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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
Quezon City

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**COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1159**

Submitted by the Committees on Higher and Technical Education and Appropriations on August 24, 2021  
Re: House Bill No. **10062**

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 903

Sponsors: Representatives Mark O. Go, Eric Go Yap, and Joseph Stephen S. Paduano

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Mr. Speaker:

The Committees on Higher and Technical Education and Appropriations, to which was referred House Bill No. 903, introduced by Rep. Joseph Stephen S. Paduano, entitled:

“AN ACT MANDATING THE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA) TO INCLUDE IN ITS ANNUAL APPROVED BUDGET AN ALLOCATION INTENDED FOR TRAININGS AND PROGRAMS FOR THE DRUG DEPENDENTS THAT WERE ALREADY REHABILITATED”;

have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. 10062, entitled:

”AN ACT MANDATING THE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO INSTITUTIONALIZE A TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING AND LIVELIHOOD PROGRAM DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR REHABILITATED DRUG DEPENDENTS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

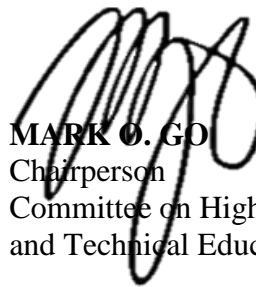
be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 903 and with Representatives Joseph Stephen S. Paduano, Joey Sarte Salceda, Mark O. Go, Joy Myra S. Tambunting, Josephine Veronique R. Lacson-Noel, Deogracias Victor “DV” B. Savellano, John Marvin “Yul Servo” C. Nieto, Marlyn “Len” B. Alonte, Henry R. Villarica, Angelo Marcos Barba, Lorna C. Silverio, Maricel G. Natividad-Nagaño, M.D., Yasser Alonto Balindong, Isagani S. Amatong, Maximo Y. Dalog, Jr., Jesus “Bong” C. Suntay, Glona G. Labadlabad, Leonardo L. Babasa, Jr., Gabriel H. Bordado, Jr., Rufus B. Rodriguez, Evelina G. Escudero, Jocelyn F. Fortuno, Dahlia A. Loyola, Ruth Mariano-Hernandez, Ria Christina G. Fariñas, Eric Go Yap, Manuel Jose “Mannix” M. Dalipe, Tyrone D. Agabas, Lianda B. Bolilia, Argel Joseph T. Cabatbat, Lorna P. Bautista-Bandigan, Ruffy B. Biazon, Junie E. Cua, Luisa Lloren Cuaresma, Paul Ruiz Daza, Michael John R. Duavit, Rudys Caesar G. Fariñas I, Jose Enrique “Joet” S. Garcia III, Greg G. Gasataya, Ed Christopher S. Go, Jocelyn Sy

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Respectfully submitted,



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**AN ACT**

**MANDATING THE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO INSTITUTIONALIZE A TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING AND LIVELIHOOD PROGRAM DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR REHABILITATED DRUG DEPENDENTS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), in coordination with
- 2 the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), shall provide rehabilitated drug dependents with
- 3 competitive and employable skills which shall enhance their ability to find gainful employment and
- 4 livelihood opportunities. The DOLE shall provide incentives to companies which employ rehabilitated

1 drug dependents who have undergone the technical-vocational education and training (TVET) and  
2 livelihood programs under this Act.

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4 **SEC. 2.** The Director General of TESDA shall immediately include in the Authority's programs the  
5 implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations  
6 Act.

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8 **SEC. 3.** Within sixty (60) days from the effectivity of this Act, the TESDA shall, in coordination with the  
9 DOLE, promulgate the rules and regulations for the effective implementation of this Act.

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11 **SEC. 4.** All laws, presidential decrees or issuances, executive orders, letters of instructions, rules or  
12 regulations inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

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

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17 *Approved,*

## FACT SHEET

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*Committee Referral: **COMMITTEE ON HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION**  
Committee Chairperson: **REP. MARK O. GO***

**OBJECTIVES:**

- To institutionalize the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) Technical-Vocational Education and Training (TVET) and livelihood program dedicated towards the sustainable rehabilitation of former drug dependents
- To help former drug dependents become self-reliant, productive and employable
- To rebuild the values and confidence of the former drug dependents and to ensure that they will be more equipped in their immersion back to society

**KEY PROVISIONS:**

- Directs the TESDA Director General to immediately include in the Authority's programs the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act
- Directs the TESDA, in coordination with the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), to provide rehabilitated drug dependents with competitive and employable skills which shall enhance their ability to find gainful employment and livelihood opportunities
- Mandates the DOLE to provide incentives to companies which employ rehabilitated drug dependents who have undergone the TVET and livelihood programs under this Act
- Directs the TESDA, within sixty (60) days from the effectivity of this Act, in coordination with the DOLE, to promulgate the rules and regulations for the effective implementation of this Act

**RELATED LAWS:**

- Republic Act No. 7796 (TESDA Act of 1994)
- Republic Act No. 11230 (*Tulong Trabaho Act*)