center. Its residents who need immediate medical attention must travel a kilometer length of steep climb and another four (4) kilometers descent to the next town of Lubuagan, Kalinga for medical treatment. The Municipality of Pasil is a town without any hospital. The establishment of a health center therefore is of great urgency.

In view of the above reasons, the passage of this Act is earnestly requested.


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**AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A BARANGAY HEALTH CENTER
IN BARANGAY DANGTALAN, MUNICIPALITY OF PASIL, PROVINCE OF KALINGA AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.**

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

1. **SECTION 1.** There shall be constructed a Barangay Health Center in Barangay Dangtalan, in
2. the Municipality of Pasil, Province of Kalinga.

3. **SECTION 2.** The Local Government Unit concerned shall provide funding for the
4. establishment and operation of a Barangay Health Center in Barangay Dangtalan, Municipality of
5. Pasil. The Secretary of Health shall include in the Department's subsidy program, support for
6. the capital outlay requirements of the said Barangay Health Center.

7. **SECTION 3.** This Act shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

Approved