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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 216



Submitted by the Committees on Transportation and Appropriations on
March 17, 2026

Re : House Bill No. 8611

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 2725

Sponsors : Representatives Franz S. Pumaren, Mikaela Angela B.
Suansing, and Gerardo "Gerryboy" J. Espina, Jr.

Mr. Speaker:

The Committees on Transportation and Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 2725, introduced by Rep. Gerardo "Gerryboy" J. Espina, Jr., entitled:

"AN ACT
UPGRADING THE DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE LAND TRANSPORTATION
OFFICE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NAVAL, PROVINCE OF BILIRAN, FROM
CLASS "D" TO CLASS "B" AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

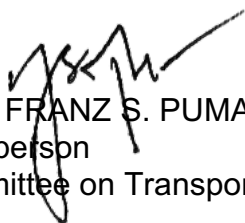
have considered the same and recommend the approval of the attached House Bill No.
8611, entitled:

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in substitution of House Bill No. 2725, with Representatives Gerardo "Gerryboy" J. Espina, Jr., Franz S. Pumaren, and Mikaela Angela B. Suansing as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,


HON. MIKAELA ANGELA B. SUANSING
Chairperson
Committee on Appropriations


HON. FRANZ S. PUMAREN
Chairperson
Committee on Transportation

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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House Bill No. 8611
(In substitution of House Bill No. 2725)

Introduced by Representatives Gerardo “Gerryboy” J. Espina, Jr., Franz S. Pumaren,
and Mikaela Angela B. Suansing

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

1 SECTION 1. The district office of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) in the
2 Municipality of Naval, Province of Biliran is hereby upgraded from a Class “D” to a Class
3 “B” district office.

4 SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Department of Transportation shall immediately
5 include in the Department’s program the upgrading of the LTO district office in the
6 Municipality of Naval, Province of Biliran, the initial funding of which shall be charged
7 against the current year’s appropriation of the existing LTO district office in the
8 Municipality of Naval, Province of Biliran. Thereafter, the funding of which shall be
9 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

10 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official*
11 *Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

12 Approved,