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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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BY REPRESENTATIVES RODRIGUEZ (I.), TUPAS AND LIMKAICHONG, PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 2633

AN ACT CREATING SEVEN (7) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF MORONG AND SAN MATEO, PROVINCE OF RIZAL, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (E) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

- SECTION 1. Five (5) additional Regional Trial Court branches for the
 Municipality of Morong and two (2) additional Regional Trial Court branches
 for the Municipality of San Mateo, all in the Province of Rizal, with seats
 thereat, are hereby created in the Fourth Judicial Region.

 SEC. 2. The Supreme Court shall assign the respective branch numbers
 - of the newly-created court branches.

 SEC. 3. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall immediately include in the
- 9 Court's program the implementation of this Act. The funding therefor shall
- 10 likewise be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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| SEC. 4. Section 14(e) of Batas Pambansa Blg. 129, otherwise known as |
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| "The Judiciary Reorganization Act of 1980", as amended, as well as other |
| provisions that may be inconsistent herewith, is hereby deemed repealed, |
| modified and/or further amended. |

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete publication in the *Official Gazette* or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,