



Republic of the Philippines
House of Representatives
Quezon City, Metro Manila

Seventeenth Congress
Second Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. **7305**



Introduced by
REPRESENTATIVE PANTALEON D. ALVAREZ

AN ACT
ABOLISHING THE PHILIPPINE AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL
DECREE (P.D.) NO. 286, AS AMENDED BY P.D. NOS. 346 AND 696

EXPLANATORY NOTE

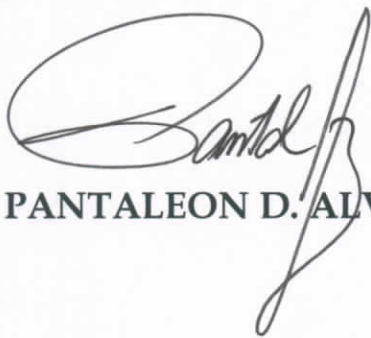
The Philippine Aerospace Development Corporation is the agency tasked to advance aviation-related transport services. It was created by virtue of Presidential Decree (P.D.) No. 286, dated 5 September 1973 as amended PD Nos. 346 and 696, dated 14 December 1973 and 9 May 1975, respectively. The Department of Transportation (DOTr) exercises supervision over the Corporation's policy formulation.

The Corporation is mandated to undertake all manner of activity, business or development projects for the establishment of reliable aviation and aerospace industry that shall include (a) the design, assembly, manufacture, and sale of all forms of aircraft and aviation/aerospace devices, equipment or contractions and studies or researches for innovation

and improvements; (b) the development of local capabilities in the maintenance, repair/overhaul and modification of aerospace and association flight and ground equipment and components; and (c) the operation and provision of transport services, whether for cargo or passengers, on a scheduled, non-scheduled or charter basis or domestic and/or international scale.

However, the Corporation has not fulfilled its mandate of designing and producing airplanes in its almost forty-five (45) years of existence. Thus, the purpose of this bill is to abolish the Philippine Aerospace Development Corporation.

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



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

SEC. 1. Short title. - This Act shall be known as the "*An Act Abolishing the Philippine Aerospace Development Corporation.*"

SEC. 2. Abolition of the Philippine Aerospace Development Corporation.
- The Philippine Aerospace Development Corporation is hereby abolished.

SEC. 3. Repealing Clause. - All laws, presidential decrees, executive orders and their implementing rules, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, specifically P.D. No. 286, as amended by P.D. Nos. 346 and 696, are hereby repealed and amended accordingly.

SEC. 4. Effectivity. - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in at least two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,