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A. AUTHORED SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

SBN-2443 “AN ACT EXPANDING THE GROUNDS FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE, INSTITUTING DIVORCE AND SETTING THE PROCEDURES THEREOF, PROVIDING PROTECTIONS TO THE PARTIES TO THE MARRIAGE AND ITS COMMON CHILDREN, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 209, OR THE FAMILY CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES”

- Short Title: DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE ACT
- Date Filed: September 18, 2023

SBN-2447 “AN ACT DEFINING THE RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS OF HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS, DECLARING STATE RESPONSIBILITIES, AND INSTITUTING EFFECTIVE MECHANISMS FOR THE PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF THESE RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS”

- Short Title: HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS PROTECTION ACT
- Date Filed: September 21, 2023

SBN-2471 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING PROTECTIONS AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9208, AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10364, ENTITLED AN ACT TO INSTITUTE POLICIES TO ELIMINATE TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS ESPECIALLY WOMEN AND/OR CHILDREN, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR ITS VIOLATIONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: EXPANDED ANTI-TRAFFICKING ACT OF 2023
- Date Filed: November 6, 2023

SBN-2512 “AN ACT DEFINING THE CRIME OF SUBORNATION OF PERJURY, AND AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ACT NO. 3815, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE REVISED PENAL CODE”

- Short Title: CRIME OF SUBORNATION OF PERJURY
- Date Filed: December 12, 2023

SBN-2529 “AN ACT REORGANIZING THE COUNCIL FOR THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN INTO THE PHILIPPINE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: PHILIPPINE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN ACT
- Date Filed: February 5, 2024

SBN-2612 “PROVIDING FOR THE MAGNA CARTA OF CHILDREN”

- Short Title: THE MAGNA CARTA OF CHILDREN
- Date Filed: March 18, 2024

SBN-2626 “AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OR MUNICIPAL CIVIL REGISTRAR AND THE CONSUL GENERAL TO CHANGE THE SEX AND THE FIRST NAME OF AN INTERSEX PERSON APPEARING IN THE CIVIL REGISTER WITHOUT THE NEED OF A JUDICIAL ORDER, AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9048 AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10172”

- Short Title: THE CAGANDAHAN LAW
- Date Filed: March 20, 2024

B. CO-AUTHORED SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

SBN-2432 “AN ACT DEFINING THE CRIMES OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIC SABOTAGE, PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR, CREATING THE ANTI-AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIC SABOTAGE COUNCIL, REPEALING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10845 OR THE ANTI-AGRICULTURAL SMUGGLING ACT OF 2016, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: ANTI-AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIC SABOTAGE ACT
- Date Filed: September 4, 2023

SBN-2439 “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PHILIPPINE ECOSYSTEM AND NATURAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTING SYSTEM, MANDATING ITS USE IN POLICY AND DECISION-MAKING, DESIGNATING THE AGENCIES RESPONSIBLE FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION, PROVIDING INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS AMONG RESPONSIBLE AGENCIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: PHILIPPINE ECOSYSTEM AND NATURAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTING SYSTEM (PENCAS) ACT
- Date Filed: September 12, 2023

SBN-2467 “AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE DISABILITY SUPPORT FUND FOR THE EMPOWERMENT, FULL PARTICIPATION AND INCLUSION OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN SOCIETY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: DISABILITY SUPPORT FUND ACT
- Date Filed: October 17, 2023

SBN-2492 “AN ACT DECLARING THE MARITIME ZONES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES”

- Short Title: PHILIPPINE MARITIME ZONES ACT
- Date Filed: November 21, 2023

SBN-2575 “AN ACT ENSURING THE ALIGNMENT OF BASIC EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10410, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'EARLY YEARS ACT (EYA) OF 2013', AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

- Short Title: BASIC EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT ALIGNMENT ACT
- Date Filed: February 27, 2024

SBN-2593 “AN ACT REVISING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9184 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT REFORM ACT' AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: NEW GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT ACT
- Date Filed: March 6, 2024

SBN-2598 “AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES OF STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”

- Short Title: STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES (SUCS) MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ACT
- Date Filed: March 11, 2024

SBN-2620 “AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11223, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE ACT’”

- Short Title: UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE ACT (AMENDING RA. NO. 11223)
- Date Filed: March 19, 2024



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