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House Bill No. 5461



Introduced by REP. ARTHUR C. YAP and
REP. ERICO ARISTOTLE C. AUMENTADO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The bill seeks to convert Bagumbayan, Pilar to Municipality of Dagohoy, Bohol Provincial Road passing through Barangay Estaca, Pilar and Barangays San Miguel and Caluasan, Dagohoy, Bohol into a national road.

Pilar's major industry is farming. The National Irrigation Administration (NIA) is operating the Bohol Irrigation System 1 (BIS 1) in Pilar, which is one of the major irrigation infrastructures in the Province of Bohol. It is host to a KOIKA funded Rice Processing Center that will benefit rice farmers within a 50-kilometer radius, equipped with five mechanical dryers, multi-pass state-of-the-art milling facility with color sorter, length grader and automatic bagger and can process 50 tons, or 1,000 bags, of palay daily for drying and 500 bags daily for milling. Pilar was also awarded as "best in LGU Engagement" last 2006 by the Department of Social Welfare and Development's KALAHI-CIDSS Region 7.

Bagumbayan, Pilar-Dagohoy, Bohol Provincial Road is a major road network linking the 2nd and 3rd Districts of the Province of Bohol and therefore such conversion shall boost economic activities and maximize the potential growth and progress of the whole province.

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


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ROAD PASSING THROUGH BARANGAY ESTACA,
PILAR AND BARANGAYS SAN MIGUEL AND
CALUASAN, DAGOHOY, BOHOL INTO A NATIONAL
ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

1 **SECTION 1.** The Bagumbayan, Pilar to Municipality of Dagohoy,
2 Bohol Provincial Road is hereby converted into a national road.

3 **SECTION 2.** The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and
4 Highways shall issue the necessary rules, orders and circulars to implement
5 the provision of this Act.

6 **SECTION 3.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
7 publication in at least two (2) national newspapers of general circulation.

Approved.