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HOUSE BILL NO. 1069



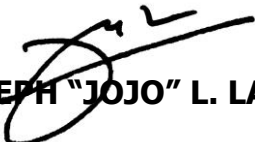
Introduced by **HON. JOSEPH "JOJO" L. LARA**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to recognize the importance of the Municipality of Amulung's founding anniversary by declaring December 15 of every year a special nonworking holiday in the Municipality of Amulung, Province of Cagayan to remind the residents of their Municipality's heritage and origin and enable all its residents to acknowledge and celebrate it annually.

The Municipality of Amulung got its name from the amulung plant, a type of vine with fig-like leaves, used for reducing swelling, which lay in abundance in the outlying woods of the community back in the day. It is one of seven (7) city/municipalities comprising the Third Legislative District, Province of Cagayan. It is a 2nd class municipality composed of forty-seven (47) barangays located approximately 24.5 kilometers from Tuguegarao City, the provincial capital, and has an estimated population of 50,284 as of the 2020 Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) census. The municipality has a land area of 264.51 square kilometers or 102.13 square miles which constitutes 2.81% of Cagayan's total area.

In lieu of the foregoing, the passage of this bill is sought.


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HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF AMULUNG, PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN,
IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY

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

SECTION 1. December 15 of every year is hereby declared a special nonworking holiday in the Municipality of Amulung, Province of Cagayan, in commemoration of its founding anniversary

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

Approved,