COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 799

Submitted by the Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations on MAR 04 2021

Re: House Bill No. 3886

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 5501


Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 5501, introduced by Rep. Ma. Angelica Amante-Matba, entitled:

AN ACT CONVERTING THE AGUSAN DEL NORTE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN BUTUAN CITY, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE INTO A LEVEL III TEACHING AND TRAINING HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE AGUSAN DEL NORTE GENERAL HOSPITAL AND TRAINING CENTER AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 3886 entitled:

AN ACT CONVERTING THE AGUSAN DEL NORTE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN THE CITY OF BUTUAN, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE, INTO A LEVEL III TEACHING AND TRAINING HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE AGUSAN DEL NORTE GENERAL HOSPITAL AND TRAINING CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR


Respectfully submitted:

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THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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HOUSE BILL NO. 8886
(In substitution of House Bill No. 5501)

Introduced by Representative Ma. Angelica M. Amante-Matba

AN ACT
CONVERTING THE AGUSAN DEL NORTE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL IN THE CITY OF
BUTUAN, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE, INTO A LEVEL III TEACHING AND
TRAINING HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE AGUSAN DEL NORTE GENERAL
HOSPITAL AND TRAINING CENTER, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. The Agusan Del Norte Provincial Hospital in the City of Butuan,
Province of Agusan Del Norte is hereby converted into a Level III Teaching and Training
Hospital to be known as the Agusan Del Norte General Hospital and Training Center,
which shall be under the direct supervision and control of the Department of Health
(DOH).

SEC. 2. The authorized bed capacity of Agusan Del Norte General Hospital and
Training Center shall be increased from one hundred (100) to three hundred (300) beds.
Any future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent with the hospital development plan
that shall be prepared by the Medical Center Chief of Agusan Del Norte General Hospital
and Training Center and submitted to the DOH.

SEC. 3. The existing professional health care services and facilities of the Agusan
Del Norte General Hospital and Training Center shall also be upgraded to conform with
and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for in Section 2 hereof.

SEC. 4. The existing workforce of the Agusan Del Norte General Hospital and
Training Center, which includes doctors, nurses, and support personnel, shall be
increased correspondingly.

SEC. 5. The Secretary of the DOH shall, after consultation with the Chief of the
Agusan Del Norte General Hospital and Training Center, and in coordination with the
Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) and the Commissioner of the Civil Service Commission, determine the additional new positions to be created and filled up.

SEC. 6. The DBM shall, in consultation with the DOH and the Provincial Government of Agusan Del Norte, determine the cost of the renationalized functions relative to the operations of the Agusan Del Norte General Hospital and Training Center, from the current Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) of the Province of Agusan Del Norte. Thereafter, such amount shall be allocated to the DOH, chargeable against the IRA of the Provincial Government of Agusan Del Norte.

SEC. 7. The Secretary of the DOH shall immediately include in the Department’s programs the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 8. 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. 9. All laws, decrees, executive orders, and other presidential issuance which are inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

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

Approved,