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CALL TO ORDER

At 4:00 p.m., Deputy Speaker Pia S. Cayetano called the session to order.

NATIONAL ANTHEM AND PRAYER

Pursuant to Section 73, Rule XI of the amended Provisional Rules of the House, the Members sang the National Anthem and thereafter, observed a minute of silent prayer.

ROLL CALL

Thereupon, on motion of Rep. Arnel U. Ty, there being no objection, the Chair directed the Secretary General to call the Roll and the following Members were present:

Abayon
Abellanosa
Abueg
Acharon
Acop
Acosta
Acosta-Alba
Aggabao
Albano
Alejano
Almario
Almonte
Alonte
Alvarez (F.)
Alvarez (P.)
Amatong
Andaya
Angara-Castillo
Antonino
Aquino-Magsaysay
Aragones
Arcillas
Arenas
Atienza
Baguilat
Barbers
Barzaga
Bataoil
Batocabe
Bautista-Bandigan
Belaro
Belmonte (J.C.)
Belmonte (R.)

Bernos
Bertiz
Biazon
Bolilia
Bondoc
Bordado
Bravo (A.)
Bravo (M.V.)
Brosas
Bulut-Begtang
Cagas
Calalang
Calderon
Calixto-Rubiano
Caminero
Campos
Canama
Cari
Casilao
Castelo
Castro (F.L.)
Catamco
Cayetano
Celeste
Cerafica
Cerilles
Chavez
Chipeco
Cortes
Cortuna
Cosalan
Crisologo
Cuaresma
Cueva
Dalipe
Datol
Daza
De Jesus
de Venecia
De Vera
Defensor
Del Mar
Deloso-Montalla
Dimaporo (A.)
Dimaporo (M.K.)
Durano
Elago
Enverga
Erice
Eriguel
Ermita-Buhain
Escudero

Espino	Montoro
Eusebio	Nava
Evardone	Nieto
Fariñas	Noel
Fernando	Nolasco
Ferrer (J.)	Nuñez-Malanyaon
Ferriol-Pascual	Ocampo
Floirendo	Ong (E.)
Flores	Ong (H.)
Fortun	Ortega (P.)
Fortuno	Ortega (V.N.)
Fuentebella	Pacquiao
Garbin	Paduano
Garcia (G.)	Palma
Garcia (J.E.)	Pancho
Garcia-Albano	Papandayan
Garin (R.)	Pimentel
Garin (S.)	Pineda
Gasataya	Plaza
Gatchalian	Primicias-Agabas
Go (A.C.)	Quimbo
Go (M.)	Ramirez-Sato
Gomez	Relampagos
Gonzaga	Revilla
Gonzales (A.P.)	Roa-Puno
Gonzales (A.D.)	Robes
Gullas	Rocamora
Hernandez	Rodriguez (I.)
Herrera-Dy	Rodriguez (M.)
Hofer	Roman
Jalosjos	Romero
Kho	Romualdo
Khonghun	Sacdalan
Labadlabad	Sahali
Lacson	Salimbangon
Lagman	Salo
Lanete	Sambar
Lee	Sandoval
Limkaichong	Sangcopan
Lopez (B.)	Santos-Recto
Lopez (C.)	Sarmiento (C.)
Lopez (M.L.)	Sarmiento (E.M.)
Loyola	Savellano
Macapagal-Arroyo	Sema
Madrona	Siao
Malapitan	Silverio
Manalo	Singson
Mangaoang	Suarez
Marcoleta	Tambunting
Marcos	Tan (A.)
Mariño	Tan (M.)
Marquez	Tejada
Martinez	Teves
Matugas	Tiangco
Mellana	Ting
Mending	Tinio
Mercado	Tolentino
Mirasol	Treñas

Ty
Umali
Unabia
Ungab
Unico
Uy (J.)
Uy (R.)
Uybarreta
Vargas-Alfonso
Velarde
Velasco-Catera
Velo
Vergara
Villafuerte
Villanueva
Villaraza-Suarez
Villarica
Villarin
Violago
Yap (A.)
Yap (M.)
Yu
Zamora (M.C.)
Zamora (R.)
Zubiri

AN INTEGRATED LAND TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

By Representative Mariño

TO THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

House Bill No. 7031, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY PANGAYLAN-IP IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTIAGO, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE”

By Representative Amante

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

House Bill No. 7032, entitled:

“AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY CROSSING IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KITCHARAO, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE”

By Representative Amante

TO THE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

With 226 Members responding to the Call, the Chair declared the presence of a quorum. (See Appendix)

DEFERMENT OF THE APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

On motion of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body deferred the approval of the Journal of the previous session.

REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body proceeded to the Reference of Business.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read on First Reading the titles of the following Bills, including a Communication and Committee Reports, which were referred to the appropriate Committees or consigned to the Archives as hereunder indicated:

BILLS ON FIRST READING

House Bill No. 7029, entitled:

“AN ACT PROVIDING A MECHANISM TO STRENGTHEN THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE, PROVIDING FOR

COMMUNICATION

Letter dated January 16, 2018 of Salvador C. Medialdea, Executive Secretary, Office of the President, Malacañang, transmitting two (2) original copies of Republic Act No. 10968 which was signed by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PHILIPPINE QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK (PQF), ESTABLISHING THE PQF-NATIONAL COORDINATING COUNCIL (NCC) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

TO THE ARCHIVES

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report by the Committee on Health and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 583), re H.B. No. 7037, entitled:

“AN ACT CONVERTING THE DINAIG MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ODIN SINSUAT, PROVINCE OF MAGUINDANAO, INTO A FIFTY-BED CAPACITY DISTRICT HOSPITAL TO BE NOW KNOWN AS THE DATU ODIN SINSUAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL, UPGRADING ITS FACILITIES AND PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE, AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE OF ITS MEDICAL PERSONNEL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 96

Sponsors: Representatives Tan (A.), Sema and Nograles (K.A.)

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report by the Committee on Revision of Laws (Committee Report No. 584), re H.B. No. 7044, entitled:

“AN ACT DECLARING JUNE 18 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD, PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'BACOLOD CITY CHARTER DAY', IN COMMEMORATION OF THE DAY PRESIDENT MANUEL L. QUEZON SIGNED AND APPROVED INTO EFFECT COMMONWEALTH ACT NO. 326 CREATING THE CITY OF BACOLOD”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 5875

Sponsors: Representatives Primicias-Agabas and Gasataya

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report by the Committee on Energy and the Committee on Appropriations (Committee Report No. 585), re H.B. No. 7054, entitled:

“AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES EMERGENCY AND RESILIENCY FUND,

PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS
THEREFOR”

recommending its approval in substitution of House Bills Numbered 3353, 4408 and 5167

Sponsors: Representatives Uybarreta, Batacabe, Singson, Savellano, Noel, De Vera, Lacson, Romero, Salon, Panotes, Pineda, Bertiz, Nograles (J.J.), Herrera-Dy, Bravo (A.), Co, Garbin, Abayon, Belmonte (R.), Suansing (E.), Velasco, Nograles (K.A.), Roque (R.), Ramos, Acosta, Palma, Bolilia, Cerilles, Dy, Vergara, Sambar, Zarate, Arenas, Tejada, Velasco-Catera, Villaraza-Suarez, Zamora (M.C.), Sandoval, Del Mar, Duavit, Cuaresma, Vargas, Pimentel, Caminero, Alejano, Zubiri, Go (M.), Rodriguez (M.), Montoro, Bataoil and Manalo

TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

**BUSINESS FOR THE DAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 500
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 6754**

On successive motions of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6754, as contained in Committee Report No. 500 and submitted by the Committee on Legislative Franchises, renewing the franchise granted to Ultrasonic Broadcasting System Incorporated under Republic Act (R.A.) No. 8081; dispensed with the reading of the text of the Bill without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; adopted the Explanatory Note of the Bill as the sponsorship remarks on the measure, on motion of Rep. Franz E. Alvarez, Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of Committee and individual amendments; and approved House Bill No. 6754 on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

**BUSINESS FOR THE DAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 552
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 6913**

On successive motions of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6913, as contained in Committee Report No. 552 and submitted by the Committee on Legislative Franchises, renewing the franchise granted to Radio Marine Network, Incorporated, under R.A. No. 4607, as amended by R.A. No. 7512; dispensed with the reading of the text of

the Bill without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; as concurred by Representative Alvarez (F.), Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee, adopted the Explanatory Note of the Bill as the sponsorship remarks on the measure; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; and thereafter, in the absence of Committee amendments, proceeded to the period of individual amendments.

AMENDMENTS OF REPRESENTATIVE ROMUALDO

On motion of Rep. Xavier Jesus D. Romualdo, and accepted by the Sponsor, there being no objection, the Body approved the former's amendments on pages 1 and 2 of House Bill No. 6913.

TERMINATION OF THE PERIOD OF INDIVIDUAL AMENDMENTS

There being no other individual amendments, on motion of Rep. Arthur R. Defensor Jr., there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of individual amendments.

APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6913, AS AMENDED

Subsequently, on motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 6913, as amended, through *viva voce* voting.

BUSINESS FOR THE DAY: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 553 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 6914

On successive motions of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6914 as contained in Committee Report No. 553 and reported out by the Committee on Legislative Franchises, extending for another twenty-five (25) years the franchise granted to Peñafrancia Broadcasting Corporation under R.A. No. 8166; dispensed with the reading of the text thereof without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; adopted the Explanatory Note as the sponsorship remarks on the measure upon the request of Representative Alvarez (F.), Chairperson of the sponsoring Committee; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of Committee and individual amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

BUSINESS FOR THE DAY: COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 570 ON HOUSE BILL NO. 6938

On successive motions of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 6938 as contained in Committee Report No. 570 and reported out by the Committee on Transportation, providing for the special protection of child passengers in motor vehicles; dispensed with the reading of the text thereof without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; inserted into the Record of the House the sponsorship speech to be submitted by Rep. Mariano Michael M. Velarde Jr., author of the measure; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of amendments in the absence of Committee and individual amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting.

OMNIBUS APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF CERTAIN HOUSE BILLS UNDER THE BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

On successive motions of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading the following House Bills calendared under the Business for Thursday and Friday, as contained in various Committee Reports and submitted by the Committees hereunder indicated; dispensed with the reading of the texts of the measures without prejudice to their insertion into the Record of the House; adopted the Explanatory Notes as the sponsorship remarks on the measures; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; approved the amendments as contained in the Committee Reports, if any; terminated the period of amendments; and approved the same on Second Reading through *viva voce* voting:

1. House Bill No. 4115, as contained in Committee Report No. 574 and submitted by the Committees on Natural Resources, and Appropriations, establishing the final forestland boundary of the province of Siquijor; and
2. House Bill No. 6995, as contained in Committee Report No. 575 and submitted by the Committees on Higher and Technical Education, and Appropriations, converting the Camarines Sur Institute of Fisheries and Marine Sciences (CASIFMAS) – Ragay Campus located in Ragay, Camarines Sur into a TESDA-supervised school to be known as Ragay Polytechnic Skills Institute.

**BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 577
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 7007**

On successive motions of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body considered on Second Reading House Bill No. 7007 as embodied in Committee Report No. 577 and reported out by the Committees on Higher and Technical Education, Appropriations, and Ways and Means, converting the Davao Oriental State College of Science and Technology in Mati City and all its satellite campuses in Davao Oriental into a State University, integrating therewith the Governor Generoso College of Arts, Science and Technology in Governor Generoso, Davao Oriental; dispensed with the reading of the text of the measure without prejudice to its insertion into the Record of the House; as concurred by Rep. Ann K. Hofer, Chairperson of the Committee on Higher and Technical Education, adopted the Explanatory Note of the Bill as the sponsorship remarks on the measure; terminated the period of sponsorship and debate; terminated the period of Committee amendments in the absence of Committee amendments, and thereafter, proceeded to the period of individual amendments.

**AMENDMENTS OF
REPRESENTATIVE ALMARIO**

On motion of Rep. Joel Mayo Z. Almario, and accepted by the Sponsor, there being no objection, the Body approved the former's amendments on pages 1, 7, 8, and 9, and in the title of the Bill.

**TERMINATION OF THE PERIOD
OF INDIVIDUAL AMENDMENTS**

There being no other individual amendments, on motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body terminated the period of individual amendments.

**APPROVAL ON SECOND READING OF
HOUSE BILL NO. 7007, AS AMENDED**

Subsequently, on motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body approved on Second Reading House Bill No. 7007, as amended, through *viva voce* voting.

ADDITIONAL COAUTHORS

Thereafter, on motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body approved to include as additional coauthors of House Bills No.

6995, 7021, 7030, and 7033, the names of the Members as contained in the list to be submitted by the Committee on Rules.

**RECONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL
ON SECOND READING AND
RECOMMITMENT OF
HOUSE BILL NO. 6306**

To enable the sponsoring Committee to address certain issues that were raised on the provisions of House Bill No. 6306, on successive motions of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body reconsidered the approval on Second Reading and thereafter recommitted said measure, entitled: "AN ACT RECOGNIZING THE BRITISH SCHOOL MANILA AS AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION OF INTERNATIONAL CHARACTER AND GRANTING THE SCHOOL CERTAIN PREROGATIVES CONDUCTIVE TO ITS DEVELOPMENT," to the Committee on Basic Education and Culture.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:
COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 389 ON
HOUSE BILL NO. 6425**

On motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body resumed consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 6425 as contained in Committee Report No. 389 and reported out by the Committees on Transportation, and Appropriations.

Upon direction of the Chair, the Secretary General read the title of the Bill, as follows:

"AN ACT PRESCRIBING AN URGENT, COMPREHENSIVE AND INTEGRATED LAND-BASED TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT POLICY TO EFFECTIVELY ADDRESS THE TRAFFIC CONGESTION CRISIS IN METRO MANILA, METROPOLITAN CEBU AND METROPOLITAN DAVAO AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR."

Representative Defensor stated that the parliamentary status of the Bill was that it was in the period of sponsorship and debate; and upon his motion, the Chair thereafter recognized Rep. Cesar V. Sarmiento, Chairperson of the Committee on Transportation, to sponsor the same and Rep. Carlos Isagani T. Zarate to interpellate thereon.

**REMARKS OF
REPRESENTATIVE SARMIENTO (C.)**

Representative Sarmiento stated that he had already delivered his sponsorship speech on House Bill No. 6425. The Chair noted the same.

INTERPELLATION OF REPRESENTATIVE ZARATE

To the initial questions of Representative Zarate, Representative Sarmiento (C.) confirmed that the consolidated Bill replaces previous proposals seeking to grant emergency powers to President Rodrigo Roa Duterte in addressing the traffic crisis.

Representative Zarate then tackled several sections of the proposed measure which actually grant emergency powers to the President or his representatives. He also sought clarification on the possible effect of the phase-out and replacement of jeepneys, on the corporatization of public transport, and on the displacement of transport workers. Moreover, he exchanged views about the President's exercise of power and delegation of functions to the Secretary of the Department of Transportation (DOTr), under House Bill No. 6425.

Thereafter, the two Members discussed the effect of Davao City Mayor Sara Duterte's request for her city's exemption from the public utility vehicle (PUV) modernization program and the Bill's provisions on the President's powers as compared to the DOTr Secretary's role and function as Traffic Chief.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Sarmiento (C.), the Chair suspended the session at 5:09 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 5:09 p.m.

INTERPELLATION OF REPRESENTATIVE ZARATE (Continuation)

Thereupon, Representatives Zarate and Sarmiento (C.) discussed the extension of the three-year validity period of the authority granted under the Traffic Crisis Act to enable the Traffic Chief to achieve the objectives of the measure; and the implementation of the proposed modernization program as well as route rationalization plan not only in Metropolitan Manila, Metropolitan Cebu, and Metropolitan Davao but nationwide.

Representative Zarate then proposed that (1) the government focus on opening additional routes to decongest traffic instead of phasing out PUVs;

(2) the government invoke the emergency powers provided in the Bill for the free use of friendship routes and for regulating private vehicles as well; and (3) public transport be not corporatized. He also sought clarification about the implementation of systems and mechanisms provided in the proposed Traffic Crisis Act, in other areas of the country; as well as on determining the modes of transportation that should ply the roads.

To Representative Zarate's subsequent concern about government control in the issuance of franchises to PUVs and rationalization of routes, Representative Sarmiento explained that the measure aims to address the problem of traffic and provide convenience to the riding public. He stressed that traffic is primarily caused by un-synchronized routing and dispatch systems concerning PUVs. He also clarified that the instant Bill provides for a support mechanism for displaced operators.

Thereafter, Representative Ty moved for the recognition of Rep. Antonio L. Tinio to interpellate Representative Sarmiento.

REMARKS OF THE CHAIR

The Chair however noted the gestures of some Members on Representative Tinio's side.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Ty, the session was suspended at 5:46 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 5:48 p.m.

On motion of Representative Ty, the Chair recognized Rep. Ariel "Ka Ayik" B. Casilao for his interpellation.

INTERPELLATION OF REPRESENTATIVE CASILAO

Representative Casilao first inquired on the daily usage ratio of private vehicles against public vehicles that ply the major roads of Metro Manila, Metro Cebu, and Metro Davao.

At this point, Deputy Speaker Cayetano relinquished the Chair to Deputy Speaker Linabelle Ruth R. Villarica.

Representative Sarmiento (C.) cited data from the Metropolitan Manila Development Authority that 90% of the vehicles that pass through EDSA are

private vehicles and said that this trend also applies in Metro Cebu and Metro Davao. He and Representative Casilao then discussed the factors that contribute to heavy traffic and congestion and the solutions thereto.

Next discussing with the Sponsor the provisions on the traffic management plan and friendship routes, Representative Casilao observed that some components thereof such as the odd-even scheme and traffic systems were already being implemented. He opined that Congress should instead consider a bill on assessing the implementation of existing traffic laws. He further stressed that private stakeholders should be consulted about the power of eminent domain in private land disputes.

Subsequently, the two Members discussed the support mechanisms to address the displacement of drivers and operators as a result of the revocation and modification of PUV franchises. They also analyzed the adverse effects to the already-burdened commuters, of the penalization and removal of PUVs that are not found to be roadworthy.

Ending his interpellation, Representative Casilao observed that (1) the measure grants certain emergency powers and (2) its traffic management policy is mounted on private profit-making ventures instead of a long-term roadmap for an efficient public mass transportation system. He stressed that this will result in multiple social problems and injustices.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

On motion of Representative Ty, the Chair suspended the session at 6:38 p.m.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

The session resumed at 6:41 p.m.

SUSPENSION OF CONSIDERATION ON SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6425

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body suspended the consideration on Second Reading of House Bill No. 6425.

APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

On further motion of Representative Ty, there being no objection, the Body approved Journal No. 55, dated January 29, 2018.

DESIGNATION OF HOUSE CONFEREES ON HOUSE BILL NO. 5792 AND SENATE BILL NO. 1533

On motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Body designated the following members to the Conference Committee on the disagreeing provisions of House Bill No. 5792 and Senate Bill No. 1533, on institutionalizing the "Balik Scientist Program": Reps. Erico Aristotle C. Aumentado, Divina Grace C. Yu, Joey Sarte Salceda, Mariano Michael M. Velarde Jr., Mark Aeron H. Sambar, John Marvin "Yul Servo" C. Nieto, Salvador B. Belaro Jr., and Arlene B. Arcillas.

SUSPENSION OF SESSION

The session was suspended at 6:42 p.m., upon Representative Defensor's motion.

RESUMPTION OF SESSION

At 6:45 p.m., the session resumed.

ELECTION OF MAJORITY MEMBERS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES/SPECIAL COMMITTEES

On motion of Majority Leader Rodolfo C. Fariñas, there being no objection, the Body elected the following Members from the Majority to the Committees/Special Committees specified hereunder:

Committee on Public Information

Rep. Scott Davies S. Lanete, M.D. as Chairperson vice Rep. Bernadette "BH" Herrera-Dy

Committee on Women and Gender Equality

Rep. Bernadette "BH" Herrera-Dy as Chairperson

Special Committee on Globalization and WTO

Rep. Rodante D. Marcoleta as Chairperson vice Rep. Scott Davies S. Lanete, M.D.

Committee on Indigenous Cultural Communities and Indigenous Peoples

Rep. Amihilda J. Sangcopan as Member

Committee on Local Government

Rep. Raul A. Daza as Member vice Rep. Edgar R. Erice

Committees on Mindanao Affairs, Muslim Affairs, People's Participation, Population and Family Relations, and Women and Gender Equality, and Special Committee on Food Security

Rep. Amihilda J. Sangcopan as Member

ADJOURNMENT OF SESSION

Thereupon, on motion of Representative Defensor, there being no objection, the Chair declared the session adjourned until four o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, January 31, 2018.

It was 6:47 p.m.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing.

(Sgd.) **ATTY. CESAR STRAIT PAREJA**
Secretary General

Approved on January 31, 2018.

DOCUMENTS DISTRIBUTED

Printed copies of the following measures were distributed to the Members during the session:

1. House Bill No. 6649, entitled: "AN ACT STRENGTHENING FURTHER THE PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS TO INCLUDE FINANCIAL AND ENTREPRENEURIAL EDUCATION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8042, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MIGRANT WORKERS AND OVERSEAS FILIPINOS ACT OF 1995"
2. House Bill No. 6834, entitled: "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO FREE EXPRESSION, TO PEACEABLY ASSEMBLE AND TO PETITION THE GOVERNMENT FOR REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 880 OR 'THE PUBLIC ASSEMBLY ACT OF 1985'"
3. House Bill No. 6974, entitled: "AN ACT CREATING THE BAGUIO CITY, LA TRINIDAD, ITOGON, SABLAN, TUBA, AND TUBLAY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (BLISTT-DA), DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

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Quezon City, Philippines

MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE

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Tuesday, January 30, 2018

***** ABAYA	BELMONTE (R.)	DE VERA
ABAYON	***** BENITEZ	DEFENSOR
ABELLANOSA	BERNOS	DEL MAR
***** ABU	BERTIZ	* DEL ROSARIO
ABUEG	BIAZON	DELOSO-MONTALLA
ACHARON	* BILLONES	DIMAPORO (A.)
*** ACOP	***** BIRON	DIMAPORO (M.K.)
ACOSTA	BOLILIA	***** DUAVIT
ACOSTA-ALBA	BONDOC	DURANO
* ADIONG	BORDADO	***** DY
***** ADVINCULA	BRAVO (A.)	ELAGO
***** AGARAO	BRAVO (M.V.)	ENVERGA
AGGABAO	BROSAS	ERICE
***** AGLIPAY-VILLAR	BULUT-BEGTANG	ERIGUEL
ALBANO	CAGAS	ERMITA-BUHAIN
***** ALCALA	CALALANG	ESCUDERO
ALEJANO	CALDERON	**** ESPINA
*** ALMARIO	*** CALIXTO-RUBIANO	*** ESPINO
ALMONTE	CAMINERO	* ESTRELLA
ALONTE	CAMPOS	EUSEBIO
ALVAREZ (F.)	CANAMA	EVARDONE
**** ALVAREZ (M.)	CARI	FARIÑAS
ALVAREZ (P.)	CASILAO	FERNANDO
***** AMANTE	*** CASTELO	FERRER (J.)
AMATONG	CASTRO (F.L.)	***** FERRER (L.)
ANDAYA	***** CASTRO (F.H.)	FERRIOL-PASCUAL
ANGARA-CASTILLO	CATAMCO	FLOIRENDO
ANTONINO	CAYETANO	FLORES
***** ANTONIO	*** CELESTE	FORTUN
AQUINO-MAGSAYSAY	CERAFICA	FORTUNO
ARAGONES	CERILLES	FUENTEBELLA
**** ARBISON	CHAVEZ	GARBIN
ARCILLAS	CHIPECO	GARCIA (G.)
*** ARENAS	***** CO	GARCIA (J.E.)
ATIENZA	***** COJUANGCO	GARCIA-ALBANO
* AUMENTADO	**** COLLANTES	GARIN (R.)
**** BAG-AO	CORTES	GARIN (S.)
***** BAGATSING	CORTUNA	GASATAYA
BAGUILAT	COSALAN	*** GATCHALIAN
***** BANAL	*** CRISOLOGO	***** GERON
*** BARBERS	***** CUA	GO (A.C.)
BARZAGA	CUARESMA	GO (M.)
*** BATAOIL	CUEVA	GOMEZ
*** BATOCABE	DALIPE	GONZAGA
BAUTISTA-BANDIGAN	DATOL	GONZALES (A.P.)
BELARO	DAZA	GONZALES (A.D.)
***** BELMONTE (F.)	*** DE JESUS	**** GONZALEZ
BELMONTE (J.C.)	DE VENECIA	**** GORRICETA

GULLAS	*** OCAMPO	SILVERIO
HERNANDEZ	**** OLIVAREZ	SINGSON
HERRERA-DY	ONG (E.)	**** SUANSING (E.)
HOFER	ONG (H.)	**** SUANSING (H.)
*** JALOSJOS	ORTEGA (P.)	SUAREZ
* JAVIER	ORTEGA (V.N.)	**** SY-ALVARADO
KHO	PACQUIAO	*** TAMBUNTING
KHONGHUN	PADUANO	TAN (A.)
LABADLABAD	PALMA	TAN (M.)
LACSON	PANCHO	* TAN (S.)
LAGMAN	**** PANGANIBAN	TEJADA
LANETE	**** PANOTES	*** TEVES
***** LAOGAN	PAPANDAYAN	TIANGCO
**** LAZATIN	**** PICHAY	TING
***** LEACHON	PIMENTEL	TINIO
LEE	*** PINEDA	*** TOLENTINO
LIMKAICHONG	PLAZA	*** TREÑAS
* LOBREGAT	PRIMICIAS-AGABAS	***** TUGNA
LOPEZ (B.)	QUIMBO	* TUPAS
LOPEZ (C.)	**** RADAZA	TY
LOPEZ (M.L.)	*** RAMIREZ-SATO	UMALI
*** LOYOLA	***** RAMOS	UNABIA
MACAPAGAL-ARROYO	RELAMPAGOS	UNGAB
* MACEDA	REVILLA	UNICO
MADRONA	*** ROA-PUNO	UY (J.)
MALAPITAN	ROBES	UY (R.)
MANALO	ROCAMORA	UYBARRETA
MANGAOANG	RODRIGUEZ (I.)	* VARGAS
**** MANGUDADATU (S.)	RODRIGUEZ (M.)	VARGAS-ALFONSO
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MARCOS	***** ROMUALDEZ	VELASCO-CATERA
MARIÑO	ROMUALDO	VELOSO
MARQUEZ	***** ROQUE	VERGARA
MARTINEZ	SACDALAN	*** VILLAFUERTE
MATUGAS	* SAGARBARRIA	*** VILLANUEVA
MELLANA	SAHALI	VILLARAZA-SUAREZ
MENDING	**** SALCEDA	VILLARICA
***** MENDOZA	*** SALIMBANGON	VILLARIN
MERCADO	SALO	*** VIOLAGO
MIRASOL	**** SALON	YAP (A.)
MONTORO	SAMBAR	YAP (M.)
NAVA	SANDOVAL	***** YAP (V.)
NIETO	SANGCOPAN	YU
NOEL	SANTOS-RECTO	ZAMORA (M.C.)
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NUÑEZ-MALANYAON	SEMA	
* OAMINAL	SIAO	

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** On official mission

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