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HOUSE BILL NO. 4040



Introduced by Representative Salvador B. Belaro, Jr.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to extend public transport fare discounts to public elementary and high school teachers in the country.

Regarded as modern day heroes, our public school teachers are given the gargantuan task of properly educating and helping mold our children into law-abiding and valuable members of our society.

Yet, despite this challenging mandate, their salaries and wages are barely enough to meet their basic needs.

Hopefully, this Act will ease the expenses of teachers and help increase their purchasing power.


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AN ACT
EXTENDING PUBLIC TRANSPORT FARE DISCOUNTS TO PUBLIC ELEMENTARY
AND HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS ON OFFICIAL TRIP

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

SECTION 1. Short Title. - This Act shall be known as the "Public Transport Fare Discount to Public School Teachers Act of 2016".

SEC. 2. All transportation operators and entities in the country are required to give all public elementary and high school teachers in the country on official trip a transport fare discount.

SEC. 3. The Department of Education (DepEd) and the Department of Transportation (DOTr) are mandated to collaborate and formulate the pertinent rules and regulations necessary to implement this Act.

SEC. 3. The funds necessary to carry out the provision of this Act shall be included in the General Appropriation Act of the year following its enactment into law and thereafter

SEC. 4. All laws, orders, issuances, rules and regulations, or parts thereof, inconsistent with any provisions of this Act are, hereby, repealed, modified or amended accordingly.

Approved.