



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



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HOUSE BILL NO. **4982**

Introduced by Honorable Fernando V. Gonzalez

EXPLANATORY NOTE

After several years since it became a city, Ligao City has steadily transformed itself from a predominantly rural/agricultural setting into a more urban one.

Attendant to this transformation is the increased demand for technical and vocational knowledge and skill to meet the needs for vital services of a developing urban center.

The establishment of a Vocational/Technical High School in Ligao City would significantly provide our high school students the opportunity to learn technical skills so that they can be gainfully employed within the city.

Furthermore, a Technical/Vocational School would accelerate their learning skills and qualify as NC 2 after their Junior High School and then accelerate to NC 4 after graduation from Senior High School.

The Technical/Vocational High School will also enable our out-of-school youth to reenter formal education in a school that will offer courses relevant to their educational needs, without incurring the costs inherent to studying in private schools and other training institutions.



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AN ACT

ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL TECHNICAL - VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN BARANGAY NASISI, CITY OF LIGAO, PROVINCE OF ALBAY, TO BE KNOWN AS THE LIGAO CITY NATIONAL TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.

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

1 SECTION 1. There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Department of
2 Education, a national technical-vocational school in Barangay Nasisi, City of Ligao,
3 Province of Albay, to be known as the Ligao City National Technical-Vocational High
4 School.

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6 SEC. 2. The Department of Education shall immediately include in the Department's
7 program the operationalization of the Ligao City National Technical-Vocational High
8 School, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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10 SEC. 3. The Secretary of Education shall issue such rules and regulations necessary
11 to carry out the purpose of this Act.

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13 SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official
14 Gazette or in a national newspaper of general circulation.

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16 Approved,