COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1070

Submitted by the Committee on Suffrage and Electoral Reforms and Committee on Appropriations on July 6, 2021.

Re: House Bill No. 9786

Recommending the approval in substitution of House Bill Number 8284

Sponsors: Representatives Juliet Marie de Leon Ferrer, Eric Go Yap, Dan S. Fernandez and Marlyn B. Alonte

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Suffrage and Electoral Reforms and Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 8284 introduced by Reps. Dan S. Fernandez and Marlyn B. Alonte, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF ELECTION OF THE ELECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LAGUNA REPRESENTING THE CITIES OF SAN PEDRO, STA. ROSA AND BIÑAN”

have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 9786, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF ELECTION OF THE ELECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LAGUNA REPRESENTING THE CITIES OF SAN PEDRO, STA. ROSA AND BIÑAN”

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 8284, with Representatives Dan S. Fernandez, Marlyn B. Alonte Juliet Marie de Leon Ferrer and Eric Go Yap as the authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,
HON. ERIC GO YAP
Chairperson
Committee on Appropriations

HON. JULIET MARIE DE LEON FERRER
Chairperson
Committee on Suffrage and Electoral Reforms
AN ACT
PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF ELECTION OF THE ELECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LAGUNA REPRESENTING THE CITIES OF SAN PEDRO, STA. ROSA AND BIÑAN

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

SECTION 1. The cities of San Pedro, Sta. Rosa and Biñan, all in the Province of Laguna, shall each be entitled to one (1) Member of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan. In the next national and local elections after the effectivity of this Act, qualified voters in the said cities shall vote separately for one (1) Member of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan.

SEC. 2. The amount necessary for the implementation of this Act shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 3. Within thirty (30) days from the effectivity of this Act, the Commission on Elections shall promulgate the rules and regulations for the implementation of this Act.

SEC. 4. All laws, presidential decrees, executive orders, presidential proclamations, rules and regulations, or parts thereof which are contrary to and inconsistent with any provision of this Act, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,
AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF ELECTION OF THE ELECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LAGUNA REPRESENTING THE CITIES OF SAN PEDRO, STA. ROSA AND BIÑAN

Introduced by: REPS. DAN S. FERNANDEZ, MARLYN B. ALONTE, JULIET MARIE DE LEON FERRER & ERIC GO YAP

Committee Referral: COMMITTEE ON SUFFRAGE AND ELECTORAL REFORMS
Committee Chairperson: REP. JULIET MARIE DE LEON FERRER

OBJECTIVE:

- To allow the cities of San Pedro, Sta. Rosa and Biñan to elect one (1) member each for the Sangguniang Panlalawigan.

KEY PROVISION:

- Mandates that qualified voters in the cities of San Pedro, Sta. Rosa and Biñan shall vote for one (1) Member of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan separately.

RELATED LAWS:

- 1987 Philippine Constitution

- Republic Act No. 6636, “An Act Resetting the Local Elections from November 9, 1987 to January 18, 1988, Amending for this Purpose Executive Order Numbered Two Hundred And Seventy”


- Republic Act. No. 10658, “An Act Separating the City of Biñan from the First Legislative District of the Province of Laguna to Constitute the Lone Legislative District of the City of Biñan”

- Republic Act No. 11395, “An Act Separating the City of Santa Rosa from the First Legislative District of the Province of Laguna to Constitute the Lone Legislative District of the City of Santa Rosa”