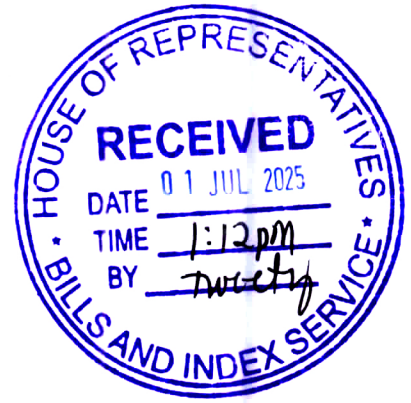


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HOUSE BILL NO. 795



Introduced by: **REP. TOBIAS "TOBY" M. TIANGCO**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to declare the sixteenth (16th) of January of every year as a special non-working holiday in the City of Navotas to commemorate its foundation day anniversary.

Prior to the passage of Republic Act No. 9387 known as an Act Converting the Municipality of Navotas into a Highly Urbanized City to be known as the City of Navotas, which was approved on 10 March 2007, and even as early 1906, the City of Navotas has been commemorating its foundation day every January 16. Each year, prior to its celebration, members of the community, residents and businessmen alike, inquire with the City Government of Navotas if the 16th of January is a special holiday. Their query is meritorious considering that the declaration of a holiday will affect business operations, classes, and work within the City.

To put an end to these uncertainties, and to allow the people of the City of Navotas to celebrate and commemorate its foundation day anniversary.

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

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AN ACT
DECLARING JANUARY 16 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING
HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF NAVOTAS IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS
FOUNDATION ANNIVERSARY

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

SECTION 1. January 16 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working holiday in the City of Navotas in commemoration its foundation anniversary.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,