



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 5896

BY REPRESENTATIVES FERNANDEZ, TUPAS AND LIMKAICHONG

AN ACT CREATING THREE (3) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN PEDRO, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA, 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:

1 SECTION 1. Three (3) additional branches of the Regional Trial Court
2 to be stationed at the Municipality of San Pedro, Province of Laguna, with
3 seats thereat, are hereby created in the Fourth Judicial Region.

4 SEC. 2. The Supreme Court shall assign the respective branch numbers
5 of the newly-created Regional Trial Court branches in the Fourth Judicial
6 Region.

7 SEC. 3. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in coordination with
8 the Secretary of the Department of Justice, shall immediately include in the

1 Court's program the implementation of this Act. The funding therefor shall
2 likewise be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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5 provisions that may be inconsistent herewith, is hereby deemed repealed,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

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

Approved,

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