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HOUSE BILL NO. 7017  
(In substitution of House Bill No. 4188)

Introduced by Representatives DIEGO “NONOY” C. TY, MARK O. GO, and ERIC GO YAP

AN ACT  
ESTABLISHING A PROVINCIAL OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER  
EDUCATION (CHED) IN THE PROVINCE OF MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL, AND  
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. There shall be established a provincial office of the Commission on Higher  
Education (CHED) in the Province of Misamis Occidental, to be known as the CHED-Misas  
Occidental Provincial Office, which shall be headed by a Provincial Director. The CHED-  
Misamis Occidental Provincial Office shall be located in the City of Oroquieta, Province of  
Misamis Occidental.

SEC. 2. Within sixty (60) days from the approval of this Act, the CHED shall determine  
the organizational structure and staffing pattern for the CHED-Misas Occidental Provincial  
Office and submit the same to the Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management for  
approval.

SEC. 3. The Chairperson of the CHED shall immediately include in the CHED’s  
programs the operationalization of the CHED-Misas Occidental Provincial Office.

SEC. 4. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act shall be included in  
the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 5. The CHED shall issue the necessary rules and regulations for the effective  
implementation of this Act within sixty (60) days from its approval.

SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official  
Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.
Approved.