Committee Report No. 649

Submitted by the Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations on Dec 9, 2020

Re: House Bill No. 8194

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 3066


Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 3066, introduced by Rep. Alfonso V. Umali, Jr., entitled:

AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE ROXAS DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO FROM FIFTY (50) TO ONE HUNDRED (100) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT 7857

have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 8194 entitled:

AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE ROXAS DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO FROM FIFTY (50) TO ONE HUNDRED (100) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 3066 and with Reps. Alfonso V. Umali, Jr. and Joy Myra S. Tambunting as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted:

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The Honorable Speaker
House of Representatives
Quezon City
Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
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HOUSE BILL NO. 8194
(In substitution of House Bill No. 3066)

Introduced by Representatives Alfonso V. Umali, Jr. and Joy Myra S. Tambunting

AN ACT
INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE ROXAS DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO FROM FIFTY (50) TO ONE HUNDRED (100) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. The bed capacity of the Roxas District Hospital (RDH) in the Municipality of Roxas, Province of Oriental Mindoro is hereby increased from fifty (50) to one hundred (100) beds. Any future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent with the hospital development plan that shall be prepared by the Chief of Hospital of the RDH and submitted to the Department of Health (DOH).

SEC. 2. The existing professional health care services and facilities of the RDH are hereby upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for in Section 1 hereof.

SEC. 3. The existing workforce of the RDH, which includes doctors, nurses, and support personnel, shall also be increased correspondingly.

SEC. 4. The Provincial Government of Oriental Mindoro shall provide the necessary funds to cover the maintenance and other operating expenses of the RDH. It shall also appropriate funds for the additional human resource complement to support the increase in bed capacity and the corresponding upgrading of its service facilities and professional health care services.

SEC. 5. The Secretary of the DOH shall include in the Department’s subsidy program support for the capital outlay requirements of the RDH.

SEC. 6. If any provision or part of this Act is declared unconstitutional, the remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

SEC. 7. All laws, executive orders, issuances, rules and regulations, inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SEC. 8. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,