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COMMITTEE REPORT NO
Submitted by the Committee on Local Government on Re: House Bill No. 4601
Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 352
Sponsors: Representatives Noel L. Villanueva and Maria Laarni L. Cayetano
Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Local Government to which was referred House Bill No. 352 introduced by Representative Maria Laarni L. Cayetano, entitled:

"AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY NEW LOWER BICUTAN IN THE CITY OF TAGUIG, METROPOLITAN MANILA"

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Bill No. 4601 entitled:

"AN ACT

"CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY NEW LOWER BICUTAN IN THE CITY OF TAGUIG, METROPOLITAN MANILA"

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 352 with Representative Maria Laarni L. Cayetano as the author thereof.

Respectfully submitted:

NOEL L. VILLANUEVA

Chairman

Committee on Local Government

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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HOUSE BILL No. 4601

Introduced by HONORABLE MARIA LAARNI L. CAYETANO

AN ACT

CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY NEW LOWER BICUTAN IN THE CITY OF TAGUIG, METROPOLITAN MANILA

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

1 2	SECTION 1. Creation of Barangay New Lower Bicutan. – New Lower Bicutan Proper In Barangay Lower Bicutan, City of Taguig, Metropolitan Manila is hereby separated from Barangay Lower Bicutan and constituted into a distinct and independent barangay to be known as
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4	Barangay New Lower Bicutan.
5	SEC. 2. Territorial Boundaries The territorial boundaries of Barangay New Lower
6	Bicutan are hereby described as follows:
7	"Bounded on the Northeast by M.R.T. Avenue (formerly Pio Felipe Street);
8	On the East and Southeast by Laguna de Bay;
9	On the South by Teodoro Santos Street, Taguig Bethel Temple, Lots 350, 50 and 249 PLS
10	272; and
11	On the West and Northwest by Barrameda Street, Maguindanao Street, Alfredo Cruz
12	Street, Transmission Line, and Barangay Signal Village Proclamation No 172 Psd-13-002057."
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13	SEC. 3. Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite The plebiscite conducted and supervised
14	by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) in Barangay Lower Bicutan pursuant to City
15	Ordinance No. 69, Series of 2008 of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Taguig, which
16	ratified the creation of Barangay New Lower Bicutan as proclaimed by the City Board of
17	Canvassers on December 28, 2008, shall serve as substantial compliance with the plebiscite

requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160 as amended, otherwise known as the Local

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Government Code of 1991.

1	SEC. 4. Incumbent Barangay Officials The incumbent barangay officials of Barangay
2	New Lower Bicutan, City of Taguig shall continue to hold office until such time that their
3	successors have been duly elected and qualified.

- Sec. 5. *Public Infrastructure and Facilities.* All public infrastructure and facilities existing therein at the time of the approval of this Act are hereby transferred without cost or compensation to and shall be administered by the new barangay.
- Sec. 6. *Internal Revenue Allotment Shares.* Barangay New Lower Bicutan shall be entitled to the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) shares pursuant to Section 285 of the Local Government Code of 1991, as amended.
- Sec. 7. *Effectivity*. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.
- 12 Approved,

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FACT SHEET

House Bill No. 4601

(As approved by the Committee on August 27, 2019)

CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY NEW LOWER BICUTAN IN THE CITY OF TAGUIG, METRO MANILA

Introduced by: Rep. Maria Laarni Cayetano

Committee Referral: Local Government Committee Chairperson: Rep. Noel L. Villanueva

OBJECTIVE:

To establish Barangay New Lower Bicutan as a distinct and independent barangay and entitle it to the appropriate Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) share;

KEY PROVISIONS:

- Creates a barangay to be known as Barangay New Lower Bicutan, in the City of Taguig;
- Provides that the plebiscite conducted and supervised by the COMELEC pursuant to City Ordinance No. 69, Series of 2008 of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Taguig, which ratified the creation of Barangay New Lower Bicutan as proclaimed by the Plebiscite Board of Canvassers on December 28, 2008 shall serve as a substantial compliance with the plebiscite requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, as amended:
- Provides that the incumbent barangay officials of Barangay New Lower Bicutan continue to hold office until their successors have been duly elected and qualified;
- Transfers all existing infrastructure and facilities therein for public use therein to the newly created Barangay;
- Entitles Barangay New Lower Bicutan to IRA shares pursuant to Section 285 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

RELATED LAW:

Section 285 of Republic Act 7160, as amended.