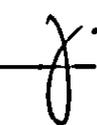


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AN ACT
MANDATING THE INTEGRATION OF FILIPINO-MUSLIM AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES HISTORY, CULTURE AND IDENTITY IN THE STUDY OF PHILIPPINE HISTORY IN BOTH BASIC AND HIGHER EDUCATION

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

1 **SECTION 1. Short Title.** - This Act shall be known as the "Integrated History
2 Act of 2016."

3 **SEC. 2. Integration of Filipino Muslim and Indigenous Peoples History,**
4 **Culture and Identity Studies In Philippine History.** - With the ultimate objective
5 of creating an inclusive history that accounts for all Filipinos, there is a need to
6 integrate the history, culture and identify studies of Filipino-Muslims and
7 Indigenous People in the grand narrative of Philippine History.

8 **SEC. 3. Key Content.** - In the formulation of the curriculum for an inclusive
9 and integrative study of Philippine History, including the writing, printing and
10 publication of textbook and other reading materials relative thereto, the agencies
11 concerned shall consult recognized experts on Filipino Muslim and Indigenous
12 Peoples history, culture and identity.

13 **SEC. 4. Repealing Clause.**- Any provision of law or regulation inconsistent
14 herewith is hereby repealed, revoked or modified accordingly.

1 **SEC. 5. Separability Clause.** - If any provision of this Act is declared
2 unconstitutional or inoperative, the other provisions shall remain in force and
3 effect.

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

Approved,