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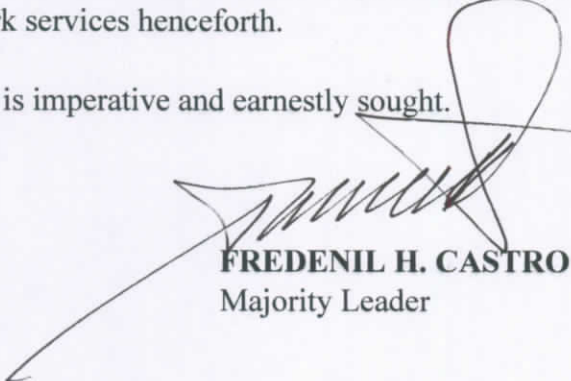
AN ACT

RELOCATING THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) EXTENSION OFFICE, AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF SIGMA, PROVINCE OF CAPIZ TO THE MUNICIPALITY OF DUMALAG, CAPIZ AND CONVERT SAID LTO EXTENSION OFFICE INTO A REGULAR DISTRICT OFFICE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The LTO Sigma Extension Office located at the Municipality of Sigma, Capiz was originally located at the Municipality of Dumalag, Capiz. It caters to the farthest municipalities of the 2nd District of Capiz and neighboring municipalities of the Province of Iloilo. It has developed goodwill among vehicles and transportation owners because of its fast and corruption free services. Because of this, beneficiaries in the municipalities of the 2nd District of Capiz and neighboring municipalities of Iloilo have reached out for the restoration of the LTO Extension office in the Municipality of Dumalag, Capiz. Hence, its transfer back to its original location in the Municipality of Dumalag, and as well as its conversion into a regular LTO District Office is sought for. It's conversion to a Regular LTO District Office is necessitated so that it can serve more service beneficiaries, which is expected to be growing in volume of registrants, transactions and work services henceforth.

In this light, the passage of this bill is imperative and earnestly sought.


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

SECTION 1. The existing Land Transportation Office (LTO) Extension Office located at the Municipality of Sigma, Province of Capiz is hereby transferred to its original location at the Municipality of Dumalag, Capiz;

SECTION 2. The said LTO Extension Office is hereby converted into a Regular LTO District Office to be known as the LTO-Dumalag District Office.

SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Department of Transportation shall immediately include in the department's program, the operationalization of the LTO-Dumalag District Office in the Province of Capiz, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriation of the LTO-Sigma Extension Office. Thereafter, such sums as may be necessary for the continued operation of the LTO-Dumalag District Office shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,