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AN ACT MANDATING GOLF CLUBS TO PROVIDE SOCIAL SECURITY AND WELFARE BENEFITS TO GOLF CADDIES AND OTHER RELATED SERVICE WORKERS THROUGH A SHARED CONTRIBUTION SCHEME

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

SECTION 1. The management of every golf club shall accredit golf caddies and other related service workers who are rendering service to players of the golf club.

SEC. 2. Golf caddies and other related service workers of a golf club shall be covered by the Social Security System (SSS), the

Home Development Mutual Fund or the Pag-IBIG Fund, and the

Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (PhilHealth) upon their accreditation by the golf club management.

The payment of the SSS, Pag-IBIG Fund and PhilHealth monthly contributions shall be jointly shared by the golf caddies and other related service workers, and the golf club management in accordance with existing rules and regulations.

Golf caddies and other related service workers shall also be entitled to retirement benefits as provided under Republic Act No. 8282, otherwise known as the "Social Security Law", and other existing laws.

SEC. 3. The golf club management shall devise and institute a mechanism for the collection of the SSS, Pag-IBIG Fund, and PhilHealth monthly contributions from golf caddies and other related service workers.

SEC. 4. All laws, decrees, executive orders, letters of implementation, rules and regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with any provision of this Act are hereby repealed, modified, superseded or amended accordingly.

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

Approved,