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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City, Metro Manila

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HOUSE BILL NO. 8126



Introduced by **HON. ZAJID G. MANGUDADATU**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to create a municipality in the Province of Maguindanao to be known as the Municipality of Mangudadatu. It shall be composed of eight barangays, namely: Tumbao, Daladagan, Kalian, Tenok, Paitan, Tinambulan, Luayan, and Panapan, for the purpose of legally providing its share in the Internal Revenue Allotment pursuant to Section 85 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991."

Through the Muslim Mindanao Autonomy Act No. 204 of the Regional Legislative Assembly of the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao, the Municipality of Mangudadatu was created on November 22, 2006 and later ratified on December 30, 2006. However, the Municipality was created pursuant to the provisions of Muslim Mindanao Autonomy Act No. 25 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of ARMM which has lower standards than that prescribed by Republic Act 7160, as amended, which rendered the Municipality unqualified for entitlement in the share of the Internal Revenue Allotment.

Despite of its existence without having an Internal Revenue Allotment for more than a decade, the Municipality of Mangudadatu has continuously demonstrated improvement and growth of its performance in terms of local governance and delivery of basic services to its constituents.

The growth and improvement can be manifested through the rapid infrastructure development in the Municipality, and the presence of several investors currently operating within its area of jurisdiction. Moreover, it also demonstrated efficiency in the collection of its local income as prescribed in Republic Act 7160.

Based from the Philippine Statistics Authority Census in 2015, the Municipality has a population of twenty five thousand and forty six (25,046) rendering it qualified to a share in the Internal Revenue Allotment in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act 7160.

After more than a decade of being deprived of its share in the Internal Revenue Allotment, the people of the Municipality of Mangudadatu deserved to be granted a local government unit that could provide them improvement in the delivery of basic services which is currently unavailable due to the absence of the internal revenue allotment. The enhancement in the delivery of basic services such as promotion of public health, peace and order, environmental, social order, and general welfare shall be effectively and efficiently provided if the internal revenue allotment is granted to the Municipality.

As such, swift passage of the foregoing measure is earnestly sought.



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**AN ACT CREATING A MUNICIPALITY TO BE KNOWN AS MUNICIPALITY OF
MANGUDADATU IN THE PROVINCE OF MAGUINDANAO**

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

SECTION 1. Creation of the Municipality of Mangudadatu. - There is hereby created a municipality to be known as the Municipality of Mangudadatu in the Province of Maguindanao.

SECTION 2. Seat of Municipal Government. - The seat of the new municipality shall be in Barangay Tumbao.

SECTION 3. Territorial Boundaries. - The Municipality of Mangudadatu with a total land area of ten thousand nine hundred thirty four point eighty six (10,934.86) hectares shall be composed of barangays Tumbao, Daladagan, Kalian, Tenok, Paitan, Tinambulan, Luayan, and Panapan, all in the Province of Maguindanao and is particularly described as follows:

LINE	BEARINGS	DISTANCE
1-2	S 24° - 50 E	7,938.41 M.
3	N 86° - 54 W	13,423.24 M.
4	S 18° - 56 W	11,381.55 M.
5	N 36° - 40 W	9,388.95 M.
6	N 13° - 30 E	2,571.04 M.
7	N 66° - 30 E	2,507.99 M.
8	N 14° - 02 E	2,061.55 M.
9	DUE EAST	1,650.00 M.
10	S 24° - 37 W	2,200.00 M.
11	S 06° - 38 W	4,328.87 M.
12	S 78° - 40 E	2,549.51 M.
13	N 24° - 37 W	6,041.52 M.

14	DUE EAST	7,800.00 M.
15	N 27° - 46 W	4,294.18 M.
16	N 69° - 38 W	3,200.00 M.
17	N 17° - 47 W	3,600.00 M.
18	S 78° - 27 - 22 - 48 W	5,205.03 M.
18-1	S 65° - 36 E	4,323.27 M.

SECTION 4. Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite. - The plebiscite conducted and supervised by the Commission on Election (COMELEC) pursuant to Muslim Mindanao Autonomy Act No. 204 of the Regional Legislative Assembly of the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao, which enacted the creation of the Municipality of Mangudadatu on November 22, 2006 and ratified on December 30, 2006, shall serve as substantial compliance with the plebiscite requirement under section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991".

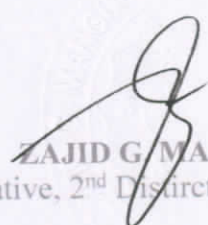
SECTION 5. Incumbent Municipal Officials. - The incumbent municipal officials of the Municipality of Mangudadatu, Maguindanao, shall continue to hold office until such time that their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

SECTION 6. Public Infrastructure and Facilities. - All public infrastructure and facilities for public use existing therein at the time of the approval of this Act are hereby transferred without cost or compensation to and shall be administered by the new municipality.

SECTION 7. Internal Revenue Allotment Shares. - The Municipality of Mangudadatu shall be entitled to Internal Revenue Allotment shares immediately pursuant to Section 85 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991".

SECTION 8. Effectivity. - This act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or any newspaper of general circulation.

Approved.


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