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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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HOUSE BILL NO. 7283



Introduced by Representative ROMAN T. ROMULO

AN ACT
ESTABLISHING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN BARANGAY PINAGBUHATAN, CITY OF PASIG,
METRO MANILA TO BE KNOWN AS THE NAGPAYONG-PINAGBUHATAN ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to establish a new public elementary school in Barangay Pinagbuhatan, Pasig City, to be known as the Nagpayong-Pinagbuhatan Elementary School.

For SY 2022-2023, the existing Nagpayong Elementary School provides kindergarten and elementary education to 11,281 learners, including those with disabilities. Many students were requested to continue their education at public schools in other barangays as Nagpayong Elementary School can no longer accommodate more students.

With the proposed Nagpayong-Pinagbuhatan Elementary School, the existing primary school will be decongested, and the learners will have access to education without the additional burden of going to neighboring barangays, in accordance with the constitutional mandate of the State that it "shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible to all."

In view of the foregoing, the approval of the proposed measure is earnestly requested.

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

1 **SECTION 1.** There is hereby established, under the supervision of the Department
2 of Education, an elementary school in Barangay Pinagbuhatan, City of Pasig, Metro
3 Manila, to be known as the Nagpayong-Pinagbuhatan Elementary School.

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5 **SEC. 2.** The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's
6 program the operationalization of the Nagpayong-Pinagbuhatan Elementary School, the
7 funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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9 **SEC. 3.** Within ninety days (90) from the approval of this Act, the Secretary of
10 Education shall formulate the rules and regulations implementing the provisions of this
11 Act. Such implementing rules and regulations shall provide for the school's organization,
12 administration, operations and management, in accordance with Republic Act No. 9155,
13 or the "Governance of Basic Education Act of 2001", Republic Act No. 10533, or the
14 "Enhanced Basic Education Act of 2013", and other basic education-related laws.

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

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19 *Approved,*