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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 238

Submitted by the Committees on Transportation and Appropriations on
March 24, 2026

Re : House Bill No. 8723

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 4563

Sponsors : Representatives Franz S. Pumaren, Mikaela Angela B.
Suansing, and Richard I. Gomez, DPA

Mr. Speaker:

The Committees on Transportation and Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 4563, introduced by Rep. Richard I. Gomez, DPA, entitled:

“AN ACT
UPGRADING THE DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE LAND TRANSPORTATION
OFFICE IN THE CITY OF ORMOC, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, FROM A CLASS
“D” TO A CLASS “A” DISTRICT OFFICE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR”

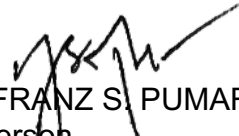
have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 8723,
entitled:

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be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 4563, with Representatives Richard I. Gomez, DPA, 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. 8723
(In substitution of House Bill No. 4563)

Introduced by Representatives Richard I. Gomez, DPA, Franz S. Pumaren, and Mikaela
Angela B. Suansing

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THE CITY OF ORMOC, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, FROM A CLASS “D” TO A CLASS
“A” DISTRICT OFFICE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

*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 City
2 of Ormoc, Province of Leyte, is hereby upgraded from a Class “D” to a Class “A” district
3 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 City
6 of Ormoc, Province of Leyte, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the
7 current year’s appropriations of the existing LTO district office in the City of Ormoc,
8 Province of Leyte. Thereafter, the funding of which shall be included in the annual
9 General Appropriations Act.

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

12 Approved,