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HOUSE BILL NO. 7148



INTRODUCED BY HON. DEAN ASISTIO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

As we adapt to the fast paced world, we need to embrace further technology and digital transformation. One way to keep up in such a competitive environment would be to establish more science schools.

A science school would equip students with opportunities to develop increasingly important skills such as complex problem solving, critical thinking, and innovation. Science and mathematics are evident to higher education and beyond; as they lay the foundation in applying knowledge when encountering complex principles.

This bill, therefore, seeks to establish a Science High School for the Third Legislative District of Caloocan. The establishment of Third District Caloocan Science High School will give students the opportunity to advance in the field of science, math, and technology; allowing greater access to opportunities for quality education in the secondary level.

In view of the foregoing, the passage of this bill is earnestly sought.


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AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL IN THE THIRD LEGISLATIVE
DISTRICT OF CALOOCAN CITY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. Short Title. - This Act shall be known as the "Third District Caloocan Science High School".

SEC. 2. Establishment of a Science High School. - There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Department of Education, a science high school in the Third Legislative District of Caloocan to be known as the "Third District Caloocan Science High School".

SEC. 3. Appropriations. - The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Third District Caloocan Science High School, the funding of which shall be incorporated in the General Appropriations Act of the immediate preceding fiscal year following its enactment into law and thereafter.

SEC. 4. Implementing Rules and Regulations. - The Department of Education shall formulate the implementing rules and regulations of this Act, together with the Department of Science and Technology, and other relevant stakeholders within one hundred thirty (130) days after its effectivity.

SEC. 5. Repealing Clause. – All laws, decrees, executive orders and proclamations, rules and regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with this Act, are hereby repealed, or amended or modified accordingly.

SEC. 6. Separability Clause. - If any provision of this Act is held invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

SEC. 7. Effectivity. – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,