

"AN ACT CONVERTING THE CEBU STATE COLLEGE INTO A STATE UNIVERSITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE CEBU NORMAL UNIVERSITY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR."

[Third Regular Session, 10th Congress]
[1997]

- Oct. 27 - Introduced by Sen. ANGARA and FERNAN;
29 - Read on First Reading and referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE;
- Senator Osmeña III was made coauthor on motion of Senator Angara;
- Nov. 27 - Returned and submitted jointly by the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance per Committee Report No. 783, recommending its approval without amendment, taking into consideration HBN-1325;
- Submitted said report to the Senate;

- Sponsors: Senators Angara and Herrera;
- Assigned for consideration by Special Order;
- Sponsorship speech of Senator Angara;
- Co-sponsorship speech of Senator Fernan;
- Period of interpellation closed;
- Period of committee amendments closed;
- Period of individual amendments closed;
- Senators Tatad and Herrera were made coauthors;
- Approved on Second Reading without amendment;
- Dec. 1 - Printed copies were distributed to the Senators;
- 8 - Approved on Third Reading;
- In favor : (21) Angara, Coseteng, Drilon, Enrile, Fernan, Flavier, Gonzales, Herrera, Honasan, Macapagal, Maceda, Magsaysay, Jr., Mercado, Revilla, Roco, Romulo, Santiago, Shahani, Sotto III, Tatad, and Webb;
- Against : N o n e;
- Abstention: N o n e;
- 9 - Sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence;
- [1998]
- Jan. 9 - Senate requested the House of Representatives for a conference on the disagreeing provisions of SBN-2320, designating Senators Angara, Fernan, Herrera and Osmeña III as its conferees;
- 28 - Senate reconstituted its panel in the conference committee designating Senators Angara, Shahani, Fernan and Flavier as its conferees;
- 29 - House of Representatives accepted the request of the Senate and designated Representatives Lacson, Quimpo, Angara-Castillo, Gullas and Abueg, Jr., as its conferees (O.B. dated Feb. 6, 1998);
- Feb. 5 - Conference Committee Report submitted to the Senate, recommending that HBN-1325 be approved in consolidation with SBN-2320;
- Sponsorship speech of Senator Angara on the Conference Committee Report;
- Conference Committee Report approved by the Senate;
- 12 - Conference Committee Report approved by the House of Representatives on February 5, 1998;

RECORD OF THE SENATE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1997

OPENING OF THE SESSION

At 3:10 p.m., the Senate President, Hon. Ernesto M. Maceda, called the session to order.

The President. The 29th session of the Third Regular Session of the Tenth Congress is hereby called to order.

Let us all stand for the opening prayer to be led by Sen. Juan Ponce Enrile.

Everybody rose for the prayer.

PRAYER

Senator Enrile. Thank you, Mr. President.

Let us bow our heads before the Lord.

Dear Lord, we offer this session to You and ask You to bless it with Your wisdom and grace.

We thank You for this opportunity to be together again, to grow in our love and service of You and of each other.

We ask You to enlighten our minds and to know what is true and just and strengthen our wills to carry out faithfully our duties.

May all our thoughts, words, and actions be directed to making Your Name and Your love better known among men for their sanctification and their happiness here and in eternity.

Amen.

ROLL CALL

The President. The Secretary will please call the roll.

The Secretary, reading:

- Senator Heherson T. Alvarez..... Present*
Senator Edgardo J. Angara Present
Senator Anna Dominique M.L. Coseteng . Absent
Senator Franklin M. Drilon **
Senator Juan Ponce Enrile Present
Senator Marcelo B. Fernan Present
Senator Juan M. Flavie r Present

- Senator Neptali A. Gonzales Present
Senator Ernesto F. Herrera Absent
Senator Gregorio B. Honasan Present
Senator Gloria M. Macapagal Present*
Senator Ramon B. Magsaysay Jr. Present*
Senator Orlando S. Mercado Present
Senator Blas F. Ople **
Senator Sergio R. Osmeña III Present
Senator Ramon B. Revilla Present
Senator Raul S. Roco **
Senator Alberto G. Romulo Present
Senator Miriam Defensor-Santiago Present
Senator Leticia R. Shahani Absent
Senator Vicente C. Sotto III Present*
Senator Francisco S. Tatad Present
Senator Freddie N. Webb Present
The President Present

The President. With 14 senators present, the Chair declares the presence of a quorum.

THE JOURNAL

Senator Tatad. Mr. President, I move that we dispense with the reading of the Journal of the previous session and consider it approved.

The President. Is there any objection? [Silence] There being none, the motion is approved.

The Secretary will please read the Reference of Business.

REFERENCE OF BUSINESS

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The Secretary. Senate Bill No. 2320, entitled

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Introduced by Senators Angara and Fernan

The President. Referred to the Committees on Education, Arts and Culture; and Finance.

* Arrived after the roll call
** On official mission but arrived after the roll call