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# 18<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS 2ND REGULAR SESSION

## SENATE BILLS

**SBN 2125** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR LIFETIME VALIDITY OF PERSON WITH DISABILITY IDENTIFICATION CARDS FOR THOSE WITH PERMANENT DISABILITY OR ELDERLY, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'MAGNA CARTA FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY,' AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator SONNY ANGARA*
- *Referred to the Committee on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT*

**SBN 2126** "AN ACT ENSURING ZERO HUNGER FOR ALL FILIPINOS"

- *Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2127** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE TRADITIONAL AND COMPLEMENTARY MEDICINE SYSTEM, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8423, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'TRADITIONAL AND ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE ACT OF 1997'"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2128** "AN ACT PROVIDING A FRAMEWORK TO PROTECT AND PROMOTE THE RIGHT TO ADEQUATE FOOD"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2129** "AN ACT REQUIRING DENTISTS, DENTAL HYGIENISTS AND DENTAL TECHNOLOGISTS TO KEEP PATIENT DENTAL RECORDS, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1575, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LAW 'REQUIRING PRACTITIONERS OF DENTISTRY TO KEEP RECORDS OF THEIR PATIENTS', PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2130** "AN ACT PROMOTING THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE CABLE TELEVISION (CATV) AND DIRECT-TO-HOME TELEVISION (DTH) INDUSTRY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC SERVICES; PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; and WAYS AND MEANS*

**SBN 2131** "AN ACT PROMOTING THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF WIRED INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY (ICT) INFRASTRUCTURE IN RURAL AREAS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator GRACE POE*
- *Referred to the Committees on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS*

**SBN 2132** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL MEDICAL EXAMINATION BENEFIT FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND ALLOCATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- *Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES*

**SBN 2133** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE INSURANCE COMMISSION AND REORGANIZING IT INTO A COLLEGIAL BODY, AMENDING PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 612, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS 'THE INSURANCE CODE'"

- *Introduced by Senator CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE T. GO*
- *Referred to the Committee on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES*

**SBN 2134** "AN ACT IMPROVING TEACHER QUALITY AND ESTABLISHING A TEACHER EDUCATION FOR ACHIEVERS PROGRAM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2135** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE STUDY NOW, PAY LATER PROGRAM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2136** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE NATIONAL POLICY AND FRAMEWORK FOR ENERGY ADVOCACY THROUGH THE CREATION OF THE OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ENERGY COUNSEL"

- *Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committees on ENERGY; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2137** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE REGULATORY SYSTEM IN THE COUNTRY TO COMBAT COUNTERFEIT PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, DECLARING THE MANUFACTURE, IMPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION, SALE OR OFFER FOR SALE, OR POSSESSION OF COUNTERFEIT PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS AS AN OFFENSE INVOLVING ECONOMIC SABOTAGE, PROVIDING FOR THE PROHIBITIONS AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS AND REVISING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8203 OR THE 'SPECIAL LAW'"

- *Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2138** "AN ACT CREATING THE LAGUNA LAKE CONSERVATION AUTHORITY (LLCA), THEREBY REPEALING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 4850, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LAGUNA LAKE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY ACT OF 1966, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committees on GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2139** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE REVISED CHARTER OF THE PHILIPPINE VETERANS BANK, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 3518, AS AMENDED"

- *Introduced by Senator JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI*
- *Referred to the Committees on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY, PEACE, UNIFICATION AND RECONCILIATION*

**SBN 2140** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY, EXTENDING ITS CORPORATE TERM, AND AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 757 (P. D. 757), 'CREATING THE NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY AND DISSOLVING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on URBAN PLANNING, HOUSING AND RESETTLEMENT; GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES; and WAYS AND MEANS*

**SBN 2141** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 6 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10931, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'UNIVERSAL ACCESS TO QUALITY TERTIARY EDUCATION ACT', BY PROVIDING FOR RELIEF FROM CERTAIN INELIGIBILITIES TO FREE TERTIARY EDUCATION AND FREE TVET BENEFICIARIES AFFECTED BY NATIONAL OR LOCAL EMERGENCIES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION*

**SBN 2142** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7305, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MAGNA CARTA OF PUBLIC HEALTH WORKERS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2143** "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 12 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9262, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'ANTI-VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN ACT OF 2004', BY ESTABLISHING A CENTRAL DATABASE OF ALL TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT PROTECTION ORDERS"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, CHILDREN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY*

**SBN 2144** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ONLINE INFORMATION CENTER ON RECALL, PROHIBITION, DEFECT AND OTHER SAFETY-RELATED DATA ON CONSUMER PRODUCTS AND MOTOR VEHICLES"

- *Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MASS MEDIA; TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2145** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING LOCAL COOPERATIVES DEVELOPMENT FUND, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- *Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committees on COOPERATIVES; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2146** "AN ACT GRANTING THE HAPI JOCKEY CLUB, INC. A FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN RACE TRACKS FOR HORSE RACING IN THE PROVINCES OF BATANGAS, LAGUNA, AND CAVITE"

- *Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO*
- *Referred to the Committees on PUBLIC SERVICES; GAMES AND AMUSEMENT; and WAYS AND MEANS*

**SBN 2147** "AN ACT REGULATING THE IMPOSITION OF FEES FOR THE USE OF PARKING SPACES LOCATED WITHIN COMMERCIAL AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS, INSTITUTIONS AND OTHER PARKING FACILITIES"

- *Introduced by Senators RAMON BONG REVILLA JR., WIN GATCHALIAN, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY and AQUILINO "KOKO" III PIMENTEL*
- *Committee Report No. 230*

**SBN 2148** "AN ACT MANDATING PAID PANDEMIC LEAVES FOR QUALIFIED EMPLOYEES DURING THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committees on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION; and FINANCE*

**SBN 2149** "AN ACT ENSURING THE WELFARE AND PROTECTION OF BUSINESS PROCESS OUTSOURCING (BPO) WORKERS IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT*



## PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS

**PSRN 694** "RESOLUTION URGING THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT TO EXERT ALL LEGAL AND DIPLOMATIC ACTIONS ON THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT IN ASSERTING PHILIPPINE SOVEREIGNTY AND SOVEREIGN RIGHTS IN THE WEST PHILIPPINE SEA FOLLOWING THE PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD REPORTEDLY SPOTTING AROUND 220 CHINESE MILITIA VESSELS MOORED AT THE JULIAN FELIPE REEF"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committees on FOREIGN RELATIONS; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY, PEACE, UNIFICATION AND RECONCILIATION*

**PSRN 695** "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT'S COVID-19 VACCINATION PROGRAM AMID RECENT REPORTS THAT CERTAIN LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVES, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS WERE ABLE TO GET VACCINATED IN VIOLATION OF THE PRIORITIZATION PROTOCOL PUT IN PLACE TO ENSURE TIMELY ACCESS FOR FRONTLINERS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE HEALTH SECTOR AND THE COVID-19 RESPONSE EFFORTS"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON THE COVID-19 VACCINATION PROGRAM*

**PSRN 696** "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO LOOK INTO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9242, OR THE ACT PRESCRIBING THE USE OF THE PHILIPPINE TROPICAL FABRICS FOR UNIFORMS OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THE OVERSIGHT FUNCTION OF CONGRESS"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committee on CIVIL SERVICE, GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION*

**PSRN 697** "RESOLUTION URGING THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS MANDATE, TO IMMEDIATELY LOOK INTO AND COME UP WITH DEFINITE FINDINGS REGARDING THE USE OF THE DRUG IVERMECTIN FOR THE TREATMENT OF COVID-19"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

**PSRN 698** "A RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TO EXPLORE THE EFFICACY AND VIABILITY OF IVERMECTIN AS AN ALTERNATIVE DRUG TO PREVENT AND TREAT CORONAVIRUS DISEASES (COVID-19)"

- *Introduced by Senator EMMANUEL "MANNY" D. PACQUIAO*
- *Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

**PSRN 699** "RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION TO IMMEDIATELY REVIEW AND ANALYZE TREATMENTS AND MEDICATIONS, INCLUDING ONGOING CLINICAL TRIALS AND OPTIONAL USE, FOR COVID-19 PATIENTS TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THE INCREASE IN THEIR PRICES AND LACK OF SUPPLY THEREOF"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committees on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP*

**PSRN 700** "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATUS OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT'S COVID-19 VACCINATION PROGRAM WITH THE END VIEW OF STREAMLINING THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR IN ORDER TO ENSURE EQUITABLE AND UNENCUMBERED ACCESS TO COVID-19 VACCINES AND ACCELERATE EXISTING INOCULATION EFFORTS TO PROTECT THE GENERAL PUBLIC"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committees on FINANCE; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY*

**PSRN 701** "RESOLUTION URGING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE, TO CONDUCT A REVIEW, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM ESTABLISHED UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10931, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE UNIVERSAL ACCESS TO QUALITY TERTIARY EDUCATION ACT"

- *Introduced by Senator JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; and BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES*

**PSRN 702** "RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY AND SINCERE CONDOLENCES OF THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES ON THE DEATH OF CRISPULO JULIO JUN ICBAN, JR., EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF MANILA BULLETIN, FORMER PRESS SECRETARY AND VETERAN JOURNALIST"

- *Introduced by Senator RAMON BONG REVILLA JR.*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

**PSRN 703** "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS OF ARRESTED CURFEW VIOLATORS DURING THE REIMPLEMENTATION OF THE ENHANCED COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (ECQ)"

- *Introduced by Senator LEILA M. DE LIMA*
- *Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS*

**PSRN 704** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE FLAGRANT VIOLATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10611 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE FOOD SAFETY ACT OF 2013 RESULTING TO THE ENTRY OF HAZARDOUS AND CONTAMINATED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS IN THE COUNTRY THEREBY CAUSING OUTBREAKS DETRIMENTAL TO PUBLIC HEALTH AND THREAT TO THE FOOD SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY"

- *Introduced by Senator IMEE R. MARCOS*
- *Referred to the Committees on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP*

**PSRN 705** "RESOLUTION CONDEMNING ACTS OF HARASSMENT, RED-TAGGING AND INTIMIDATION, ESPECIALLY BY NATIONAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITIES, AGAINST PRIVATE CITIZENS CONDUCTING COMMUNITY PANTRIES IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senator RISA HONTIVEROS*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

**PSRN 706** "RESOLUTION COMMENDING ANA PATRICIA NON FOR PIONEERING THE MAGINHAWA COMMUNITY PANTRY AND INSPIRING OTHER PEOPLE TO SET UP THEIR OWN COMMUNITY PANTRIES TO HELP THEIR COUNTRYMEN IN NEED DURING THE UNPRECEDENTED TIME OF CRISIS CAUSED BY THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19) PANDEMIC"

- *Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

**PSRN 707** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE/S OF THE SENATE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE NATIONAL TASK FORCE TO END LOCAL COMMUNIST ARMED CONFLICT (NTF-ELCAC), WITH A VIEW TO DETERMINING WHETHER THE NTF-ELCAC IS EFFECTIVE IN FULFILLING ITS MANDATE AND EFFICIENT IN ITS BUDGET UTILIZATION"

- *Introduced by Senators MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, GRACE POE, WIN GATCHALIAN, RALPH G. RECTO and JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committees on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY, PEACE, UNIFICATION AND RECONCILIATION; and FINANCE*

**PSRN 708** "RESOLUTION CONDEMNING THE ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA IN THE EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE OF THE PHILIPPINES AND OTHER PARTS OF THE WEST PHILIPPINE SEA, IN VIOLATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION ON THE LAW OF THE SEA AND THE 2016 AWARD BY THE PERMANENT COURT OF ARBITRATION IN FAVOR OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- *Introduced by Senators FRANKLIN M. DRILON, RALPH G. RECTO, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, LEILA M. DE LIMA, RICHARD J. GORDON, RISA HONTIVEROS, MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID, FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN, GRACE POE, RAMON BONG REVILLA JR. and JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

**PSRN 709** "RESOLUTION CENSURING LIEUTENANT GENERAL ANTONIO PARLADE, JR. SPOKESPERSON OF THE NATIONAL TASK FORCE TO END LOCAL COMMUNIST ARMED CONFLICT (NTF-ELCAC), FOR HIS DISRESPECTFUL, DEROGATORY AND DEMEANING STATEMENTS AGAINST MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOLLOWING THEIR CRITICISM OF HIS PERSISTENT RED TAGGING OF CIVILIANS"

- *Introduced by Senators FRANKLIN M. DRILON, VICENTE C. SOTTO III, RALPH G. RECTO, JUAN MIGUEL "MIGZ" F. ZUBIRI, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY, PIA S. CAYETANO, LEILA M. DE LIMA, WIN GATCHALIAN, RICHARD J. GORDON, RISA HONTIVEROS, PANFILO "PING" M. LACSON, FRANCIS "KIKO" N. PANGILINAN, AQUILINO "KOKO" III PIMENTEL, GRACE POE and JOEL VILLANUEVA*
- *Referred to the Committee on RULES*

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

**CRN 230 on SBN 2147**, submitted by the Committee on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP, with Senators RAMON BONG REVILLA JR., WIN GATCHALIAN, MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY and AQUILINO "KOKO" III PIMENTEL, as authors thereof, entitled "AN ACT REGULATING THE IMPOSITION OF FEES FOR THE USE OF PARKING SPACES LOCATED WITHIN COMMERCIAL AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS, INSTITUTIONS AND OTHER PARKING FACILITIES" recommending its approval in substitution of SBNos. 436, 745 and 1000.

- *Sponsor: Senator AQUILINO "KOKO" III PIMENTEL*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

**CRN 231 on SBN 1376**, submitted by the Committees on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP and SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT, with Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY as author thereof, entitled "AN ACT EDUCATING THE PUBLIC, SENIOR CITIZENS, THEIR FAMILIES AND THEIR CAREGIVERS ON IDENTIFYING AND PREVENTING FRAUDULENT ACTIVITIES TARGETING SENIOR CITIZENS" recommending its approval with amendments.

- *Sponsor: Senator AQUILINO "KOKO" III PIMENTEL*
- *Calendared for Ordinary Business*

## **THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES AS AN INSTITUTION**

The Senate of the Philippines is one of the pillars of the country's lawmaking body, the other one being the House of Representatives. It is composed of 24 elected Senators whose terms of office shall be six (6) years. This dynamic institution is established to balance our economic, social and political environment and whose concerns are national in scope.

As the bastion of democracy, its action is centered on consensus and consultation with the end purpose of serving the best interest of the Filipino people.

The SENATE also values the importance of having productive and harmonious relationship with other institutions, from the government and the private sector, to create an environment where rapport and goodwill among institutions prevail. Its main objective is the passage of good, implementable and doable laws in pursuit of democratic ideals that would truly serve the national interest and the welfare of the people.

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