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## **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

H. No. 8214

By Representatives Suarez, Marcos and Romualdez (F.M.), per Committee Report No. 558

## AN ACT

## ESTABLISHING IN THE CITY OF LUCENA, PROVINCE OF QUEZON, A GENERAL HOSPITAL TO BE KNOWN AS THE LUCENA CITY HOSPITAL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

**SECTION 1.** There shall be established in the City of Lucena, Province of Quezon, a tertiary hospital to be known as the Lucena City Hospital, which shall be under the direct control and supervision of the Department of Health (DOH).

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SEC. 2. Any future increase in bed capacity, healthcare facilities, service capability, and human resource complement shall be based on the hospital development plan that shall be prepared by the DOH and aligned with Republic Act No. 11223, otherwise known as the Universal Health Care Act.

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**SEC. 3.** The Secretary of Health 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.

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SEC. 4. 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.

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SEC. 5. All laws, executive orders, issuances, and rules and regulations inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

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SEC. 6. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,