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EXPLANATORY NOTE

For an alien, to become a Filipino a citizens is a privilege, and not a right^{1.} It is on this premise that this legislative measure is respectfully sought to, in order to grant Philippine Citizenship to MR. LIU, HSIPIN.

Originally from Fujian Province of China, LIU, HSIPIN was born on December 05, 1968 from parents LAU, KAM MUK and HUANG, CHUN CHIAO. He was a younger brother named LIU, HIS LIEN and together as a one family, they all arrived in Philippine soil sometime in June 1978.

Immediately, his parents enrolled him at DAVAO CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL where he commenced grade school studies and his parents deliberately requested the school that he starts at Grade one (1) so that he may become well-acquainted with the Filipino norms and Philippine-based academic system. By the end of secondary education with the same institution, Mr. Liu was vigorous, appreciative and equipped with Filipino values and customs, as if he was a native-born. He developed a certain fondness with Filipino's concept of "bayanihan" and has deep regard with Philippine heroes such as Dr. Jose Rizal.

Subsequently, he took up his degree of Business Administration Major in Marketing at Holy Cross of Davao College and committed himself to the service of the local community by undergoing training with Davao Volunteer Fire Brigade, a non-profit organization. Ultimately, he became a distinguished fireman and was able to help my Filipino families and communities in his line of service. His noble deeds a

fireman was extended by helping others during the time of calamity and other emergency cases.

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In 1994, Mr. Liu had fallen in-love with a Filipina and married Belinda Y. Liu and together, they adopted a Filipino child named Anika Margaret Liu.

While continuing with his community service as a volunteer fireman, Mr. Liu ventured into business and started his trucking and hauling logistics services with the prestigious shipping line. With due diligence and industry, Mr. Liu was able to invest in other line of businesses and was able to own several establishments such as Fountain Place Entertainment Plaza, Dream Home Furniture Center, leased out commercial buildings to the public, Keizzenng Trucking Corporation, a trucking company with 32 truck units, hauling shipping lines container vans delivery to various cities. He is also engaged in the business of packaging products and thrived at specializing disposable materials in his packaging items supplying various supermarket, Hotel Restaurant and household clients, Mr. Liu also engaged in a Resort business in Samal island, Sun Rise View Resort are now open to public ideal for relaxation.

All these business were fruits of Mr. Liu and his wife's hard work keeping at heart the values of Filipino traditions. Furthermore, these business were placed under his wife's name being a natural born Filipino citizen

At present, there are 130 number of Filipino workers under his employ and Mr. Liu provides them with utmost benefits and privileges as his way of giving back to the Filipino community the bounty he received from this country.

In December 03, 2012, when typhoon "Pablo" devastated the province of Agusan and Compostella Valley, Mr. Liu personally went to the affected areas and provided aid by giving away and distributing relief goods to the victim-families. He initiated and sponsored rehabilitation drive To effectively help the Filipino communities in these areas.

At present, he continues with his fireman-volunteer work activities despite his thriving business and is still socially active through community service. Mr. Liu is dependable when it comes to helping Filipino communities in times of great need and dire circumstance- a mark of a Filipino Character. His allegiance in this country is indubitable, thus, let Congress give to him the privilege of becoming a Filipino citizen.

With the foregoing, the immediate passage of this bill is most humbly and earnestly sought.

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AN ACT GRANTING PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP TO MR. LIU, HSIPIN

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

SECTION 1. Liu, Hsipin is hereby granted Philippine citizenship with all the rights, privileges and prerogatives appurtenant thereto.

Upon taking and registration of the oath of allegiance to the Republic of the Philippines, Liu, Hsipin shall enter upon the full enjoyment of Philippine Citizenship.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect after fifteen (15) days from publication in the Official Gazette or two (2) newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,

