



# Republic of the Philippines

### **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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HOUSE BILL NO. 971

### Introduced by Honorable Roger G. Mercado

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

Southern Leyte Provincial Hospital is an essential health care provider of Southern Leyte residents. However, its facilities and fund for operation and maintenance could be barely cope with the demands of its patients.

Integrating the Southern Leyte Provincial Hospital into the Eastern Visayas Regional Medical Center could enhance the capability of the said hospital.

Therefore, passage of this bill is hereby being earnestly sought.

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#### AN ACT INTEGRATING THE SOUTHERN LEYTE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL INTO THE EASTERN VISAYAS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER SYSTEM

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

- SECTION 1. The Southern Leyte Provincial Hospital is hereby integrated into the
- 2 Easter Visayas Regional Medical Center System. For this purpose of this Act, the Southern
- 3 Leyte Provincial Hospital shall be considered as a satellite hospital of the Eastern Visayas
- 4 Regional Medical Center System.

6	SECTION 2. The funds necessary for the operation and maintenance of Southern Leyto
7	Provincial Hospital as a satellite hospital shall be included in the annual budget of the Eastern
8	Visayas Regional Medical Center System.
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10	SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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12	Approved.