HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6267

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAPUS, ARROYO (I.) AND CUA (J.), PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1953

- AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A RELOCATION SURVEY OF CADASTRAL LOTS IN LAHAR-AFFECTED AREAS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES
- Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:
- SECTION 1. *Title.* This Act shall be known as the "Relocation
 Survey of Lahar-Affected Areas Act of 2009".

3 SEC. 2. Authority to Conduct the Relocation Survey. - The 4 Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) is hereby 5 authorized to conduct a relocation survey of cadastral lots in the 6 lahar-affected areas within the provinces of Zambales, Pampanga and 7 Tarlac, numbering approximately fifty thousand one hundred and forty-one 8 (50,141) lots and nine hundred seventy-three (973) control points. The 9 relocation survey shall consist of the following activities:

- 10 (a) Research and reconnaissance;
- 11 (b) Project control recovery and densification;
- 12 (c) Computation of lot data;
- 13 (d) Political boundary surveys;
- 14 (e) Computation and cartographic works;

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- (f) Setting of cadastral lots and boundary; and
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(g) Plans finalization and submission.

3 SEC. 3. Awarding of Contracts. – The DENR may, subject to 4 bidding rules and regulations, award any relocation survey contract under 5 this Act to private land surveyors, corporations or partnerships engaged in 6 survey work, under the most advantageous terms to the government.

SEC. 4. Appropriations. - The Secretary of Environment and
Natural Resources shall immediately include in the Department's program
the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in
the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 5. *Repealing Clause*. – All laws, decrees, executive orders and
 other executive issuances which are inconsistent with or contrary to the
 provisions of this Act are hereby deemed repealed or modified accordingly.

SEC. 6. Effectivity. - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days
after its publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of
general circulation.

Approved,

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