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BILLS ON FIRST READING

SBN 1601 "AN ACT REQUIRING PARENTS OF CHILDREN CERTAIN CHILD CARE SETTINGS TO RECEIVE EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS ON INFLUENZA DISEASE AND INFLUENZA IMMUNIZATIONS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1602 "AN ACT TO SUPPORT RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF NEW INDUSTRIAL PROCESSES AND TECHNOLOGIES THAT OPTIMIZE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE, UTILIZE DIVERSE SOURCES OF ENERGY, AND INCREASE ECONOMIC COMPETITIVENESS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Energy; Science and Technology and; Finance*

SBN 1603 "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERED THREE THOUSAND NINETEEN, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ANTI-GRAFT AND CORRUPT PRACTICES ACT"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Civil Service and Government Reorganization*

SBN 1604 "AN ACT TO IMPROVE LEGISLATIVE DOCUMENT ACCESSIBILITY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee On Rules*

SBN 1605 "AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF LASERS IN COSMETOLOGICAL HAIR REMOVAL PROCEDURES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1606 "AN ACT PROMOTING BARANGAY JUSTICE BY DELETING ITEM NUMBER FOUR OF PARAGRAPH B OF SECTION FOUR HUNDRED TWELVE OF REPUBLIC ACT NUMBER SEVEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SIXTY, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Local Government*

SBN 1607 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, DEMONSTRATION, AND COMMERCIAL APPLICATION ACTIVITIES TO ENABLE THE DEVELOPMENT OF FARMS THAT ARE NET PRODUCERS OF BOTH FOOD AND ENERGY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Energy; Science and Technology and; Finance*

SBN 1608 "AN ACT TO REQUIRE ENHANCED DISCLOSURE TO CONSUMERS REGARDING THE CONSEQUENCES OF MAKING ONLY MINIMUM REQUIRED PAYMENTS IN THE REPAYMENT OF CREDIT CARD DEBT"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies*

SBN 1609 "AN ACT PROHIBITING A PERSON FROM KNOWINGLY PERMITTING A MOTOR VEHICLE OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY HIM TO BE DRIVEN BY A PERSON WHO IS NOT AUTHORIZED TO DRIVE UNDER THE LAW"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1610 "AN ACT PROHIBITING A MANUFACTURER FROM DISTRIBUTING PERSONAL AUDIO PLAYERS UNLESS THERE IS WARNING LABEL ON THE PRODUCT WHICH PROVIDES THAT IT MAY CAUSE HEARING DAMAGE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Trade and Commerce*

SBN 1611 "AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF METALWORKING FLUIDS IN THE WORKPLACE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 1612 "AN ACT TO PROTECT THE NATIONAL SECURITY BY PROHIBITING PROFITEERING OF ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES DURING PERIODS OF NATIONAL EMERGENCY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Trade and Commerce*

SBN 1613 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND PRIVACY SYSTEM"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Finance*

SBN 1614 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL INFORMATION PROGRAM ON MENOPAUSE AND HOW WOMEN CAN COPE WITH THE PHYSICAL, MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL CHANGES AS A CONSEQUENCE THEREOF AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Finance*

SBN 1615 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Civil Service and Government Reorganization and; Finance*

SBN 1616 "AN ACT MANDATING A SEPARATE COURSE OR SUBJECT ON WORKERS' RIGHTS FOR COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Education, Arts and Culture*

SBN 1617 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AND ENFORCE STANDARDS FOR THE TESTING OF ILLEGAL USE OF PERFORMANCE ENHANCING SUBSTANCES AND OTHER CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES IN PROFESSIONAL, AMATEUR OR COLLEGIATE SPORTS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Games, Amusement and Sports*

SBN 1618 "AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A PUBLIC WEBSITE THROUGH WHICH INDIVIDUALS MAY FIND A PET REGISTRY AND A COMPLETE DATABASE OF MISSING PETS AND FOUND STRAYS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Agriculture and Food and; Finance*

SBN 1619 "AN ACT TO DIRECT THE SECRETARY OF JUSTICE TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A PUBLIC WEBSITE THROUGH WHICH INDIVIDUALS MAY FIND A COMPLETE DATABASE OF MISSING PERSONS AND UNIDENTIFIED DECEDENT RECORDS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Justice and Human Rights and; Finance*

SBN 1620 "AN ACT CREATING THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR LITERACY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1621 "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE DESIGNED TO CONCEAL OR OBSCURE LICENSE PLATE NUMBERS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1622 "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE GIVING OF GIFTS OFFERED BY PRESCRIPTION DRUG MANUFACTURERS AND DISTRIBUTORS TO ENCOURAGE PRACTITIONERS TO PRESCRIBE CERTAIN DRUGS AND PROVIDING A PENALTY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1623 "AN ACT TO DIRECT THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A PUBLIC WEBSITE THROUGH WHICH INDIVIDUALS MAY FIND A COMPLETE DATABASE OF AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND OTHER PROGRAMS OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN THE STUDY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS"

- *Introduced by Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1624 "AN ACT REGULATING INDOOR FIRING RANGES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Order and Illegal Drugs*

SBN 1625 "AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF ISOCYANATES IN THE WORKPLACE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 1626 "AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO PROVIDE FULL COVERAGE FOR THE PREVENTION, EARLY DETECTION, DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1627 "AN ACT PUNISHING VARIOUS FORMS OF SMUGGLING, PRESCRIBING PENALTIES THEREFOR, GRANTING INCENTIVES AND REWARDS FOR ASSISTANCE OF WITNESSES AND INFORMANTS LEADING TO SUCCESSFUL PROSECUTION THEREOF"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means*

SBN 1628 "AN ACT PUNISHING THE CRIME OF TAMPERING WITH A TAXIMETER"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*

- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1629 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CHILDPROOF HANDGUNS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Order and Illegal Drugs*

SBN 1630 "AN ACT PROMOTING AND ENHANCING PUBLIC SAFETY THROUGH THE USE OF UNIVERSAL EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE NUMBER"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Order and Illegal Drugs and; Local Government*

SBN 1631 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR UNIFORM STANDARDS OF LIABILITY FOR HARM ARISING OUT OF GENERAL AVIATION ACCIDENTS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1632 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, TESTING, AND EVALUATION OF STRATEGIC PLANNING AND PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT IN THE GOVERNMENT"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Civil Service and Government Reorganization*

SBN 1633 "AN ACT REQUIRING STOCK MARKET INSTRUCTION IN HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Education, Arts and Culture*

SBN 1634 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A GRANT PROGRAM TO ENHANCE FINANCIAL AND RETIREMENT LITERACY FOR MID-LIFE AND OLDER FILIPINOS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development; and Finance*

SBN 1635 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAMS TO RETAIN HIGHLY QUALIFIED TEACHERS IN RURAL COMMUNITIES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1636 "AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTY ON CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN AND ESTABLISHING A SEPARATE DNA DATABASE FOR VIOLENT PREDATORS AGAINST CHILDREN"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Youth, Women and Family Relations; Justice and Human Rights and ;Finance*

SBN 1637 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR COMMUNICATIONS TRAINING TO IMPROVE THE ABILITY OF SCIENTISTS TO INTERACT WITH POLICYMAKERS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Science and Technology and; Finance*

SBN 1638 "AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF SILICA IN THE WORKPLACE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 1639 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH CRIMINAL LIABILITY FOR UNLAWFUL DISCRIMINATION BASED ON DISPARATE TREATMENT"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

SBN 1640 "AN ACT PROTECTING CONSUMERS OF PREPAID CALLING CARDS AND PROHIBITING DECEPTIVE PRACTICES IN THE PRE-PAID PHONE CARD INDUSTRY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Services and; Trade and Commerce*

SBN 1641 "AN ACT REQUIRING COMMERCIAL AIRLINES TO MAKE

FLIGHT DELAY INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1642 “AN ACT MANDATING THE IMMEDIATE RE-COMMISSIONING AND COMMERCIAL OPERATION OF THE BATAAN NUCLEAR POWER PLANT”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Energy and; Finance*

SBN 1643 “AN ACT REQUIRING ALL AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINES TO DISCLOSE THE CHARGES FOR A BALANCE INQUIRY TRANSACTION”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies*

SBN 1644 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO STUDY ISSUES RELATED TO AUTISM, AND INFANT AND TODDLER IMMUNE SYSTEM DISORDERS”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1645 “AN ACT MAKING AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINES ACCESSIBLE TO THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies*

SBN 1646 “AN ACT TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS IN AQUATIC FACILITIES”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Finance*

SBN 1647 “ AN ACT PROHIBITING VANDALISM AND IMPOSING PENALTIES THERETO”

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Justice and Human Rights*

SBN 1648 "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE USE, SOLICITATION AND OFFER OF RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PURPOSES OF APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, ASSIGNMENT, TRANSFER, OR DESIGNATION, INTERIM OR OTHERWISE, OF PUBLIC OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Civil Service and Government Reorganization*

SBN 1649 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8679, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "DOWNSTREAM OIL INDUSTRY DEREGULATION ACT OF 1998"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Energy and; Finance*

SBN 1650 "AN ACT AMENDING ACT NO. 3815, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PENAL CODE, SECTION 248, TO DEFINE AND PENALIZE THE CRIME OF MURDER COMMITTED UNDER EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SBN 1651 "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF IMITATION FIREARMS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Order and Illegal Drugs and; Trade and Commerce*

SBN 1652 "AN ACT DEFINING THE CRIME OF EXPLOITIVE CHILD MODELING AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Youth, Women and Family Relations*

SBN 1653 "AN ACT TO PREVENT CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Services; Health and Demography and; Finance*

SBN 1654 "AN ACT REGULATING THE ELECTROPLATING INDUSTRY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development and; Health and Demography*

SBN 1655 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING ELDER SERVE COORDINATING COUNCILS THAT PROVIDE FOR EMERGENCY CRISIS RESPONSE TEAMS TO COMBAT ELDERLY ABUSE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Justice and Human Rights; Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development and; Finance*

SBN 1656 "AN ACT MANDATING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CREATE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS TO RAISE AWARENESS OF EATING DISORDERS AMONG FILIPINO CHILDREN"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Health and Demography*

SBN 1657 "AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE LIABILITY OF OWNERS FOR DOG BITES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1658 "AN ACT TO PREVENT DISABLED PERSONS' PARKING PLACES FROM BEING OCCUPIED BY PERSONS NOT ENTITLED TO USE THEM"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Local Government; Social Justice, Welfare and Rural Development and; Finance*

SBN 1659 "AN ACT REGULATING THE PROLIFERATION OF FRAUDULENT DEGREES, DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATIONS ISSUED BY UNAUTHORIZED DEGREE GRANTING INSTITUTIONS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1660 "AN ACT TO PREVENT CREDIT CARD ISSUERS FROM TAKING UNFAIR ADVANTAGE OF COLLEGE STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies*

SBN 1661 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Civil Service and Government Reorganization and; Finance*

SBN 1662 "AN ACT REQUIRING FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS TO DISCLOSE THE INGREDIENTS OR ADDITIVES THAT THEY USE IN THEIR PRODUCTS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Trade and Commerce and; Health and Demography*

SBN 1663 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION OF FIRE PROTECTION"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Order and Illegal Drugs and; Finance*

SBN 1664 "AN ACT PROVIDING PROTECTION OF PRIVACY OF INFORMATION IN MOTOR VEHICLE RECORDS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Services and; Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

SBN 1665 "AN ACT IMPROVING THE CAPABILITY OF SMALL COMMUNITIES TO COORDINATE WITH LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS AND DESIGN PROFESSIONALS IN DEVELOPING A VISION TO ADDRESS THEIR

LOCAL NEEDS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Tourism; Local Government and; Finance*

SBN 1666 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Health and Demography*

SBN 1667 "AN ACT TO PROTECT INDOOR AIR QUALITY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1668 "AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF CLASSROOM LEARNING BY EMPOWERING PROVINCES TO DEVELOP PERFORMANCE-BASED ASSESSMENTS THAT MEASURE HIGHER ORDER THINKING SKILLS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; Local Government and; Finance*

SBN 1669 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN IDENTITY THEFT PREVENTION AND MITIGATION OFFICE UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Justice and Human Rights and; Finance*

SBN 1670 " AN ACT DECLARING DECEMBER TEN OF EVERY YEAR AS A SPECIAL WORKING HOLIDAY TO BE KNOWN AS HUMAN RIGHTS DAY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; Justice and Human Rights and; Finance*

SBN 1671 "AN ACT REQUIRING DISCLOSURE OF HOSPITAL INFECTIONS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1672 "AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF HIGH INTENSITY DISCHARGE HEADLAMPS IN MOTOR VEHICLE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1673 "AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT ALL FILIPINOS HAVE BASIC HEALTH LITERACY SKILLS TO FUNCTION EFFECTIVELY AS PATIENTS AND HEALTH CARE CONSUMERS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Finance*

SBN 1674 "AN ACT TO ENHANCE ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE EDUCATION IN HIGH SCHOOLS THAT SERVE DISADVANTAGED STUDENTS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; Environment and Natural Resources and; Finance*

SBN 1675 "AN ACT REQUIRING FULL DISCLOSURE OF ALL ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS RECEIVING GOVERNMENT FUNDS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Finance*

SBN 1676 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISM REGISTRY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Food*

SBN 1677 "AN ACT REQUIRING SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE PRACTITIONERS IN SCHOOLS WITHIN A CITY WITH A POPULATION OF ONE MILLION OR MORE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Local Government*

SBN 1678 "AN ACT TO REGULATE AGGRESSIVE DRIVING"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1679 "AN ACT AUTHORIZING ENGINEERS TO DISCLOSE TO ANY GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIAL INFORMATION REGARDING A BUILDING OR STRUCTURE THAT HE BELIEVES IN GOOD FAITH MAY POSE A DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH OR SAFETY"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Works; and Civil Service and Government Reorganization*

SBN 1680 "AN ACT TO DEVELOP FINANCIAL LITERACY EDUCATION"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance*

SBN 1681 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE TASK FORCE ON FINANCIAL CRIMES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Justice and Human Rights; Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies and; Finance*

SBN 1682 "AN ACT TO PROTECT THE WORKERS AND THEIR FAMILIES FROM THE HAZARDS OF WORKING IN AGRICULTURAL SITES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Agriculture and Food and; Health and Demography*

SBN 1683 "AN ACT TO AMEND PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, BOOK IV, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TITLE ON FAMILY WELFARE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development and; Youth, Women and Family Relations*

SBN 1684 "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN CONDUCT RELATING TO EXOTIC ANIMALS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Agriculture and Food*

SBN 1685 "AN ACT REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION FOR SALE OR USE OF CLEANING AGENTS WHICH CONTAIN PHOSPHOROUS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources and; Trade and Commerce*

SBN 1686 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE POSTING OF CALORIE COUNT INFORMATION ITEMS IN MENU BOARDS OF FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1687 "AN ACT PROHIBITING TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY FROM PROVIDING SERVICES WHICH PREVENT CALLER IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION FROM BEING SHOWN BY A DEVICE CAPABLE OF DISPLAYING CALLER IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1688 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE GRANTS TO COLLEGES TO IMPROVE REMEDIAL EDUCATION TO CUSTOMIZE REMEDIATION TO STUDENT CAREER GOALS, AND TO HELP STUDENTS MOVE RAPIDLY FROM REMEDIATION INTO FOR-CREDIT OCCUPATION PROGRAM COURSES AND THROUGH PROGRAM COMPLETION"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1689 "AN ACT AMENDING THE REVISED PENAL CODE PENALIZING THE ROBBERY OF CEMETERY ARTICLES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Justice and Human Rights*

SBN 1690 "AN ACT PROHIBITING MODIFICATION OF MUFFLERS TO INCREASE NOISE EMITTED FROM EXHAUST SYSTEMS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Public Services and; Health and Demography*

SBN 1691 "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8485, ALSO KNOWN AS, THE ANIMAL WELFARE ACT OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Agriculture and Food; Local Government and; Finance*

SBN 1692 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Services*

SBN 1693 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR TESTING FOR THE USE, WITHOUT LAWFUL AUTHORIZATION, OF ALCOHOL OR CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES BY THE OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Justice and Human Rights; and Public Services*

SBN 1694 "AN ACT IMPROVING AND STRENGTHENING THE RECRUITMENT AND TRAINING OF FILIPINO TEACHERS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1695 "AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT MENTAL HEALTH PATIENTS RECEIVE THE PROTECTION AND SERVICES THEY REQUIRE"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

SBN 1696 "AN ACT REGULATING PAWNSHOP ESTABLISHMENTS AND OPERATIONS"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Banks, Financial Institutions and Currencies*

SBN 1697 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE USE OF PHILIPPINE MADE MATERIALS IN CONTRACTS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND PROVIDING FOR THE BLACKLISTING OF CONTRACTORS VIOLATING SUCH REQUIREMENT"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Public Works*

SBN 1698 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COMPREHENSIVE TRAINING PROGRAM FOR TEACHERS OF CHILDREN WITH HANDICAP"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture and; Finance*

SBN 1699 "AN ACT REQUIRING A REPORT REGARDING THE EFFECTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS ON WOMEN'S HEALTH"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Youth, Women and Family Relations*

SBN 1700 "AN ACT TO ENSURE EVERY PREGNANT WOMAN'S ACCESS TO A SKILLED BIRTH ATTENDANT AT THE TIME OF CHILDBIRTH AND IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography; Youth, Women and Family Relations and; Finance*

PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS

PSRN 158 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON CULTURAL COMMUNITIES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF

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- *Introduced By Senator Loren B. Legarda*
- *Referred to the Committee on Cultural Communities*

PSRN 159 “RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REPORT, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ANENT THE FEASIBILITY OF MASSIVE GOVERNMENT SUPPORT FOR CELL STEM RESEARCH, INTERVENTION AND APPLICATION WITH THE END OBJECTIVE OF MAKING HEALTH POLICIES RESPONSIVE TO THE CITIZENS' NEEDS, PROBLEMS AND ACCESSIBILITY”

- *Introduced By Senator Manny Villar*
- *Referred to the Committee on Health and Demography*

PSRN 160 “RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED MASSIVE BLEACHING OF THE COUNTRY'S CORAL REEFS, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF INTENSIFYING NATIONAL AND LOCAL EFFORTS ON CORAL REEF CONSERVATION”

- *Introduced By Senator Manny Villar*
- *Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources*

PSRN 161 “RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE/S OF THE SENATE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION INTO MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 01, S. 2010 JOINTLY ISSUED BY THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY COMMISSION AND SUBSEQUENT ISSUANCES OF THE CHED AND PRC THAT WILL EFFECTIVELY PREVENT COUNTLESS INNOCENT GRADUATES AND WOULD BE GRADUATES OF STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES FROM TAKING PRC-ADMINISTERED BOARD EXAMINATIONS AND WHICH RUN COUNTER TO THE CONCEPT OF AUTONOMY OF STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES AS PROVIDED IN THEIR RESPECTIVE LEGISLATIVE CHARTERS AND UNDER EXISTING LAWS”

- *Introduced By Senator Antonio "Sonny" F. Trillanes*
- *Referred to the Committees on Civil Service and Government Reorganization and; Education, Arts and Culture*

PSRN 162 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND THE COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS TO REVIEW THE 2011 APPROPRIATION FOR THE FREE LEGAL AID PROGRAM OF THE GOVERNMENT WITH THE END IN VIEW OF FINDING WAYS TO STRENGTHEN THE PROGRAM INCLUDING THE FEASIBILITY OF INCREASING ITS APPROPRIATION"

- *Introduced By Senator Manny Villar*
- *Referred to the Committees on Finance and; Justice and Human Rights*

PSRN 163 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ANENT THE FULL POTENTIAL OF THE BUSINESS PROCESS OUTSOURCING (BPO) INDUSTRY WITH THE END-IN-VIEW OF FORMULATING AND ADOPTING SOUND ECONOMIC FRAMEWORK FOR THE SECTOR AND TO DESIGN PROMOTIONAL SCHEMES THAT WOULD ATTRACT FOREIGN INVESTMENTS IN THIS NEWLY-EMERGING INDUSTRY"

- *Introduced By Senator Manny Villar*
- *Referred to the Committee on Economic Affairs*

PSRN 164 "RESOLUTION URGING THE COMMITTEES ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; AND PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE INCREASING OCCURRENCE OF CYBER STALKING CASES AND THE MODUS OPERANDI ADOPTED IN THE INTERNET TO PERPETUATE CRIMES WITH THE END IN VIEW OF FORMULATING LEGISLATION AND POLICY MEASURES GEARED TOWARDS CURBING CYBER STALKING AND OTHER CYBER CRIMES AND PROTECT ONLINE USERS IN THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced By Senator Manny Villar*
- *Referred to the Committees on Science and Technology and; Constitutional Amendments, Revision of Codes and Laws*

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- *Introduced By Senator Manny Villar*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Trade and Commerce*

PSRN 166 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO INVESTIGATE, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, THE ALLEGED EXPLOITATIVE PRACTICE OF SOME HOSPITALS THAT EMPLOY REGISTERED NURSES AND NURSING GRADUATES AS ON-THE-JOB TRAINEES (OJTS) INSTEAD OF HIRING THEM AS REGULAR EMPLOYEES AND WITHOUT GIVING PROPER COMPENSATION, AND THE ALLEGATION THAT THESE HOSPITALS CHARGE THE NURSES ADDITIONAL FEES FOR TRAINING, WORK EXPERIENCE AND CERTIFICATION"

- *Introduced By Senator Pia S. Cayetano*
- *Referred to the Committees on Health and Demography and; Labor, Employment and Human Resources Development*

PSRN 167 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE RESURGENCE OF ILLEGAL JUETENG BECAUSE OF ALLEGED PROTECTION, IF NOT CONNIVANCE, PROVIDED BY CERTAIN PEOPLE WHO ARE INFLUENTIAL IN THE PRESENT ADMINISTRATION"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committees on Accountability of Public Officers and Investigations and; Games, Amusement and Sports*

PSRN 168 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, CONDUCT AN INQUIRY IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE WORSENING CONDITION OF THE COUNTRY'S CORAL REEFS AND THE OCCURRENCE OF CORAL BLEACHING"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
- *Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources*

PSRN 169 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED NEED TO AUDIT THE OVERSEAS WORKERS WELFARE ADMINISTRATION (OWWA) FUND"

- *Introduced By Senator Miriam Defensor Santiago*
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