Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Justice, to which was referred House Bill No. 8038, introduced by Representative Anthony Peter “Onyx” D. Crisologo, entitled:

“AN ACT
GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO GUO LINLIN”

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Bill No. 9308 entitled:

“AN ACT
GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO LINLIN GUO”

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 8038, with Representatives Anthony Peter “Onyx” D. Crisologo, Enrico A. Pineda and Vicente “Ching” S. E. Veloso III as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

VICENTE “CHING” S. E. VELOSO III
Chairperson
Committee on Justice

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
QUEZON CITY
AN ACT
GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO LINLIN GUO

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

SECTION 1. Ms. Linlin Guo is hereby granted Philippine citizenship with all the rights, privileges and prerogatives, as well as the duties and obligations appurtenant thereto under the Constitution and the laws of the Republic of the Philippines.

SEC. 2. Ms. Linlin Guo shall take the Oath of Allegiance to the Republic of the Philippines before an officer duly authorized to administer the same. The Oath of Allegiance shall be registered with the Bureau of Immigration.

SEC. 3. Upon registration of the Oath of Allegiance, the Bureau of Immigration shall issue a Certificate of Naturalization to Ms. Linlin Guo who shall thereupon enter into the full enjoyment of Philippine citizenship.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,
House of Representatives
Committee Affairs Department

FACT SHEET

House Bill No. 9308
(in substitution of House Bill No. 8038)
(Approved by the Committee on March 4, 2021)

“AN ACT GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO LINLIN GUO”

Introduced by: Rep. ANTHONY PETER “ONYX” D. CRISOLOGO
Committee Referral: COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE
Committee Chairperson: REP. VICENTE “CHING” S.E. VELOSO III

OBJECTIVE:

- To grant Philippine citizenship to Ms. Linlin Guo, a national of the People’s Republic of China, in recognition of her contributions to the country, considering that:
  - she has resided in the Philippines for fifteen (15) years, beginning when she arrived in 2005 to visit different tourist spots in the country;
  - she enrolled at the Ateneo de Manila University – Makati City, pursued a Master's degree in Business Administration and was able to finish the courses in the curriculum;
  - she is an incorporator of Green Energy Innovative Philippines, Inc. (GEIPI), a domestic corporation engaged in the construction of renewable energy resources, and is presently a member of the corporation's Board of Directors and holds the position of Finance Officer;
  - she enjoyed the friendship and camaraderie of Filipinos which have motivated her to stay for good in the country, which she now considers as her new home; and
  - her continued stay in the Philippines and her decision to invest and work here demonstrate her sincere desire to become a Filipino citizen.

KEY PROVISIONS:

- Grants Philippine citizenship to Ms. Linlin Guo with all the rights, privileges and prerogatives, as well as the duties and obligations, appurtenant thereto.

- Provides that upon the taking the Oath of Allegiance to the Republic of the Philippines before an officer duly authorized for this purpose, and registration of the same with the Bureau of Immigration, and the issuance to her of the Certificate of Naturalization, Ms. Guo shall enter upon the full enjoyment of Philippine citizenship.

RELATED LAWS:
- Section 1(4), Article IV of the 1987 Constitution