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SBN 2789 "AN ACT INCLUDING RESPONSIVE, EMPOWERED AND SERVICE-CENTERED YOUTH IN THE DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL IN ALL LEVELS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10121, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT ACT OF 2010"

- Introduced by Senator(s) MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO, PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV and CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on YOUTH; and NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

**SBN 2790** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PHILIPPINE BASIC EDUCATION NUTRITION AND PERFORMANCE ACCELERATION PROGRAM, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN. 2791** "AN ACT AMENDING ACT NO. 3815, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PENAL CODE, BY PENALIZING ROBBERY OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION VEHICLE AND RELATED THINGS."

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN. 2792** "AN ACT IMPOSING PENALTIES ON PERSON OR PERSONS GUILTY OF FENCING PUBLIC PROPERTY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 2793** "AN ACT EXPANDING THE COVERAGE OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10627, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ANTI-BULLYING ACT OF 2013 AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE SECTIONS 2 AND 6 THEREOF AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 2794** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NEW ANTI-CARNAPPING LAW OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator Senator(s) FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO, ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES, MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO and GRACE L. POE
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

**SBN. 2795** "AN ACT REORGANIZING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator JINGGOY P. EJERCITO-ESTRADA
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN. 2796** "AN ACT AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 209, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE FAMILY CODE, BY INCLUDING PROVISIONS ON PERMANENT GUARDIANSHIP OVER MINORS WHO HAVE BEEN PLACED IN THE CARE OF SUITABLE RELATIVES AND THE CONDITIONS FOR ITS TERMINATION"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 2797** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A COMPREHENSIVE ADDICTION AND RECOVERY PROGRAM"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

**SBN. 2798** "AN ACT DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT PILOT STUDIES TO DETERMINE THE ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS WHICH MAY CAUSE ACQUIRED BONE MARROW FAILURE DISEASES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2799** "AN ACT AMENDING ACT NO. 4120, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT CREATING A NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS FOR THE PROMOTION OF RESEARCH WORK ALONG SCIENTIFIC LINES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**SBN 2800** "AN ACT FURTHER AMENDING SECTION 391 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 612, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'INSURANCE CODE', AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10607"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES; and JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 2801** "AN ACT EXPANDING THE DEFINITION OF SURVIVORS OF AFP MILITARY PERSONNEL ENTITLED TO RETIREMENT AND SEPARATION BENEFITS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 1638"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on NATIONAL DEFENSE AND SECURITY

**SBN. 2802** "AN ACT IMPROVING DNA FACILITIES IN THE COUNTRY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS; and FINANCE

**SBN. 2803** "AN ACT IMPOSING A CIGARETTE FLOOR PRICE ON TOBACCO PRODUCTS TO PREVENT ACCESS THERETO BY THE YOUTH AND TO ADDRESS THE ILLICIT TRADE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS TO CHILDREN"

- Introduced by Senator ALAN PETER COMPANERO S. CAYETANO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 2804** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A BREASTFEEDING CENTER IN EVERY BARANGAY THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 2805** "AN ACT TO PREVENT CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC SERVICES; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2806** "AN ACT PROVIDING GRANTS TO COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS IN ORDER TO PROMOTE POSITIVE HEALTH BEHAVIORS IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2807** "AN ACT REQUIRING GOVERNMENT OFFICES, BUREAUS, AGENCIES, INSTRUMENTALITIES AND AFFILIATES, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS, TO DISCLOSE CONTACT INFORMATION"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on CIVIL SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION

**SBN 2808** "AN ACT PROMOTING AWARENESS OF CHRONIC FATIGUE SYNDROME"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2809** "AN ACT AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 209, ALSO KNOWN AS THE FAMILY CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, ARTICLE 18"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 2810** "AN ACT TO ENSURE IMPROVED ACCOUNTABILITY OF ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATION PROGRAMS"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD; and SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

**SBN 2811** "AN ACT PROVIDING ACCESS TO INDIGENOUS CULTURAL COMMUNITIES/INDIGENOUS PEOPLES TO VARIOUS INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on CULTURAL COMMUNITIES; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2812** "AN ACT REGULATING THE SALE OR DISTRIBUTION OF MERCURY THERMOMETERS"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

**SBN 2813** "AN ACT LIMITING THE CONSECUTIVE HOURS OF WORK BY NURSES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

**SBN 2814** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A FAIR AND EQUITABLE TERMS FOR THE RELEASE OF MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS' PROFESSIONAL FEES WITHHELD BY HOSPITALS OR MEDICAL CLINICS FOR FAILURE OF THE PATIENT TO PAY HOSPITAL BILLS AND PENALIZING VIOLATIONS THEREFOR"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 2815** "AN ACT REQUIRING INDUSTRIES ENGAGED IN THE EXPLOITATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES TO GIVE PREFERENTIAL EMPLOYMENT TO LOCAL RESIDENTS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 2816** "AN ACT PREVENTING THE MANUFACTURE OR IMPORTATION OF PRODUCTS WITH TOXIC AND HAZARDOUS PACKAGING"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

**SBN 2817** "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**SBN 2818** "AN ACT TO REQUIRE MANUFACTURERS OR LABELERS OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO REPORT THEIR ANNUAL MARKETING COSTS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP; and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

**SBN 2819** "AN ACT REQUIRING CIGARETTES TO BE MANUFACTURED PURSUANT TO FIRE SAFETY STANDARDS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS

**SBN 2820** "AN ACT CREATING THE NON-INDIGENOUS SPECIES MANAGEMENT PLAN AND LISTING PROCESS FOR NON-NATIVE SPECIES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and FINANCE

**SBN 2821** "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR RESEARCH ON POSTPARTUM DEPRESSION AND PSYCHOSIS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN. 2822** "AN ACT DEFINING AND PENALIZING THE CRIMES OF RECKLESS ENDANGERMENT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND OFFERING FALSE STATEMENTS WHICH ENDANGERS THE PUBLIC HEALTH"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2823** "AN ACT CREATING AN AMUSEMENT PARKS SAFETY BOARD"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GAMES, AMUSEMENT AND SPORTS; and FINANCE

**SBN. 2824** "AN ACT AMENDING ARTS. 204, 205, 206, AND 207 OF ACT NO. 3815 OR THE PENAL CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

**SBN 2825** "AN ACT AMENDING ARTICLES 259 OF ACT NO. 3815, OR THE PENAL CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; and WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 2826** "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE IMPORTATION OF PRODUCTS MADE WITH DOG OR CAT FUR, TO PROHIBIT THE SALE, MANUFACTURE, OFFER FOR SALE, TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DISTRIBUTION OF PRODUCTS MADE WITH DOG OR CAT FUR IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**SBN 2827** "AN ACT AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8504, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'PHILIPPINE AIDS PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT OF 1998' BY ALLOWING MINORS AGED 15 TO 17 YEARS OLD TO GIVE CONSENT TO HIV TESTING UNDER EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**SBN 2828** "AN ACT REQUIRING THE POSTING OR SIGNS NEAR PRE-PACKED SALADS"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and TRADE, COMMERCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

**SBN 2829** "AN ACT PERMITTING CERTAIN MINORS TO WORK AS VOLUNTEERS FOR NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS CONSTRUCTING AFFORDABLE HOUSING"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and YOUTH

**SBN 2830** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NATIONAL COLLECTION OF DATA ON STILLBIRTHS IN A STANDARDIZED MANNER, PROVIDING FOR INFORMATION AND RESEARCH PROGRAM ON STILLBIRTHS"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2831** "AN ACT INSTITUTING THE PHILIPPINE HALAL EXPORT DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION PROGRAM, CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE PHILIPPINE HALAL EXPORT DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION BOARD, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator(s)CYNTHIA A. VILLAR, RAMON A. REVILLA JR., CYNTHIA A. VILLAR, ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES and MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on AGRICULTURE and FOOD; TRADE COMMERCE and ENTREPRENEURSIP; and FINACE

**SBN 2832** "AN ACT ENCOURAGING ALL THEATERS AND CINEMAS IN THE PHILIPPINES TO GRANT FREE ADMISSION OR ADMISSION AT DISCOUNTED RATES TO MEMBERS OF THE PHILIPPINE MILITARY"

- > Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee on WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 2833** "AN ACT GRANTING TAX INCENTIVES TO EMPLOYERS THAT HIRE ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM LEARNERS AND GRADUATES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator MARIA LOURDES NANCY S. BINAY
- Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and WAYS AND MEANS

**SBN 2834** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION OF THE PHILIPPINE ATMOSPHERIC, GEOPHYSICAL AND ASTRONOMICAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (PAGASA), PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator(s) LOREN B. LEGARDA, FRANCIS "CHIZ" G. ESCUDERO, ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES, JOSEPH VICTOR G. EJERCITO, RAMON A. REVILLA JR., CYNTHIA A. VILLAR, FERDINAND "BONGBONG" R. MARCOS, FRANKLIN M. DRILON and RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; and FINANCE

**SBN 2835** "AN ACT PROTECTING SEAFARERS AND OTHER WORKERS SIMILARLY SITUATED AGAINST AMBULANCE CHASING AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA and CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT and HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 2836** "AN ACT REDUCING THE RETIREMENT AGE OF SURFACE MINE WORKERS FROM SIXTY (60) TO FIFTY (50) YEARS AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 293 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA and JINGGOY FJERCITO ESTRADA

Referred to the Committee(s) on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT; and GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS and PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

**SBN 2837** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE OPERATIONS OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS COMMISSION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLES 219 AND 221 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- Referred to the Committee on LABOR, EMPLOYMENT and HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

**SBN 2838** "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SEA LANES IN THE PHILIPPINE ARCHIPELAGIC WATERS, PRESCRIBING THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF FOREIGN SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT EXERCISING THE RIGHT OF ARCHIPELAGIC SEA LANES PASSAGE THROUGH THE ESTABLISHED ARCHIPELAGIC SEA LANES AND PROVIDING FOR THE ASSOCIATED PROTECTED MEASURES THEREIN"

- Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA, ANTONIO "Sonny" F. TRILLANES and MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

**SBN 2839** "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AND PROVIDING FOR FREE COLLEGE EDUCATION IN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY"

- > Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and FINANCE

**SBN 2840** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A REVISED HUMAN ORGAN AND TISSUE DONATION AND TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO.

7170, AS AMENDED, ALSO KNOWN AS THE ORGAN DONATION ACT OF 1991"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator TEOFISTO "TG" GUINGONA III
- Referred to the Committee(s) on HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY; and FINANCE

**SBN. 2841** "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE MECHANISMS FOR THE PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION OF THE NATIONAL CULTURAL HERITAGE BY BROADENING THE MANDATE OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS, ENHANCING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, RATIONALIZING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF AFFILIATED CULTURAL AGENCIES, PROVIDING STIFFER PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10066, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'NATIONAL CULTURAL HERITAGE ACT OF 2009' AND REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7356 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LAW CREATING THE NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS"

- Introduced by Senator PIA S. CAYETANO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; WAYS AND MEANS; and FINANCE

**SBN 2842** "AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7309, ENTITLED, AN ACT CREATING A BOARD OF CLAIMS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR VICTIMS OF UNJUST IMPRISONMENT OR DETENTION AND VICTIMS OF VIOLENT CRIMES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

- Introduced by Senator RAMON A. REVILLA JR.
- Referred to the Committee(s) on JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS; SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and FINANCE

**SBN 2843** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AFFORDABLE DRUG REHABILITATION TREATMENT FOR PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (PHIC) BENEFICIARIES, FURTHER AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT 7875, AS AMENDED"

- Introduced by Senator VICENTE C. SOTTO III and CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on PUBLIC ORDER AND DANGEROUS DRUGS and HEALTH AND DEMOGRAPHY

**SBN 2844** "AN ACT AFFORDING STATUS TO A DESERTED OR ABANDONED CHILD WITH UNKNOWN PARENTS"

- > Introduced by Senator MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID
- Referred to the Committee(s) on SOCIAL JUSTICE, WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT; and WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

CRN 161 ON SBN 2789 ENTITLED, "AN ACT INCLUDING RESPONSIVE, EMPOWERED AND SERVICE-CENTERED YOUTH IN THE DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL IN ALL LEVELS, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10121, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT ACT OF 2010"

- Sponsored by Senator PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 162 ON HBN 159 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING FOUR (4) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE CITIES OF ALAMINOS, DAGUPAN AND SAN CARLOS AND IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LINGAYEN, ALL SITUATED IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (A) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 163 ON HBN 606 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING FIVE (5) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND FIVE (5) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE METROPOLITAN TRIAL COURT IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN PASAY CITY, METRO MANILA, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (D) AND SECTION 27 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980", AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 164 ON HBN 1771 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT AND TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN SAN JOSE CITY, PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (C) AND SECTION 29 OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 165 ON HBN 1772 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE SCIENCE CITY OF MUNOZ AND IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF RIZAL, PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (C) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129,

OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 166 ON HBN 1980 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE TENTH JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED AT INITAO, PROVINCE OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (K) OF BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 167 ON HBN 2094 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING AN ADDITIONAL REGIONAL TRIAL COURT BRANCH IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF MEYCAUAYAN, PROVINCE OF BULACAN, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 14, PARAGRAPH (C) OF BATAS PAMBANSA OTHERWISE KNOWN BLG. 129, AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION OF AS AMENDED, AND ACT 1980, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 168 ON HBN 2186 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CONVERTING THE EXISTING 5TH MUNICIPAL CIRCUIT TRIAL COURT OF CARMONA-GENERAL MARIANO ALVAREZ, CAVITE INTO A MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT WITH SEAT AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF CARMONA AND CREATING A SEPARATE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF GENERAL MARIANO ALVAREZ, AMENDING

FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AS AMENDED, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 169 ON HBN 2260 ENTITLED, "AN ACT CREATING TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE MUNICIPAL TRIAL COURT IN CITIES AND TWO (2) ADDITIONAL BRANCHES OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL REGION TO BE STATIONED IN THE CITY OF BAGUIO, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE BATAS PAMBANSA BLG. 129, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE JUDICIARY REORGANIZATION ACT OF 1980, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

- Sponsored by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 170 ON SBN 2794 ENTITLED, "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NEW ANTI-CARNAPPING LAW OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Sponsored by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

**CRN 171 ON HBN 4889 ENTITLED, "**AN ACT DEFINING THE MARITIME ZONES OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Sponsored by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
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CRN 175 ON SBN 2831 ENTITLED, "AN ACT INSTITUTING THE PHILIPPINE HALAL EXPORT DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION PROGRAM, CREATING FOR THE PURPOSE THE PHILIPPINE HALAL EXPORT DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION BOARD, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

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**CRN 176 ON SBN 2834 ENTITLED,** "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MODERNIZATION OF THE PHILIPPINE ATMOSPHERIC, GEOPHYSICAL AND ASTRONOMICAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (PAGASA), PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

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CRN 177 ON SBN 2835 ENTITLED, "AN ACT PROTECTING SEAFARERS AND OTHER WORKERS SIMILARLY SITUATED AGAINST AMBULANCE CHASING AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF"

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CRN 178 ON SBN 2836 ENTITLED, "AN ACT REDUCING THE RETIREMENT AGE OF SURFACE MINE WORKERS FROM SIXTY (60) TO FIFTY (50) YEARS AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLE 293 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

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CRN 179 ON SBN 2837 ENTITLED, "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE OPERATIONS OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS COMMISSION, AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE ARTICLES 219 AND 221 OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 442, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LABOR CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Sponsored by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
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CRN 180 ON SBN 2838 ENTITLED, "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SEA LANES IN THE PHILIPPINE ARCHIPELAGIC WATERS, PRESCRIBING THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF FOREIGN SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT EXERCISING THE RIGHT OF ARCHIPELAGIC SEA LANES PASSAGE THROUGH THE ESTABLISHED ARCHIPELAGIC SEA LANES AND PROVIDING FOR THE ASSOCIATED PROTECTED MEASURES THEREIN"

- Sponsored by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
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CRN 181 ON SBN 2482 ENTITLED, "AN ACT TO REGULATE AND MODERNIZE THE PRACTICE OF NAVAL ARCHITECTURE IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- Sponsored by Senator ANTONIO "SONNY" F. TRILLANES IV
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CRN 182 ON SRN 988 ENTITLED, "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE ALLEGED P3.787 BILLION UNACCOUNTED DISBURSEMENT ACCELERATION PROGRAM FUNDS OF FOUR GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS"

- Sponsored by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
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CRN 183 ON SBN 2843 ENTITLED, "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AFFORDABLE DRUG REHABILITATION TREATMENT FOR PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (PHIC) BENEFICIARIES, FURTHER AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT 7875, AS AMENDED"

- Sponsored by Senator GRACE L. POE
- Calendared for Ordinary Business

CRN 184 ON SRN 195 ENTITLED, "RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REGULATION AND USE OF NON-GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS AND FOUNDATIONS IN QUESTIONABLE GOVERNMENT TRANSACTIONS IDENTIFIED RECENTLY BY THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT (COA) WITH THE INTENTIONS OF TIGHTENING THE PRESENT LAW GOVERNING NGOS, MEANINGFULLY HELPING TRUE TARGET BENEFICIARIES OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS

AND HONORING THE PRINCIPLE OF INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC SERVICE"

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### PROPOSED SENATE RESOLUTIONS

PSRN 1385 "RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE MARITIME GROUP, THE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION UNIT AND THEIR SELECT INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS FOR BEING AMONG THE RECIPIENTS OF THE 2014 ASIA ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT AWARD (AEEA) IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR EXCELLENCE IN ENFORCING ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS"

- Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

**PSRN 1386** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORT THAT UNSOUND TRADING PRACTICES OF THE DEVELOPMENT BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES LED TO P700 MILLION LOSSES DUE TO WASH SALES"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on BANKS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CURRENCIES

**PSRN 1387** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT REPORT THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT VIOLATED THE CONSTITUTION WITH THE DELAYED RELEASE OF SOME P302.8

BILLION IN INTERNAL REVENUE ALLOTMENT TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS IN 2013"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on FINANCE; and LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**PSRN 1388** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT REPORT THAT MALAMPAYA CONTRACTORS OWE THE GOVERNMENT P53.14 BILLION IN UNPAID INCOME TAXES"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee(s) on WAYS AND MEANS; and ENERGY

**PSRN 1389** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE RECENT UNITED NATIONS REPORT THAT WOMEN WORLDWIDE ARE PAID 24 PERCENT LESS THAN MEN"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on WOMEN, FAMILY RELATIONS AND GENDER EQUALITY

**PSRN 1390** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED SHORTAGE OF 67,849 CLASSROOMS NATIONWIDE AT THE START OF SCHOOL YEAR 2015-2016"

➤ Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
➤ Referred to the Committee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS
AND CULTURE; and PUBLIC WORKS

**PSRN 1391** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION,

ON THE REPORT THAT THE ARREST OF A TAIWANESE FISHING VESSEL IN BATANES LED TO A STANDOFF BETWEEN THE PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD AND THE TAIWANESE COAST GUARD"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on FOREIGN RELATIONS.

**PSRN 1392** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORT THAT SOME 3,000 STUDENTS WOULD BE AFFECTED BY THE SHUTDOWN OF LUMAD SCHOOLS"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**PSRN 1393** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORTED COMPLAINTS OF HERITAGE CONSERVATION GROUPS OVER RENOVATIONS ON THE CHURCH IN CALUMPIT, BULACAN"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

**PSRN 1394** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORT THAT ROAD WIDENING ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS THREATEN A SPANISH-ERA CATHOLIC CEMETERY IN SAN JOAQUIN, ILOILO"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to theCommittee(s) on EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE; and PUBLIC WORKS

**PSRN 1395** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE REPORT THAT P165 MILLION IN YOLANDA DONATIONS REMAIN UNUTILIZED"

- Introduced by Senator MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

PSRN 1396 "RESOLUTION HONORING FORMER SENATE PRESIDENT PRO-TEMPORE LETICIA RAMOS SHAHANI WHO CONTINUES TO SERVE THE NATION AND THE FILIPINO PEOPLE WITH UTMOST DEDICATION AND EXCELLENCE, RECOGNIZING HER REMARKABLE CONTRIBUTION AS LEGISLATOR, DIPLOMAT, EDUCATOR, WOMEN'S RIGHTS ADVOCATE AND CIVIL SOCIETY LEADER"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator LOREN B. LEGARDA
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

PSRN 1397 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS (BLUE RIBBON) TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, INTO THE PURPORTED FOUR HUNDRED MILLION PESOS BRIBE OF A CHINESE FUGITIVE TO THE BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVERSING THE BUREAU'S DEPORTATION ORDER AND WHICH BRIBE MONEY WAS ALLEGEDLY USED TO GAIN APPROVAL FOR THE PROPOSED BANGSAMORO BASIC LAW FOR PLENARY DEBATE IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator TEOFISTO "TG" GUINGONA III
- Referred to the Committee on ACCOUNTABILITY OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND INVESTIGATIONS

**PSRN 1398** "RESOLUTION DECLARING AS READ AND APPROVED THE JOURNAL OF THE 85TH SESSION OF THE SENATE"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

**PSRN 1399** "RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (150) PRINTED AND DIGITAL COPIES EACH OF THE JOURNAL AND THE RECORD OF THE SENATE FOR THE SECOND REGULAR SESSION OF THE SIXTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator AQUILINO KOKO III L. PIMENTEL
- Referred to the Committee on RULES

**PSRN 1400** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE PROGRAM IN RELATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS - FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION DECLARATION OF 2015 AS THE INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF SOILS"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

**PSRN 1401** "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, TO LOOK INTO THE MANDATE. POWERS. AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PHILIPPINE RACING COMMISSION (PHILRACOM). GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATION CREATED UNDER PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 420, WITH THE END VIFW OF INTRODUCING REFORMS. REVISIONS. AMENDMENTS TO ITS CHARTER, IF NECESSARY, TO ENSURE THAT ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS ARE RELEVANT AND COULD ADDRESS ITS MANDATED OBJECTIVES AS WELL AS THE VARIOUS CONCERNS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH OF THE PRESENT HORSE RACING INDUSTRY"

- Introduced by Senator CYNTHIA A. VILLAR
- Referred to the Committee(s) on GAMES, AMUSEMENT AND SPORTS; and GOVERNMENT CORPORATIONS AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

**PSRN 1402** "RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE APPROPRIATE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, REGARDING INTERNET NEUTRALITY AND IF THIS IS BEING PRACTICED BY INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDERS IN THE PHILIPPINES"

- Introduced by Senator RAMON A. REVILLA JR.
- Referred to the Committee on PUBLIC SERVICES

PSRN 1403 "RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE NONDISCLOSURE OF 1.3 TRILLION PESO CONTINGENT LIABILITIES, WITH THE END IN VIEW OF INSTITUTIONALIZING FISCAL DISCIPLINE AND STRENGTHENING GOVERNMENT MECHANISMS TO ENFORCE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY OVER THE UTILIZATION AND REPORTING OF PUBLIC FUNDS"

- Introduced by Senator RALPH G. RECTO
- Referred to the Committee on FINANCE

**PSRN 1404** "RESOLUTION URGING THE PROPER SENATE COMMITTEE/S TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY, IN AID OF LEGISLATION, ON THE STATE AND CONDITION OF MARINE POLLUTION IN THE COUNTRY AS WELL AS COMPLIANCE WITH THE SEVERAL STATUTES AND INTERNATIONAL TREATIES AND CONVENTIONS ON THE PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION OF FNVIRONMENT"

- ➤ Introduced by Senator JUAN EDGARDO "SONNY" M. ANGARA
- ➤ Referred to the Committee(s) on ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES; and FOREIGN RELATIONS

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