



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 6290

BY REPRESENTATIVES VILLAFUERTE, NOGRALES (K.A.) AND
SY-ALVARADO

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MULTISPECIES MARINE
HATCHERY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LIBMANAN,
PROVINCE OF CAMARINES SUR AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision
2 of the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources of the
3 Department of Agriculture (BFAR-DA), a multispecies marine
4 hatchery in the Municipality of Libmanan, Province of
5 Camarines Sur.

6 SEC. 2. The BFAR-DA shall, within two (2) years after the
7 construction of the multispecies marine hatchery, transfer the
8 management of the same to the local government unit concerned
9 through a memorandum of agreement. It shall implement a training
10 and phasing-in program for local government personnel on the
11 management and operation of the hatchery.

12 SEC. 3. The Secretary of Agriculture shall include in the
13 Department's programs the establishment of the multispecies

1 marine hatchery in the Municipality of Libmanan, Province of
2 Camarines Sur, the funding of which shall be included in the
3 annual General Appropriations Act. The local government unit
4 concerned shall set aside funds from any available local revenue
5 deemed appropriate for the operationalization of the hatchery.

6 SEC. 4. Within sixty (60) days from the passage of this Act,
7 the Secretary of Agriculture shall issue the rules and regulations on
8 the supervision and monitoring, and the transfer or withdrawal by
9 the BFAR of the multispecies marine hatchery.

10 SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after
11 its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of
12 general circulation.

Approved,

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