



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 8758

BY REPRESENTATIVES RAMIREZ-SATO, TAN (S.A.) AND TAMBUNTING, PER COMMITTEE REPORT
No. 760

AN ACT

**CONVERTING THE SAN JOSE DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF
SAN JOSE, PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO, INTO A GENERAL HOSPITAL
TO BE KNOWN AS THE SOUTHERN OCCIDENTAL MINDORO GENERAL
HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

1 **SECTION 1.** The San Jose District Hospital in the Municipality of San Jose,
2 Province of Occidental Mindoro, is hereby converted into a general hospital, to be
3 known as the Southern Occidental Mindoro General Hospital (SOMGH), and shall be
4 placed under the direct control and supervision of the Department of Health (DOH).
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6 **SEC. 2.** The authorized bed capacity of the SOMGH shall be increased from fifty
7 (50) to two hundred (200) beds. Any future increase in bed capacity shall be consistent
8 with the hospital development plan, that shall be prepared by the Chief of Hospital of the
9 SOMGH and submitted to the DOH.
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11 **SEC. 3.** The existing professional health care services and facilities of the
12 SOMGH shall also be upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase
13 in bed capacity as provided for in Section 2 hereof.
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15 **SEC. 4.** The existing workforce of the SOMGH, which includes doctors, nurses,
16 and support personnel, shall be increased correspondingly.
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18 **SEC. 5.** The Secretary of the DOH shall, after consultation with the Chief of
19 Hospital of the SOMGH, and in coordination with the Secretary of the Department of
20 Budget and Management (DBM) and the Chairperson of the Civil Service Commission,
21 determine the additional new positions to be created and filled up.

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2 **SEC. 6.** The DBM shall, in consultation with the DOH and the Provincial
3 Government of Occidental Mindoro, determine the cost of the renationalized functions
4 relative to the operations of the SOMGH, from the current Internal Revenue Allotment
5 (IRA) of the Province of Occidental Mindoro. Thereafter, such amount shall be allocated
6 to the DOH, chargeable against the IRA of the Provincial Government of Occidental
7 Mindoro.

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9 **SEC. 7.** The Secretary of the DOH shall immediately include in the Department's
10 program the implementation of this Act, the funding of which shall be included in the
11 annual General Appropriations Act.

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13 **SEC. 8.** If any provision or part of this Act is declared unconstitutional, the
14 remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

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16 **SEC. 9.** All laws, executive orders, issuances, rules and regulations, inconsistent
17 with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

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

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22 *Approved,*