COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 704

Submitted by the Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations on DEC 1 6 2020

Re: House Bill No. 8270

Recommend its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 7146


Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 7146, introduced by Rep. Kristine Singson-Meehan, entitled:

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TERTIARY HOSPITAL UNDER THE CONTROL, SUPERVISION, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE CITY OF CANDON, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR TO BE KNOWN AS THE ILOCOS SUR MEDICAL CENTER, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 8270 entitled:

AN ACT ESTABLISHING IN THE CITY OF CANDON, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR, A TERTIARY HOSPITAL, TO BE KNOWN AS THE ILOCOS SUR MEDICAL CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR


Respectfully submitted:

HON. ERIC GO YAP
Chairperson
Committee on Appropriations

HON. ANGELINA “Helen” D.L. TAN, M.D.
Chairperson
Committee on Health

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
QUEZON CITY
Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
Second Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 8270
(In substitution of House Bill No. 7146)

Introduced by Hon. Kristine Singson-Meehan

AN ACT
ESTABLISHING IN THE CITY OF CANDON, PROVINCE OF ILOCOS SUR, A TERTIARY HOSPITAL, TO BE KNOWN AS THE ILOCOS SUR MEDICAL CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. There shall be established in the City of Candon, Province of Ilocos Sur a tertiary hospital, to be known as the Ilocos Sur Medical Center, which shall be under the direct control and supervision of the Department of Health (DOH).

SEC. 2. The DOH shall develop a hospital development plan to define the service capacity, developmental goals and targets of the hospital. Any future increase in bed capacity and upgrading of health care facilities, service capability, and human resource complement shall be based on the hospital development plan.

SEC. 3. The DOH shall consult the local government units in the Province of Ilocos Sur and the City of Candon, and the other stakeholders in determining the site of the hospital.

SEC. 4. The Secretary of Health shall immediately include in the Department’s program the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 5. 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. 6. All laws, executive orders, issuances, rules and regulations, inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.
SEC. 7. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,