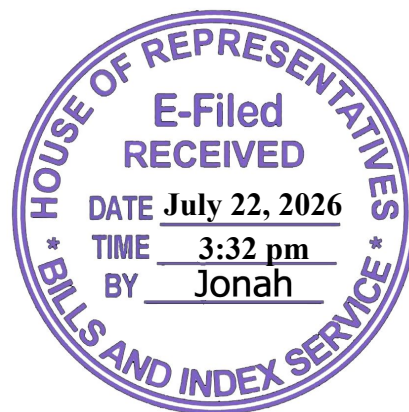




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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 507

Submitted by the Committee on Local Government on July 22, 2026

Re: House Bill No. 10181

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 1277

Sponsors: Representatives Florencio T. Miraflores and Bernadette G. Escudero

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Local Government to which was referred **House Bill No. 1277**, introduced by Representative Bernadette G. Escudero, entitled:

**“AN ACT DECLARING OCTOBER 17 OF EVERY YEAR AS A SPECIAL
NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SORSOGON, IN
COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY”**

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Bill No. 10181, entitled:

**“AN ACT DECLARING OCTOBER 17 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL
NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SORSOGON, IN
COMMEMORATION OF ITS FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY”**

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 1277 with Representatives Bernadette G. Escudero and Florencio T. Miraflores as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,


FLORENCIO T. MIRAFLORES
Chairperson
Committee on Local Government

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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HOUSE BILL NO. 10181
(In substitution of House Bill No. 1277)

Introduced by **Representatives Bernadette G. Escudero and Florencio T. Miraflores**

AN ACT
DECLARING OCTOBER 17 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING
HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SORSOGON, IN COMMEMORATION OF ITS
FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY

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

1 **SECTION 1.** October 17 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working
2 holiday in the Province of Sorsogon, in commemoration of its founding anniversary, to honor
3 its establishment and celebrate its progress and achievements.
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5 **SEC. 2.** The Provincial Government of Sorsogon shall ensure the meaningful
6 observance of the holiday through appropriate programs and activities, in coordination with
7 relevant government agencies and stakeholders, to promote awareness of its historical, cultural,
8 and social significance.
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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.
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14 Approved,