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House Bill No. 9416



Introduced by **EMMANUEL A. BILLONES**

Explanatory Note

The establishment of a regular district office of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) in the Municipality of Maayon, Capiz represents a significant step towards enhancing accessibility and efficiency in providing essential services to the residents of the 1st District of Capiz. This strategic move will bridge the gap between the government's services and the underserved communities in Pontevedra, President Roxas, Panitan, and neighboring areas, as well as extending its reach to the 2nd District of Capiz, encompassing Quatero and Dao.

Furthermore, this move is not limited to the boundaries of Capiz alone. The establishment of the LTO-Maayon District Office will also serve the clients from the northern part of Iloilo Province via the Maayon-Sara bypass road. This extension of services across provincial lines demonstrates a commitment to regional cooperation and ensures that a broader population benefits from the improved accessibility to LTO services.

As the region continues to develop and progress, the number of registrants, transactions, and work services is expected to rise significantly. By establishing the LTO-Maayon District Office, we are ensuring that the needs of the people are met effectively, while also contributing to the overall development and progress of the region.

Given these circumstances, the passage of this bill is not just advisable but indeed an imperative action to meet the evolving requirements of the local populace and to promote the efficiency and effectiveness of government services in the region.

It reflects a commitment to improving the lives of the people and fostering development in the 1st and 2nd Districts of Capiz, making this a cause earnestly sought by all stakeholders involved.

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AN ACT

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A REGULAR DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MAAYON, IN THE 1ST DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF CAPIZ AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby established a regular district office of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) to be located in the Municipality of Maayon, in the 1st District of the Province of Capiz;

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Department of Transportation shall immediately include in the department's program, the operationalization of the LTO-Maayon District Office in the Province of Capiz, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,