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HOUSE BILL NO. 4972



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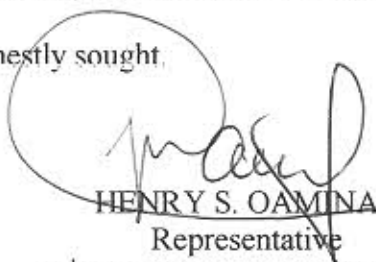
EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to designate November 2 of every year as the "Misamis Occidental Day" and a special non-working holiday in the province.

The Province of Misamis Occidental used to be part of the Misamis Province, which among others was composed of Misamis Occidental, Misamis Oriental, Bukidnon, Lanao, and Camiguin. It was by virtue of Legislative Act 3537, which was passed on November 2, 1929, that the old Province of Misamis was divided into Misamis Occidental and Misamis Oriental.

Hence, the Misamisnons commemorate every 2nd of November as a significant and memorable milestone in its local history as it marks the beginning of its existence as a Province.

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


HENRY S. OAMINAL
Representative
2nd District, Misamis Occidental

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AN ACT

DECLARING NOVEMBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL IN CELEBRATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY

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

- SEC. 1. November 2 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working holiday in the Province of Misamis Occidental in commemoration of its founding anniversary to be known as "Misamis Occidental Day".
- SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

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PROVINCE OF MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL
Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan
Capitol, Oroquieta City

Excerpts from the MINUTES of the REGULAR SESSION of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Misamis Occidental held at the Sangguniang Panlalawigan Session Hall, Misamis Occidental Provincial Capitol Building, Oroquieta City on November 7, 2016.

HON. MENA A. LUANSING - OL <i>Board Member</i>	HON. AURORA VIRGINIA M. ALMONTE - P <i>Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer</i>	
HON. ZALDY G. DAMINAR - P <i>Board Member</i>	HON. RICHARD T. CENTINO - P <i>Board Member</i>	HON. PABLO STEPHEN C. TY - P <i>Board Member</i>
HON. EMETERIO B. ROA, SR. - P <i>BM/Asst. Majority Floor Leader</i>	HON. DAN M. NAVARRO - P <i>Board Member</i>	HON. GERARD HILARION M. RAMIRO - P <i>Board Member/(FABC-Pres.)</i>
HON. OCTAVIO O. PAROJINOG, JR. - P <i>Board Member</i>	HON. ROY M. YAP - P <i>Board Member</i>	HON. RICARDO O. PAROJINOG - OT <i>Board Member (PCL)</i>
	HON. TITO B. DECINA - P <i>BM/Minority Floor Leader</i>	HON. DODGE L. CABAUG, SR. - P <i>Board Member/IP Representative</i>
	HON. LEL M. BLANCO - P <i>BM/Majority Floor Leader</i>	

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RESOLUTION NO. 469-16

A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE, HON. JORGE T. ALMONTE, AND 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE, HON. HENRY S. OAMINAL, TO PASS A BILL "DECLARING NOVEMBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A LOCAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL IN CELEBRATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY"

Authored by Hon. Gerard Hilarion M. Ramiro

WHEREAS, Misamis Occidental was then part of the Misamis Province which was composed of Misamis Occidental, Misamis Oriental, Bukidnon, Lanao, and Camiguin among others and by virtue of Legislative Act 3537 passed on November 2, 1929, the old Province of Misamis was divided into Misamis Occidental and Misamis Oriental. Hence, the Misamisnons commemorate every 2nd day of November as a significant and memorable milestone in its local history as it marks the beginning of its existence as a Province, celebrating the tradition by way of conducting various activities and programs actively participated by different LGUs, schools, civic organizations and religious sectors throughout the Province;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Misamis Occidental passed the Resolution No. 236-11 dated August 26, 2011, "A Resolution Declaring November 2 of Every Year 'the Anniversary of the Province of Misamis Occidental' a Local Non-Working Holiday in the Whole Province";

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Misamis Occidental passed the Resolution No. 278-15 dated June 11, 2015, "A Resolution Respectfully Requesting the 1st District Congressional Representative, Hon. Jorge T. Almonte, and the 2nd District Congressional Representative, Hon. Henry S. Oaminal, to pass a Bill Declaring November 2 Every Year a Non-Working Holiday in the Province of Misamis Occidental in Celebration of Its Founding Anniversary";

WHEREAS, to establish the legal basis in "Declaring November 2 of Every Year a Local Non-Working Day in the Province of Misamis Occidental in Celebration of its Founding Anniversary", in order to institutionalize this commemoration, in behalf of the people of the Province of Misamis Occidental, this Sangguniang seeks a legislative action for this purpose, thus, on motion of Hon. Gerard Hilarion M. Ramiro, duly seconded by **ALL MEMBERS PRESENT**;

NOW THEREFORE:

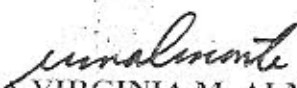
Be it **RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Misamis Occidental to **REQUEST**, as it hereby **REQUESTS**, the 1st Congressional District Representative, Hon. Jorge T. Almonte, and 2nd Congressional District Representative, Hon. Henry S. Oaminal, to pass a bill, "Declaring November 2 of Every Year a Local Non-Working Holiday in the Province of Misamis Occidental in Celebration of its Founding Anniversary";

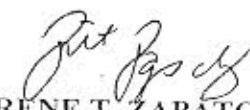
RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Honorable Provincial Governor Herminia M. Ramiro, for approval; Cong. Jorge T. Almonte, 1st District Representative, and Cong. Henry S. Oaminal, 2nd District Representative, for appropriate action.

ADOPTED, this 7th day of November, 2016 in Oroquieta City.

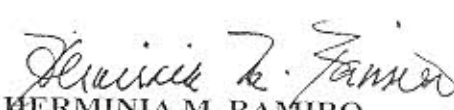
I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing.

ATTESTED:


AURORA VIRGINIA M. ALMONTE
Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer
11/11/16


IRENE T. ZAPATOS
Secretary to the Sanggunian
11/11/16

APPROVED:


HERMINIA M. RAMIRO
Provincial Governor
11/16/16