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SBN 751 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE TEACHING OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP PARTICULARLY COPYRIGHT LAW AS PART OF THE CURRICULUM OF ALL PRIMARY, SECONDARY AND TERTIARY SCHOOLS IN THE COUNTRY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; TRADE AND COMMERCE; and FINANCE

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- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on ENERGY; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

SBN 753 "AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN PUBLIC TRUST AND ACCOUNTABILITY BY ENSURING IMPARTIALITY IN THE INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION OF CERTAIN CASES INVOLVING IMPEACHABLE PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND THEIR RELATIVES WITHIN THE 6TH CIVIL DEGREE OF CONSANGUINITY OR AFFINITY, MANDATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE APPOINTMENT OF THE SPECIAL AND INDEPENDENT PROSECUTOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

SBN 754 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A HOUSING PROGRAM FOR TEACHERS

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS and FINANCE

SBN 755 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY COUNCIL, PROVIDING POWERS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

SBN 756 "AN ACT FURTHER AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 2640 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'AN ACT TO CREATE A PUBLIC CORPORATION TO BE KNOWN AS THE VETERANS FEDERATION OF THE PHILIPPINES, DEFINING ITS POWERS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES,' AS AMENDED, BY INCLUDING ALEJO SANTOS OF THE BULACAN MILITARY AREA VETERANS ASSOCIATION AS ONE OF THE MEMBERS THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

SBN 757 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS; and FINANCE

SBN 758 "AN ACT PROTECTING WOMEN IN STATE CUSTODY, PRESCRIBING THE MINIMUM STANDARD RULES FOR THEIR TREATMENT, PENALIZING ACTS IN VIOLATIONS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS

SBN 759 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES IN ZAMBOANGA, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

SBN 760 "AN ACT TO PREVENT AND CONTROL POLLUTION FROM SHIPS, PROVIDE PENALTIES THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; PUBLIC SERVICES; and FINANCE

SBN 761 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FIVE BILLION PESO (5,000,000,000.00) COOPERATIVE TRUST FUND THAT WILL PROVIDE FINANCING FACILITIES TO LIVELIHOOD PROGRAMS OF COOPERATIVES AND APPROPRIATING THE NECESSARY SUM FOR INCLUSION IN THE GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OVER A PERIOD OF FIVE (5) CONSECUTIVE FISCAL YEARS IN FIVE EQUAL APPORTIONMENTS"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on COOPERATIVES; and FINANCE

SBN 762 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE MALAMPAYA SOUND SITUATED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF TAYTAY AND SAN VICENTE, PROVINCE OF PALAWAN, AS A PROTECTED AREA PURSUANT TO REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7586 (NIPAS ACT OF 1992) PROVIDING FOR ITS MANAGEMENT AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and FINANCE

SBN 763 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NATIONAL HOMELOTS DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT; and ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES;

SBN 764 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A STRATEGIC FOOD SECURITY RICE RESERVE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and FINANCE

SBN 765 "AN ACT CLASSIFYING TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING PETROLEUM PRODUCTS AS ZERO PERCENT (0%) VALUE-ADDED TAX (VAT) TRANSACTIONS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 108 (B) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8424, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9337, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE TAX REFORM ACT OF 1997, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on WAYS AND MEANS; and ENERGY

SBN 766 "AN ACT RATIONALIZING AGRICULTURE EDUCATION IN THE PHILIPPINES BY ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL SYSTEM OF AGRICULTURE EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS, PROVIDING FOR MECHANISMS OF IMPLEMENTATION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 767 "AN ACT IMPOSING SAFEGUARDS IN CONTRACTING LOANS CLASSIFIED AS OFFICIAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8182, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8555, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE OFFICIAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1996, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on ECONOMIC AFFAIRS; and FINANCE

SBN 768 "AN ACT UPHOLDING THE RIGHT OF PATIENTS TO THE REDRESS OF THEIR TREATMENT- RELATED GRIEVANCES BY MANDATING THE CREATION OF GRIEVANCE BOARDS IN ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HOSPITALS TO BE SUPERVISED BY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

SBN 769 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE PRESERVATION, REFORESTATION AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF ALL PHILIPPINE MANGROVE RESOURCES, DEFINING FOR THAT PURPOSE THE ACTS PROHIBITED WITHIN MANGROVE FORESTS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and FINANCE

SBN 770 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH FAIR PRACTICES IN THE PROCESSING OF INFORMATION RELATING OR PERSONAL TO INDIVIDUALS, CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE A PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION COMMISSION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS; and FINANCE

SBN 771 "AN ACT INTRODUCING EDUCATIONAL REFORMS AND SUPPORTING THE PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF EDUCATIONAL REFORMS IN SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

SBN 772 "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ANY EMPLOYER, LABOR CONTRACTOR AND LABOR ORGANIZATION FROM DISCRIMINATING AGAINST ANY INDIVIDUAL BECAUSE OF THE INDIVIDUAL'S AGE"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

SBN 773 "AN ACT DEFINING CERTAIN INDICATIONS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL INCAPACITY AS A GROUND FOR THE DECLARATION OF NULLITY OF MARRIAGE, AMENDING ARTICLE 36 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 209, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE FAMILY CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS

SBN 774 "AN ACT AMENDING ARTICLE 1991 OF R.A. NO. 386, ALSO KNOWN AS THE CIVIL CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS

SBN 775 "AN ACT SUPPORTING EFFECTIVE PROGRAMS THAT PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS WHO WANT TO HELP THEIR CHILDREN BECOME SUCCESSFUL READERS"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE and FINANCE

SBN 776 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DEVOLUTION OF THE CONTROL, MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION OF MUNICIPAL OR TERTIARY PORTS FROM THE PHILIPPINE PORTS AUTHORITY TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC SERVICES; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

SBN 777 "AN ACT PROVIDING TAX INCENTIVES TO DEVELOPERS AND BUILDERS OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDING AND/OR HOUSING PROJECTS BY EXEMPTING THEM FROM THE PAYMENT OF REAL ESTATE TAXES, DEFINING THE CONDITION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on WAYS AND MEANS and URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT

SBN 778 "AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR NON-COMPLIANCE OF THE PRESCRIBED INCREASES AND ADJUSTMENTS IN THE WAGE RATES OF WORKERS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6727, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'WAGE RATIONALIZATION ACT,' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

SBN 779 "THE BUDGET IMPOUNDMENT CONTROL ACT"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

SBN 780 "AN ACT TO INSTITUTIONALIZE MICRO-CREDIT FINANCING AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3844, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'THE CODE OF AGRARIAN REFORM IN THE PHILIPPINES' APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES; and FINANCE

SBN 781 "AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM TAX ALL ALLOWANCES AND BENEFITS GRANTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS, INCLUDING THOSE IN THE STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on WAYS AND MEANS; and EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

SBN 782 AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 4 OF REPUBLIC ACT 9184, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT REFORM ACT"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS

SBN 783 "AN ACT ENSURING ACCOUNTABILITY IN INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES AND IN THE USE OF INTELLIGENCE AND CONFIDENTIAL FUNDS GRANTED TO ALL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, ESTABLISHING FOR THE PURPOSE A JOINT CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE TO STRENGTHEN THE OVERSIGHT POWERS OF CONGRESS TO MONITOR INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES OF ALL AGENCIES OF THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT AND TO OVERSEE HOW INTELLIGENCE AND CONFIDENTIAL FUNDS ARE EXPENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY and FINANCE

SBN 784 "AN ACT PRESCRIBING REFORMS IN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT BUDGETING, AMENDING FOR THESE PURPOSES PERTINENT PROVISIONS OF BOOK VI OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 292, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE REVISED ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF 1987, AND PROVIDING FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on FINANCE; and GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES;

SBN 785 "AN ACT PROVIDING GREATER ACCESS TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION BY ESTABLISHING AN EDUCATIONAL LOAN PROGRAM, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 81, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'THE 1986 REVISED CHARTER OF THE DEVELOPMENT BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES,' AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

SBN 786 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE DELINEATION OF THE SPECIFIC FOREST LIMITS OF THE PUBLIC DOMAIN AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 787 "AN ACT EXCLUDING CERTAIN PORTIONS OF THE NAVAL STATION SAN MIGUEL IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF SAN NARCISO AND SAN ANTONIO PROVINCE OF ZAMBALES FROM THE OPERATION OF PROCLAMATION NO. 938, AND DECLARING THE EXCLUDED PORTIONS OPEN TO DISPOSITION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC AC NO. 730, AS AMENDED, TO QUALIFIED OCCUPANTS WITHOUT PUBLIC AUCTION"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 788 "AN ACT INCREASING THE COMBAT DUTY PAY OF ALL COMMISSIONED AND NON-COMMISSIONED PERSONNEL OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PNP) FROM THE CURRENT VALUE THEY ARE RECEIVING TO TWENTY-FIVE PER CENTUM (25%) OF THEIR BASE PAY AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

SBN 789 "AN ACT CONSOLIDATING THE LAWS GRANTING REWARDS TO INFORMERS OF VIOLATIONS OF INTERNAL REVENUE AND CUSTOMS LAWS, REPEALING FOR THIS PURPOSE SECTION 282 OF THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1997, SECTION 3513 OF THE TARIFF AND CUSTOMS CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

SBN 790 "AN ACT GRANTING HAZARD PAY TO COVERED EMPLOYEES OF THE GOVERNMENT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 791 "AN ACT GRANTING NIGHT SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL PAY TO THE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES INCLUDING THOSE IN GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 792 "AN ACT PROMOTING AND PERMITTING THE USE OF WASTE-TO-ENERGY TECHNOLOGY, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NUMBERED 8749, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE CLEAN AIR ACT OF 1999"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

SBN 793 "AN ACT INTEGRATING ALL THE NATIONAL, PROVINCIAL, SUB-PROVINCIAL, CITY, AND MUNICIPAL JAILS, PLACING FOR THE PURPOSE THE BUREAU OF CORRECTIONS, PROVINCIAL/SUB-PROVINCIAL JAILS AND THE BUREAU OF JAIL MANAGEMENT AND PENOLOGY UNDER A NEW BUREAU TO BE CALLED THE BUREAU OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE

SBN 794 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DRUG REHABILITATION CENTER IN EVERY REGION OF THE COUNTRY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

SBN 795 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION OF ALL OBJECTS UNDERWATER CULTURAL HERITAGE IN PHILIPPINE WATERS"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and FINANCE

SBN 796 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE FORENSIC SCIENCE INSTITUTE IN THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES SYSTEM, DEFINING ITS FUNCTIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

SBN 797 "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 4 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7309 ENTITLED, 'AN ACT CREATING A BOARD OF CLAIMS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR VICTIMS OF UNJUST IMPRISONMENT OR DETENTION AND VICTIMS OF VIOLENT CRIMES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 798 "AN ACT DEFINING THE OFFENSE OF CARNAPPING BY A SYNDICATE AND INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR THE OFFENSE OF CARNAPPING THEREBY AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6539 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE, 'ANTI-CARNAPPING ACT OF 1992' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS

SBN 799 "THE NATIONAL LAND TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY ACT OF 2013"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS and FINANCE

SBN 800 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS COMMISSION DEVELOPMENT FUND AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 801 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE LOCAL MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT and FINANCE

SBN 802 "AN ACT TO PROMOTE AGRITOURISM IN THE PHILIPPINES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 803 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION OF FIRE PROTECTION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

SBN 804 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COMPREHENSIVE ADULT MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM IN THE COUNTRY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 805 "AN ACT PROVIDING BENEFITS TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES WHO SUFFER ANY INJURY IN THE LINE OF DUTY THAT LEADS TO DISABILITY"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION

SBN 806 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING INTER-AGENCY ENERGY CONSERVATION COMMITTEE TO DEPLOY COST-EFFECTIVE ENERGY CONSERVATION MEASURES AND TECHNOLOGIES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on ENERGY; PUBLIC SERVICES and FINANCE

SBN 807 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AN INCREASE IN THE SALARY OF GOVERNMENT PHYSICIANS AND ADDITIONAL INCENTIVES APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 808 "AN ACT TO REMOVE THE MARITIME FUNCTIONS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6975"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

SBN 809 "AN ACT PRESCRIBING A HIGHER PENALTY FOR PERSONS IN AUTHORITY AS ACCESSORIES, WHO DIRECTLY CAUSE OR ORDER THE DESTRUCTION OR CONCEALMENT OF VITAL EVIDENCE FOR HEINOUS CRIMES, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 19 OF THE REVISED PENAL CODE"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

SBN 810 "AN ACT CREATING THE NATIONAL LIVELIHOOD DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL THEREBY INSTITUTIONALIZING THE LIVELIHOOD MOVEMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 811 "AN ACT DEFINING THE OFFENSE OF RECKLESS DRIVING AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE COMMISSION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS and PUBLIC SERVICES

SBN 812 "AN ACT TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE CONVENTION ON THE PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF CRIMES AGAINST INTERNATIONALLY PROTECTED PERSONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS and FOREIGN RELATIONS

SBN 813 "AN ACT CREATING THE GOVERNMENT ASSET MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 814 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL CANCER CENTER TO BE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL CANCER CENTER AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 815 "AN ACT INTEGRATING ALL AGENCIES AND OFFICES ON VETERANS WELFARE CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE PHILIPPINE VETERANS AUTHORITY (PVA), APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 816 "AN ACT TO RESTORE THE PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD (PCG) OF ITS AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY TO PERFORM SHIP SAFETY INSPECTION SERVICES AND CARRY OUT OTHER SHIP SAFETY ENFORCEMENT FUNCTIONS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9993, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 817 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INDEPENDENT BROADCAST SYSTEM IN THE COUNTRY, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 818 "AN ACT CREATING THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and FINANCE

SBN 819 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (EMA), AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10121, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; and FINANCE

SBN 820 "AN ACT AUTHORIZING GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH) TO RETAIN AND UTILIZE ALL THEIR INCOME AND INTEREST DERIVED FROM DEPOSITS, FOR MAINTENANCE AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES, CAPITAL OUTLAYS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 821 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE YOUNG FARMERS' PROGRAM, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS and FINANCE

SBN 822 "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION AND EXPORTATION OF STALACTITES AND STALAGMITES, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9072, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL CAVE RESOURCES MANAGEMENT AND PROTECTION ACT"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

SBN 823 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN EDUCATION PRINTING OFFICE"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

SBN 824 "AN ACT TO STABILIZE THE SUGAR INDUSTRY BY ESTABLISHING THE SUGAR INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND STABILIZATION FUND AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD and WAYS AND MEANS

SBN 825 "AN ACT REQUIRING THE FULL DISCLOSURE OF ALL ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS RECEIVING GOVERNMENT FUNDS THRU A SEARCHABLE DATABASE WEBSITE"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS; and FINANCE

SBN 826 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COST SHARING SCHEME TO PROVIDE FOR A HOSPITAL CARE PROGRAM IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

SBN 827 "AN ACT GRANTING COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP TO STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED AS VALEDICTORIANS AND SALUTATORIANS FROM PUBLIC AND STATE-SUPPORTED HIGHSCHOOLS IN THE PHILIPPINES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

SBN 828 "AN ACT INSTITUTING THE PHILIPPINE RAILWAY AUTHORITY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; PUBLIC SERVICES; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 829 "AN ACT CREATING THE OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS PENSION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES; and FINANCE

SBN 830 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING VETERANS MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTERS IN LUZON, VISAYAS AND MINDANAO"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; and FINANCE

SBN 831 "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING PRIVATE LAND FORESTRY TO ENHANCE REFORESTATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND PROVIDING INCENTIVES THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS

SBN 832 "AN ACT CREATING A POSITION OF RURAL DENTIST IN EVERY RURAL HEALTH UNIT UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 833 "AN ACT TO PROMOTE DONATIONS IN GOOD FAITH OF MEDICINES, FOOD PRODUCTS OR SUPPLIES BY ESTABLISHMENTS AND OTHER ENTITIES, INCLUDING INDIVIDUALS, BY EXEMPTING THEM FROM ANY FORM OF LIABILITY ARISING THEREFROM"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

SBN 834 "AN ACT REQUIRING ALL GRADUATING ELEMENTARY, HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDENTS TO PLANT AT LEAST TEN (10) TREES EACH AS PREREQUISITE FOR GRADUATION AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
- Referred to the Committees on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and FINANCE

SBN 835 "AN ACT PRESCRIBING THE STRENGTHENING OF THE NATIONAL EXTENSION SYSTEM TO ACCELERATE AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 836 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A HOUSING PROGRAM FOR TEACHERS"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

SBN 837 "AN ACT MANDATING THE GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO INFORMATION ON FOOD AND OTHER BASIC COMMODITIES TO GUARANTEE THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO AFFORDABLE FOOD AND ADEQUATE FOOD SUPPLY, PRESCRIBING GUIDELINES THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and TRADE AND COMMERCE

SBN 838 "AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT 9165 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE COMPREHENSIVE DANGEROUS DRUGS ACT OF 2002"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

SBN 839 "AN ACT DECLARING AS UNLAWFUL ANY GOVERNMENT PROJECTS TO BE NAMED OR IDENTIFIED AFTER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND OTHER PERSONS WHOSE NAME OR IDENTITY MAY IN ANY MANNER BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID OFFICIALS"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION; and PUBLIC WORKS

SBN 840 "AN ACT EXPANDING THE LIABILITIES OF INDIRECT EMPLOYERS IN JOB CONTRACTING, COVERING OTHER BENEFITS DUE THEIR EMPLOYEES, FOR THIS PURPOSE AMENDING ARTICLE 106 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

SBN 841 "AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, THROUGH THE NATIONAL MAPPING AND RESOURCE INFORMATION AUTHORITY, TOGETHER WITH THE NATIONAL DISASTER COORDINATING COUNCIL, TO IDENTIFY LOW-LYING AREAS OF THE PHILIPPINE TERRITORY VULNERABLE TO RISING SEA LEVELS AS A RESULT OF GLOBAL WARMING, AND AREAS AT HIGH RISK FOR NATURAL DISASTERS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

SBN 842 "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION OF THE PHILIPPINE ATMOSPHERIC, GEOPHYSICAL AND ASTRONOMICAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE

SBN 843 "AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM TAX ALL ALLOWANCES AND BENEFITS GRANTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS, INCLUDING THOSE IN THE STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on WAYS AND MEANS; and EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

SBN 844 "AN ACT CREATING A 'PEOPLE'S FUND', EARMARKING ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE VALUE-ADDED TAX TO THE SAID FUND, FOR THE EXCLUSIVE ALLOCATION TO THE EDUCATION AND HEALTH NEEDS OF OUR PEOPLE, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE THE NATIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committees on FINANCE; and WAYS AND MEANS

SBN 845 "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE SECURITY OF TENURE OF WORKERS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLES 248, 279, 280, 281 AND 288, AND INTRODUCING NEW ARTICLES 106, 106-A, 106-B, 106-C, 106-D, 106-E, 280-A AND 280-B TO PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

SBN 846 "AN ACT GRANTING TAX INCENTIVES TO BROADCAST AND PRINT MEDIA DEVOTING AIR TIME AND SPACE TO EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, AND TO ADVERTISERS OR SPONSORS SUPPORTING SUCH PROGRAMS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and WAYS AND MEANS

SBN 847 "AN ACT INSTITUTING THE NATIONAL TRAFFIC ENGINEERING CENTER, DEFINING ITS FUNCTIONS, PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC SERVICES; PUBLIC WORK;S and FINANCE

SBN 848 "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE NATIONAL YOUTH CENTER OF THE PHILIPPINES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS; and FINANCE

SBN 849 "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE NAVAL ACADEMY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

SBN 850 "AN ACT REQUIRING EVERY OFFICER AND ENLISTED PERSONNEL OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES TO UNDERGO AN ORIENTATION COURSE ON THE CULTURE, LANGUAGE, DIALECT, WAY OF LIVING, HABIT, TRADITION AND THE LIKE OF THE CULTURAL COMMUNITIES WHERE THEY ARE DEPLOYED OR TO BE POSTED"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY; and FINANCE

PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS

PSRN 101 "RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR A SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRADE, COMMERCE, AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND DEFINING ITS JURISDICTION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 13 (9) RULE X OF THE SENATE RULES"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 102 "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO COMMENCE IMMEDIATELY A FULL DELIBERATION, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PROPOSED FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION ITS EFFECTS TO THE CITIZENS, EFFICIENCY IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE, AS A CRUCIAL FRAMEWORK TO PROMOTE INVESTMENTS FOR THE COUNTRY AND FOR MEANINGFUL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TWIN PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY IN THE BUREAUCRACY"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION

PSRN 103 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; AND YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS TO CONDUCT A STUDY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EXTENT AND PREVALENCE OF MALNUTRITION AND HUNGER IN THE COUNTRY WITH THE END-IN-VIEW OF FORMULATING LEGISLATION AND RECOMMENDING APPROACHES AND SOLUTIONS TO HALT THE INCREASING NUMBER OF UNDERWEIGHT AND MALNOURISHED FILIPINO CHILDREN"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS

PSRN 104 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE/S TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ANENT THE REPORTED HUGE DISPARITIES IN THE PRICES OF GASOLINE AND OTHER PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IN NEGROS OCCIDENTAL AND OTHER AREAS IN THE COUNTRY WITH THEIR PRICE INDEX IN METRO MANILA, WITH THE INTENTION OF SUBMITTING CORRECTIVE MECHANISMS IN THE PRESENT DEREGULATION LAW"

- Introduced by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Referred to the Committees on ENERGY; and TRADE AND COMMERCE

PSRN 105 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE QUESTIONABLE CONDUCT OF OFFICIALS OF THE BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION ON THE PROFILING OF FILIPINO PASSENGERS WHICH RESULTS IN DISCRIMINATION AND IMPAIRMENT OF RIGHT TO TRAVEL"

- Introduced by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

PSRN 106 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE RECIPIENTS OF THE 2013 DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY-NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (DOST-NAST) AWARDS IN LIGHT OF THEIR EXEMPLARY AND OUTSTANDING WORK IN SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, TECHNOLOGICAL APPLICATION AND SCIENCE ADMINISTRATION"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 107 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE QUAI BRANLY MUSEUM (MUSÉE DU QUAI BRANLY) IN PARIS, FRANCE, THE PHILIPPINE EMBASSY IN PARIS,

AND PHILIPPINE CULTURAL AGENCIES FOR THE SUCCESSFUL MOUNTING OF A GRAND EXHIBITION ON PHILIPPINE PRE-COLONIAL ART ENTITLED, 'PHILIPPINES: AN ARCHIPELAGO OF EXCHANGE', AS PART OF BROADER EFFORTS TO STRENGTHEN BILATERAL RELATIONS BETWEEN THE PHILIPPINES AND FRANCE IN THE AREA OF CULTURE AND THE ARTS"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 108 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EXODUS OF GOVERNMENT GEOLOGISTS FROM THE MINES AND GEOSCIENCES BUREAU UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION

PSRN 109 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED NEED TO PROTECT AND PRESERVE PREVIOUSLY DECLARED WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES IN THE COUNTRY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

PSRN 110 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE DANGEROUS LEVELS OF MERCURY IN THE AIR, PARTICULARLY IN CAMARINES NORTE, PALAWAN, AND BENGUET"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

PSRN 111 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED NEED TO IMMEDIATELY CURB THE RAMPANT DEFORESTATION IN THE COUNTRY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

PSRN 112 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON WAYS TO PROMOTE CHEMICAL SAFETY AND STRENGTHEN THE NATIONAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STRATEGIC APPROACH TO INTERNATIONAL CHEMICALS MANAGEMENT (SAICM)"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

PSRN 113 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PROLIFERATION OF ILLEGAL WILDLIFE TRADE AND THE NEED FOR A STRONGER ENFORCEMENT OF OUR LAWS TO CURB THE INCIDENTS OF ANIMAL SMUGGLING"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

PSRN 114 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED DEFICIENCY OF RESTROOMS AND TOILETS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

PSRN 115 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NEED TO PREPARE FOR THE CONTINUOUS RISE OF GLOBAL FOOD PRICES BY INCREASING NATIONAL BUDGET ALLOCATIONS TO THE AGRICULTURE SECTOR IN ORDER TO INCREASE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and FINANCE

PSRN 116 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE VAT REFUND FOR GOODS PURCHASED BY FOREIGN AND BALIKBAYAN TOURISTS FROM RETAIL STORES IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on WAYS AND MEANS; and TOURISM

PSRN 117 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE EFFICIENCY OF THE POLICY OF DEVOLVING SLAUGHTERHOUSE OVERSIGHT AND MEAT INSPECTION TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS DUE TO REPORTS OF THE PRESENCE OF CHEMICALS AND TOXINS IN LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

PSRN 118 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE DETERIORATION OF THE LAGUNA LAKE AND ITS POSSIBLE RAMIFICATION ON THE SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

PSRN 119 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NOTORIOUS REPUTATION OF THE PHILIPPINES AS A SOURCE OF ILLEGAL DRUGS AND ITS TRANSSHIPMENT IN ASIA"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- WITHDRAWN

PSRN 120 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NEED TO CREATE MEASURES THAT WILL ADDRESS THE DIMINISHING NUMBER OF FIRE FIGHTERS IN THE COUNTRY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

PSRN 121 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED RISE IN CASES OF SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES AMONG TEENAGERS AS YOUNG AS TWELVE AND THIRTEEN YEARS OLD"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and YOUTH, WOMEN AND FAMILY RELATIONS

PSRN 122 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON FURTHER INCREASING THE COUNTRY'S ABILITY TO ELIMINATE CORRUPTION BY PROMOTING TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION

PSRN 123 "CREATING A SELECT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON BARANGAY AFFAIRS"

- Introduced by Senator FERDINAND "BONGBONG" R. MARCOS JR.
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 124 "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS (BLUE RIBBON); WAYS AND MEANS; AND FINANCE TO LOOK INTO, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, THE PURPORTED 'PADRINO SYSTEM' PREVAILING IN THE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS ALLEGEDLY PERPETRATED BY SOME MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WITH THE END IN VIEW OF INSTITUTING LEGISLATIVE REFORMS TO ADDRESS THE SAME"

- Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO
- Referred to the Committees on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS; and WAYS AND MEANS

PSRN 125 "RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE SENATE THAT THERE SHOULD BE AN OFFICIAL UNIFORM FOR MEMBERS OF BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS ATTENDING THE ANNUAL STATE OF THE NATION ADDRESS EVENT IN KEEPING WITH THE CONSTITUTIONAL DIRECTIVE FOR PUBLIC OFFICIALS TO LIVE MODESTLY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 126 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, EMPLOYMENT, AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NEED TO PROTECT BUSINESS PROCESS OUTSOURCING EMPLOYEES FROM VIOLATIONS OF THEIR RIGHTS AS WORKERS THROUGH THE PASSAGE OF SENATE BILL NO. 57, OR THE MAGNA CARTA OF CALL CENTER WORKERS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

PSRN 127 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REGULATION OR OUTHRIGHT BAN OF ELECTRONIC NICOTINE DEVICES OR E-CIGARETTES DUE TO THEIR INCREASING POPULARITY, THE CONFLICTING CLAIMS OF THE PRODUCTS' HEALTH BENEFITS AND HAZARDS, AND ITS IMPACT ON EXISTING LEGISLATION, PARTICULARLY THOSE REGARDING TOBACCO PRODUCTS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and TRADE AND COMMERCE

PSRN 128 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ALLEGED 'RUBOUT' OF TWO OZAMIZ GANG LEADERS BY MEMBERS OF THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

PSRN 129 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED CORRUPT PRACTICE OF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES ALLOWING FOREIGNERS TO AVAIL OF PHILIPPINE PASSPORTS FOR THE HAJJ PILGRIMAGE IN SAUDI ARABIA"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on FOREIGN RELATIONS

PSRN 130 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING MARIA SUSANA 'TOOTS' OPLE FOR HAVING BEEN CONFERRED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE GLOBAL TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS (TIP) HERO AWARD FOR 2013 FOR HER PERSISTENT AND UNYIELDING EFFORT TO CURB HUMAN TRAFFICKING"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 131 "RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES AND OTHER APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATE OF THE COUNTRY'S MASS TRANSIT SYSTEM"

- Introduced by Senator RAMON A. REVILLA JR.
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

PSRN 132 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED 61,510 TEACHING POSITIONS UNFILLED BY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ONE MONTH AFTER THE OPENING OF THE 2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

PSRN 133 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, REVISION OF CODES AND LAWS TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE SENSE OF THE SENATE THAT THE PDAF (PRIORITY DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE FUND) SHOULD BE HALVED IN 2014, THE REMAINING SUM TO BE HALVED AGAIN IN 2015, THUS PHASING OUT THE PORK BARREL IN 2016"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS

PSRN 134 "RESOLUTION URGING PRESIDENT BENIGNO S. AQUINO III TO DECLARE THE YEAR 2013 AS THE YEAR OF THE OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR COURAGE, DETERMINATION AND SELF-SACRIFICE FOR THE SAKE OF THEIR FAMILIES AND OF THE NATION AT LARGE"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

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