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Introduced by Rep. **ARNOLFO A. TEVES, JR.**

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**RESOLUTION**


**URGING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO INQUIRE IN AID OF LEGISLATION MATTER CONCERNING THE DISGRACEFUL AND INHUMANE CONDUCT DISPLAYED BY POLICE CHIEF INSPECTOR (PCI) VARIE VILLANOBOS, CHIEF OF POLICE, SIATON, NEGROS ORIENTAL IN THE TREATMENT OF A LOCAL MOTORIST**

**WHEREAS**, in January of this year, a cellphone video went viral on social media regarding an incident where one motorist was ordered to kneel down and push his ear near the muffler of his own motorcycle.

**WHEREAS**, said viral cellphone video earned the ire of netizens for the cruel, inhumane, and degrading conduct exhibited by a police officer. Verification later on revealed that the police officer concerned is one PCI Varie Villanobos, Chief of Police, Siaton, Negros Oriental. Subsequently, it was learned that Police Provincial Director Henry Biñas relieved Villanobos from his post, and transferred the latter to the office of the Provincial Director at NORPPO, Sibulan, Negros Oriental, while investigation was ongoing.

**WHEREFORE**, it was later on revealed that PCI Varie Villanobos has returned to his post without any explanation as to the result/status of the investigation conducted against him. Recent information disclosed that PCI Varie Villanobos, upon returning to his post conducted operations against the operation of STL Operations duly sanctioned by the PCSO while allowing illegal activities to thrive unabated.

**WHEREFORE, RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** for the House of Representatives' Committee on Public Order and Safety to inquire in aid of legislation rules pertaining to the assignment and detail of police officers charged or under investigation for offenses that bring about disrepute to the police force, and to come out with legislation, if necessary, for the foregoing purposes.

  
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