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HOUSE BILL NO. 8890

Introduced by Representative Jose Enrique S. Garcia III

AN ACT
CREATING A BARANGAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LIMAY,
PROVINCE OF BATAAN, TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY ST.
FRANCIS II

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Barangay St. Francis II was originally created via Ordinance No. 11 contained in Resolution No. 353 adopted on December 16, 1996 by the *Sangguniang Panlalawigan* of the Province of Bataan. Its creation was duly ratified in a plebiscite called for the purpose in the political units directly affected.

Since its creation, Barangay St. Francis II has not received any share in the Internal Revenue Allotment allocated to local government units pursuant to Section 285 of the Local Government Code. Its operation was funded purely by internally generated revenues and from financial assistance received from the Municipality of Limay, and from the Province of Bataan.

The creation of Barangay St. Francis II through this proposed measure will officially recognize and fully endow it with the requisite powers, rights, and privileges necessary and appropriate for a barangay duly created by law.

Support for this measure is therefore earnestly sought from my colleagues.

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

1 **SECTION 1. *Creation of Barangay St. Francis II.*** – There is hereby
2 created a barangay in the Municipality of Limay, Province of Bataan to be known as
3 Barangay St. Francis II.

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5 The technical description of Barangay St. Francis shall be as follows:

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7 “Barangay St. Francis II is bounded on the North by the
8 Municipality of Orion (Barangay Puting Buhangin) on the South, by
9 the Mother Barangay San Francisco de Asis (Creek, Mary
10 Magdalene Memorial Park), on the East by Manila Bay and on the
11 West, by the Mother Barangay San Francisco de Asis (Bataan
12 Expressway Road, Bliss)”

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14 **SEC. 2. *Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite.*** – The plebiscite
15 conducted and supervised by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) pursuant to

1 Provincial Ordinance No. 11 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of
2 Bataan, which ratified the creation of Barangay St. Francis II as proclaimed by the
3 Plebiscite Board of Canvassers shall serve as a substantial compliance with the
4 plebiscite requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act 7160, as amended, otherwise
5 known as the Local Government Code of 1991.
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7 **SEC. 3. *Barangay Officials.*** – The first set of barangay officials shall be
8 those elected during the May 14, 2018 barangay elections and shall hold office until
9 such time that their successors shall have been duly elected and qualified.
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11 **SEC. 4. *Public Infrastructures and Facilities.*** – All public infrastructures
12 and facilities for public use existing therein at the time of the approval of this Act are
13 hereby transferred without cost or compensation to and shall be administered by the
14 new barangay.
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16 **SEC. 5. *Internal Revenue Allotment Shares.*** – Barangay St. Francis II
17 shall be entitled to Internal Revenue Allotment shares pursuant to Section 285 of
18 Republic Act 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of
19 1991.
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21 **SEC. 6. *Effectivity.*** – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
22 publication in any newspaper of general circulation in the Philippines.
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24 *Approved*