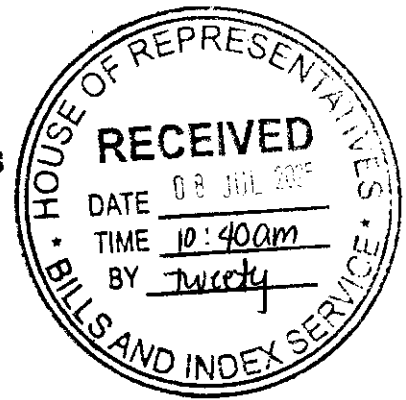


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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

The bill seeks to convert Southwoods Avenue in the City of Carmona into a national road.

Carmona City, located in the province of Cavite, is a rapidly developing economic hub in the CALABARZON region. It is dubbed as the gateway of the Province of Cavite to and from Metro Manila and other provinces. The city is home to several industrial estates and business parks, including the Carmona Business Park and the People's Technology Complex, which host more than two hundred local and multinational companies in manufacturing, electronics, and logistics sectors. It is also a host to a number of high-class amusement centers which include Manila Southwoods Golf and Country Club, Carmona Go-Kart Racing Circuit, among others.

The increasing number of business establishments and residential communities is a clear indicator of its booming economy which resulted to the surge in population growth in the city. The current road infrastructure, while functional, is becoming insufficient to support the increasing flow of goods, services, and people. At present, the Trece-Dasmariñas-Carmona Road (Governor's Drive) serves as the main arterial road of the city. Considering that such road is highly congested, there is a need to develop additional national roads. Such conversion shall benefit not only the City of Carmona but the Province of Cavite as well in maximizing its potential for growth and progress.

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



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**CONVERTING THE SOUTHWOODS AVENUE IN THE CITY OF**  
**CARMONA, PROVINCE OF CAVITE INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND**  
**APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

1       **SECTION 1.** The Southwoods Avenue in the City of Carmona, Province  
2 of Cavite is hereby converted into a national road.

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4       **SEC. 2.** The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and  
5 Highways (DPWH) shall issue the necessary rules, orders and circulars to  
6 implement the provision of this Act.

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8       **SEC. 3.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication  
9 in a newspaper of general circulation.

*Approved,*