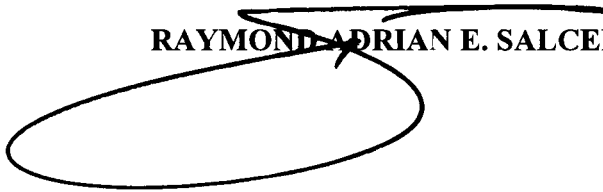


The declaration of “Araw ng Polangui” is likewise expected to contribute to local tourism and economic development. Annual celebrations attract visitors, stimulate commercial activity,

create opportunities for local enterprises, and highlight the municipality's unique attractions and contributions to the province. In doing so, such observances generate both economic and social benefits for the community.

Recognizing the founding anniversary of the Municipality of Polangui through a special non-working holiday is therefore a fitting tribute to its history, accomplishments, and continuing contributions to nation-building. It is likewise an affirmation of the important role played by local communities in preserving the country's cultural heritage and fostering inclusive development.

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


RAYMOND ADRIAN E. SALCEDA

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HOUSE BILL NO. 9685

Introduced by **Representative RAYMOND ADRIAN E. SALCEDA**

AN ACT
DECLARING JUNE 29 OF EVERY YEAR AS “ARAW NG POLANGUI,”
A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF POLANGUI,
PROVINCE OF ALBAY

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

SECTION 1. June 29 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working holiday in the Municipality of Polangui, Province of Albay, in commemoration of its founding 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,