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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

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House Bill No. 1778



Introduced by Representative Sandra Y. Eriguel

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Bill, which is entitled "AN ACT CONVERTING THE ROAD STRETCHING FROM BARANGAY ANDUYAN, MUNICIPALITY OF TUBAO, PROVINCE OF LA UNION TO BARANGAY SAN PASCUAL, MUNICIPALITY OF TUBA, PROVINCE OF BENGUET INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR," was approved by the House of Representatives during the 17th Congress and subsequently transmitted to the Senate on October 5, 2017. However, the Senate was unable to pass the Bill due to limited time.

The Province of La Union, being situated between the West Philippine Sea to the left and the Cordillera mountain ranges to the right, is highly dependent on new and well-maintained roads that serve not only as trade routes but as passageways to the beautiful and scenic tourist spots the region has to offer.

The conversion of the Anduyan-Rizal-San Pascual-Asin Road would hasten access of motorists from Tubao, La Union to Baguio City and Benguet, and vice versa, providing for a newer and more scenic alternative to Marcos Highway and the older Kennon Road. Moreover, this Road leads to the famous Asin Hot Springs and hence would boost the tourism in Asin, inviting more and more tourists not only from La Union and Benguet but from outside the region.

The passage of this Bill is of urgent concern primarily because the portion of the Road situated in the Province of Benguet was already converted into a Secondary National Road by virtue of Republic Act No. 10406, approved in March 19, 2013. The development that the said Republic Act entails in the Benguet part of the Road will prove futile should the La Union portion be not given the same consideration.

In view of the foregoing, the passage of this Bill is earnestly sought.

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

SECTION 1. The road stretching from Barangay Anduyan, Municipality of Tubao, Province of La Union to Barangay San Pascual, Municipality of Tuba, Province of Benguet as described in the technical description under the succeeding Section of this Act is hereby converted into a national road.

SECTION 2. The technical description of the road is as follows:

From the point marked one (1) on the road located at coordinates 16°-20'-25.19" North Latitude and 120°-26'-7.43" East Longitude the road traverses to the following lines, bearings and distances, to wit:

Line	Bearing				Distance (meters)
	O				
1	N	67	02	E	13.40
2	N	67	45	E	17.30
3	N	69	00	E	13.37
4	N	71	02	E	15.41
5	N	72	19	E	94.54
6	N	72	03	E	147.98
7	N	71	06	E	21.25
8	N	69	43	E	18.89
9	N	68	33	E	16.00
10	N	64	23	E	9.45
11	N	45	12	E	8.47
12	N	31	00	E	11.11
13	N	21	40	E	10.19
14	N	15	07	E	10.55
15	N	07	47	E	12.74
16	N	05	44	E	35.83
17	N	05	53	E	15.04
18	N	07	48	E	17.09
19	N	10	56	E	15.99
20	N	19	35	E	13.79
21	N	28	02	E	13.31
22	N	34	19	E	13.93
23	N	46	14	E	17.53
24	N	49	47	E	40.90
25	N	49	47	E	57.70
26	N	46	00	E	11.00
27	N	33	15	E	13.93
28	N	29	43	E	44.28
29	N	28	44	E	89.52
30	N	28	42	E	15.07
31	N	30	01	E	12.92
32	N	34	55	E	14.68
33	N	43	42	E	15.62
34	N	59	53	E	17.06
35	N	70	48	E	17.88
36	N	74	34	E	81.36
37	N	74	56	E	100.92
38	N	73	58	E	9.28
39	N	69	55	E	6.32
40	N	53	52	E	5.46
41	N	31	44	E	2.28
42	N	08	35	E	3.63
43	N	16	58	W	2.59
44	N	36	48	W	1.17
45	N	49	46	W	23.57
46	N	49	05	W	13.47
47	N	48	36	W	13.55
48	N	47	56	W	14.68
49	N	47	30	W	13.32
50	N	46	21	W	13.61
51	N	44	41	W	14.50
52	N	43	51	W	12.18
53	N	42	20	W	10.45
54	N	40	37	W	28.22
55	N	41	10	W	12.54
56	N	40	23	W	16.91
57	N	39	00	W	14.90
58	N	38	41	W	63.95
59	N	38	55	W	14.66
60	N	36	55	W	17.32
61	N	34	55	W	34.55

62	N	35	00	W	8.92
63	N	36	44	W	17.57
64	N	37	48	W	50.65
65	N	37	42	W	11.04
66	N	37	05	W	11.18
67	N	35	45	W	11.92
68	N	34	51	W	59.50
69	N	34	32	W	18.17
70	N	34	10	W	9.86
71	N	30	25	W	13.44
72	N	25	18	W	10.95
73	N	21	16	W	8.29
74	N	17	53	W	23.28
75	N	16	20	W	15.97
76	N	14	18	W	9.12
77	N	13	40	W	44.24
78	N	14	01	W	13.49
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131	N	42	22	E	23.72
132	N	35	02	E	10.19
133	N	21	36	E	17.64
134	N	21	08	E	17.61
135	N	19	31	E	20.42
136	N	11	08	E	32.93
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138	N	11	42	W	69.44
139	N	22	17	W	58.52
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147	N	80	03	E	21.01
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325	S	11	14	W	11.96
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441	S	16	56	E	22.42
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450	S	56	51	E	23.38
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466	S	16	54	E	27.41
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471	S	14	01	E	13.72
472	S	13	40	E	44.19
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474	S	16	20	E	15.35

475	S	17	53	E	22.42
476	S	21	16	E	7.00
477	S	25	18	E	9.35
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483	S	37	24	E	21.75
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489	S	38	41	E	63.94
490	S	39	00	E	14.61
491	S	40	23	E	16.53
492	S	41	10	E	12.50
493	S	40	37	E	28.02
494	S	42	20	E	9.88
495	S	43	51	E	11.77
496	S	44	41	E	14.06
497	S	46	21	E	13.12
498	S	47	44	E	27.53
499	S	48	51	E	26.61
500	S	49	46	E	25.72
501	S	36	48	E	6.94
502	S	16	58	E	10.62
503	S	08	35	W	12.26
504	S	31	44	W	10.29
505	S	53	52	W	12.19
506	S	69	55	W	9.85
507	S	73	58	W	10.16
508	S	74	56	W	101.02
509	S	74	34	W	80.64
510	S	70	48	W	15.31
511	S	59	53	W	12.31
512	S	43	42	W	11.24
513	S	34	55	W	12.29
514	S	30	01	W	11.83
515	S	28	42	W	14.84
516	S	28	44	W	89.70
517	S	29	43	W	45.07
518	S	33	15	W	16.78
519	S	46	00	W	13.89
520	S	49	47	W	58.36
521	S	49	47	W	40.28
522	S	46	14	W	14.82
523	S	34	19	W	10.74
524	S	28	02	W	10.73
525	S	19	35	W	10.80
526	S	10	56	W	13.93
527	S	07	48	W	16.21
528	S	05	53	W	14.68
529	S	05	44	W	35.98
530	S	07	46	W	14.56
531	S	15	07	W	12.97
532	S	21	40	W	12.97
533	S	31	00	W	15.24

534	S	45	12	W	14.35
535	S	64	23	W	13.56
536	S	68	33	W	16.93
537	S	69	43	W	19.34
538	S	71	06	W	21.66
539	S	72	03	W	148.20
540	S	72	18	W	95.79
541	S	71	02	W	13.39
542	S	69	00	W	12.79
543	S	67	43	W	16.97
544	S	67	04	W	13.28
545	N	22	56	W	20.00

N=North, S=South, E=East and W=West

SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department’s program the improvement, repair and maintenance of the road, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,