

Republic of the Philippines  
**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
Quezon City

**NINETEENTH CONGRESS**  
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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1323**



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*Introduced by Representatives Daphne A. Lagon and Sonny L. Lagon*

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This bill seeks to separate the Consolacion National High School Laray Extension in Barangay Nangka, Consolacion, Cebu from the Consolacion National High School and convert it into a separate and independent national high school to be known as the Nangka National High School.

This is in consonance with the constitutional mandate for the State to protect and promote the rights of all citizens to quality education at all levels and take the necessary and appropriate steps to make education accessible to all.

The Consolacion National High School – Laray Extension was established in 2015 to cater to the growing number of high school students in the Municipality of Consolacion particularly those coming from its surrounding barangays such as Nangka, Cansaga, Pitogo and Lamac. As of this time, it is also catering to senior high school students.

Converting the Consolacion National High School – Laray Extension into a separate and independent high school will definitely enhance its fiscal viability. As such, the school will be empowered to improve its facilities to meet its growing student population and level up its quality of instruction. This will surely redound to the benefit of the general population and improve the accessibility of public education in general.

In view of these premises, the prompt approval of this measure is earnestly sought and recommended.

  
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**AN ACT**

**SEPARATING THE CONSOLACION NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL - LARAY EXTENSION IN BARANGAY NANGKA, CONSOLACION FROM THE CONSOLACION NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS THE NANGKA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

SECTION 1. Consolacion National High School – Laray Extension in Barangay Nangka, Consolacion, Cebu, is hereby separated from the Consolacion National High School and converted into an independent national high school to be known as the Nangka National High School.

SECTION 2. All personnel, assets, liabilities and records of the Consolacion National High School - Laray Extension are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the Nangka National High School.

SECTION 3. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Nangka National High School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriation of the Consolacion National High School – Laray Extension. Thereafter, the amount necessary for the continued operation of the school shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 4. Within one hundred twenty (120) days after the approval of this Act, the Secretary of Education shall formulate the rules and regulations implementing the provisions of this Act,

SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

*Approved,*