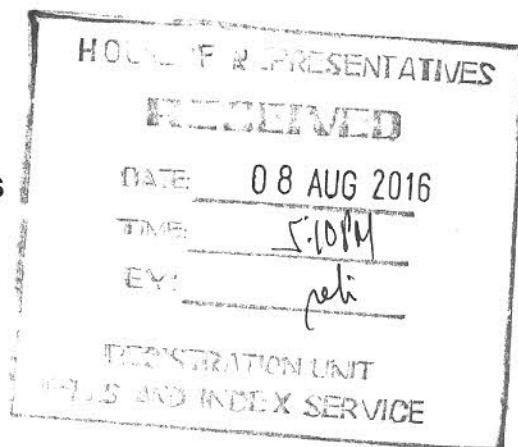


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House Bill No. **2669**



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EXPLANATORY NOTE

There is situated in the First and Second Districts of the Province of Davao del Norte, the Tagum – Sto. Tomas road which serves as the thoroughfare for the transport of vital goods and services. This bill seeks to convert the same into a national road.

It is sad to note, however that the condition of this twenty-two (22) kilometer stretch of roadway, traversing the two (2) municipalities of Braulio E. Dujali and Sto. Tomas and Tagum City, providing a direct link between the two (2) provinces of Davao del Norte and Bukidnon, is badly maintained and requires immediate repair. There is a need, therefore, to ensure the maintenance and subsequent improvement and expansion of this vital infrastructure link in order to propel socio-economic development in the said area.

In view of the foregoing, approval of this bill is earnestly sought.


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**AN ACT CONVERTING THE TAGUM - STO. TOMAS ROAD IN THE PROVINCE OF
DAVAO DEL NORTE INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND PROVIDING FUNDS
THEREFOR**

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

SECTION 1. – The Tagum-Sto. Tomas Road located in the Province of Davao del Norte is hereby converted into a national road.

SECTION 2. – The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's programs the improvement, maintenance, and repair of the said road, the funding of which shall be included in the General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. – This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved,