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House Bill No. 1101



**Introduced by Representative
LEODY “ODIE” F. TARRIELA**

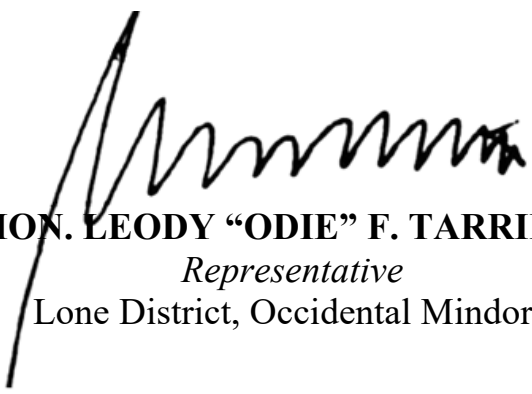
EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to re-nationalize the San Jose District Hospital situated within the Municipality of San Jose, Occidental Mindoro from the Local Government Unit (LGU) to the National Government. Pursuant to the Constitutional mandate of the State to protect and promote the right to health of every citizen, as well as make essential goods, social services and most importantly, access to affordable healthcare for all, this Act shall mandate the San Jose District Hospital to be placed under the direct control, management, and supervision of the Department of Health (DOH).

In the Province of Occidental Mindoro, the delivery of public health services in the province is made through the operation of various public health facilities like government hospitals, municipal health centers and rural health units. At present, the San Jose District Hospital serves as the main go-to place for residents of other municipalities in need of medical treatment. While the LGU has its full support in the management of the hospital, the LGU cannot further upgrade and accommodate all the needs of the hospital due to its limited budget. The supervision of the national

government to San Jose District Hospital will assure its continuous fund and aid, and unburden the LGU of the costs of running the hospital.

In this respect, the immediate consideration and passage of this bill is earnestly requested.



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AN ACT
RE-NATIONALIZING SAN JOSE DISTRICT
HOSPITAL LOCATED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF
SAN JOSE, PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO,
PLACING IT UNDER THE DIRECT CONTROL,
MANAGEMENT, AND SUPERVISION OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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

SECTION 1. *Re-nationalization of San Jose District Hospital*—The San Jose District Hospital in the Province of Occidental Mindoro is hereby re-nationalized; increasing its operating fund, upgrading its medical equipment and facilities; and constructing the needed infrastructure under the direct control, management, and supervision of the Department of Health.

SECTION 2. *Declaration of Policy*-- It is hereby declared policy of the State that it shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them. Further, the state shall adopt an integrated and

comprehensive approach to health development which shall endeavor to make essential goods, health and other social services available to all the people at affordable cost.

SECTION 3. *Objectives* – The objective of this Act is to adopt an integrated and comprehensive quality health services that will cater indigent patients in the eleven (11) municipalities of Province of Occidental Mindoro as well as its other neighboring municipalities and provinces.

SECTION 4. *Implementing Rules and Regulations* – For the purpose of compliance of this Act, the Department of Health shall promulgate necessary rules and regulations for the effective implementation of this Act.

SECTION 5. *Appropriations* – The amount necessary for the effective implementation of this Act shall be charged against the current year's appropriations for the organizational adjustment fund. Thereafter, such amount as may be necessary for its continued operation shall be included in the Annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 6. *Separability Clause* – If any portion or provision of this Act is declared unconstitutional, the remainder of this Act or any provision not affected thereby shall remain in force and effect.

SECTION 7. *Repealing Clause* – All laws, executive orders, decrees, issuances, rules and regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 8. *Effectivity-* This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

APPROVED,