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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## H. No. 3697

## BY REPRESENTATIVES ROMAN, RODRIGUEZ (R.), MENDOZA (R.), UMALI (C.) AND HERRERA-DY

AN ACT FURTHER AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 6948, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "AN ACT STANDARDIZING AND UPGRADING THE BENEFITS FOR MILITARY VETERANS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS", AS AMENDED •

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

SECTION 1. Paragraph (h) of Section 5 of Republic Act No. 6948, as
amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

3 "(h) If and while the disability is rated anywhere from ninety-one to one 4 hundred *per centum* (91%-100%), the monthly pension shall be One thousand 5 seven hundred pesos (P1,700); plus Five hundred pesos (P500) for the spouse 6 and each unmarried minor children [: Provided, That a veteran, with or without 7 a service-connected or non-service connected disability, upon reaching the age 8 of seventy (70) is deemed totally disabled with one hundred per centum 9 (100%) rating and shall be entitled to a monthly pension of One thousand 10 seven hundred pesos (P1,700) plus Five hundred pesos (P500) for the spouse and each unmarried children]." 11

SEC. 2. All other laws, rules, regulations, orders, circulars and
memoranda inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or modified
accordingly.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its approval. Approved,