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House Bill No. 828

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This bill seeks to convert the Mexico-Magalang Provincial Road, Mexico, Pampanga, into a national road which shall be under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways. This road is a vital artery that connects the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Districts of the province and helps promote peace and order as well as economic growth in the locality and surrounding areas.

The scarcity of funds in the provincial government has made it difficult to adequately maintain this provincial road. Converting it into a national road will then allow the National Government to undertake the much needed repair, rehabilitation and upgrading of this vital infrastructure.

Considering the important role that roads play in development and progress, the speedy passage of this measure is earnestly requested.

  
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**AN ACT**  
**CONVERTING THE MEXICO-MAGALANG PROVINCIAL ROAD IN MEXICO,**  
**PAMPANGA INTO A NATIONAL ROAD, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS**  
**THEREFOR.**

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

SECTION 1. The Mexico-Magalang Provincial Road in the Municipality of Mexico, Pampanga is hereby converted into a National Road under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways.

SECTION 2. The amounts needed to cover the improvement, maintenance and repair of the said road shall be included in the General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways shall issue the necessary orders, rules, and circulars to implement this Act.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,