CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS Second Regular Session

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 7970

By Representative Remulla, per Committee Report No. 578

AN ACT

CONVERTING THE GENERAL EMILIO AGUINALDO MEMORIAL HOSPITAL IN THE CITY OF TRECE MARTIRES, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, INTO A GENERAL HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE CAVITE CENTRAL GENERAL HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

- SECTION 1. The General Emilio Aguinaldo Memorial Hospital in the City of Trece Martires, Province of Cavite, is hereby converted into a general hospital, to be known as the Cavite Central General Hospital (CCGH), which shall be under the direct control and supervision of the Department of Health (DOH).
- SEC. 2. The bed capacity of the CCGH shall be increased from two hundred sixty four (264) to six hundred (600) beds. Any future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent with its hospital development plan which shall be prepared by the DOH.
- SEC. 3. The existing professional health care services and facilities of the CCGH are also hereby upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity as provided for in Section 2 hereof.
- SEC. 4. The existing workforce of the CCGH, which includes doctors, nurses, and support personnel, shall also be increased correspondingly. The Secretary of the DOH shall, after consultation with the Chief of the CCGH, and in coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) and the Commissioner of the Civil Service Commission, determine the additional new positions to be created and filled up.
- SEC. 5. The DBM, in consultation with the DOH and the Provincial Government of Cavite, shall determine the cost of renationalized functions relative to the operations of the CCGH from its current Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) and thereafter, and cause the allocation of the same to the DOH chargeable against the IRA of the Provincial Government of Cavite.

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- **SEC. 6.** The Secretary of the DOH 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. 7.** If any provision or part of this Act is declared unconstitutional, the remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.
- **SEC. 8.** All laws, executive orders, issuances, rules and regulations, inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.
- **SEC. 9.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,