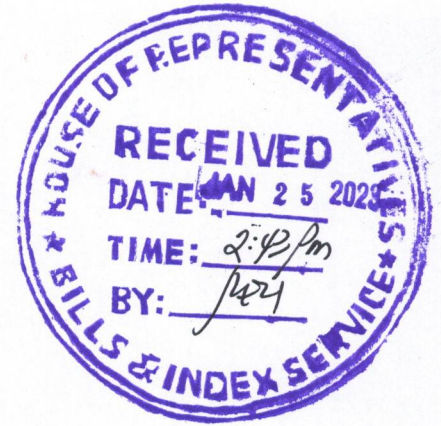


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HOUSE BILL NO. 6894



Introduced by **Hon. WILTER YAP PALMA**

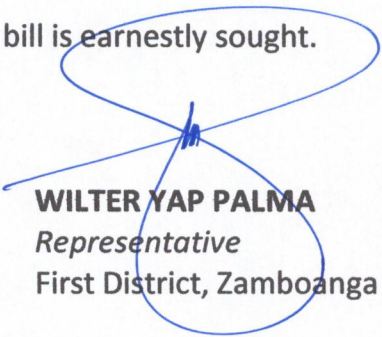
EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to convert the Ditay National High School within the Municipality of Diplahan, Province of Zamboanga Sibugay into an independent national high school. With this, the aforementioned newly independent national high school would then be included as a distinct entity within the national budget.

At its very core, this bill aims to adhere to the constitutional mandate of providing accessible and quality education for all by equipping schools such as the Ditay National High School with the necessary tools that would aid in honing the youth of Zamboanga Sibugay. By providing such schools with the appropriate funding through the inclusion within the national budget, we would then be able to further train our educators, improve the school's accessibility, provide much more modern learning materials and most importantly, create more buildings that would cater the ever so increasing number of students enrolling each year.

With this, by providing the Ditay National High School with the much needed financial viability, it would then serve as a catalyst that would finally address the structural problems that have plagued such educational institutions for years thus paving way towards a new era of progress not just for the current generation of Sibugaynons but for generations to come.

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


WILTER YAP PALMA
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AN ACT

**CONVERTING THE DITAY NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF
DIPLAHAN, PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH
SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

1 **SECTION 1.** The Ditay National High School within the Municipality of Diplahan,
2 Province of Zamboanga Sibugay is hereby converted into an independent national high
3 school.

4 **SECTION 2.** All personnel, assets, liabilities, and records of the Ditay National High
5 School are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the abovementioned newly
6 independent national high school.

7 **SECTION 3.** The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the
8 Department's program the operationalization of the Ditay National High School, the
9 funding of which shall be included in the Annual General Appropriations Act.

10 **SECTION 4.** The Secretary of Education shall formulate the rules and regulations as
11 may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

12 **SECTION 5.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the
13 *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

14 Approved,

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