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### **EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS**

First Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 4412



Introduced by REP. FAUSTINO 'INNO' A. DY V

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This bill proposes to create a separate District Engineering Office in the Province of Isabela with jurisdiction over the local government units (LGUs) comprising the newly-created Sixth Legislative District, namely: Cauayan City, Echague, San Guillermo and San Isidro. The Sixth Legislative District of Isabela was created by virtue of Republic Act 11080 which was signed by President Rodrigo R. Duterte last September 27, 2018.

At present, the Isabela 4<sup>th</sup> District Engineering Office (DEO) is servicing the needs of the Sixth Legislative District. A separate district engineering office that will focus solely on the concerns of Cauayan City and the Municipalities of Echague, San Guillermo and San Isidro will ensure a holistic infrastructure roadmap for the district and the efficient and slippage-free implementation of infrastructure projects therein.

In view of the foregoing, the immediate approval of this measure is earnestly requested.

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### AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SIXTH DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE IN ISABELA PROVINCE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

- SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways, the district engineering office located in the City of Cauayan, Province
- 3 of Isabela, to be known as the Sixth District Engineering Office.
- 5 SECTION 2. The Sixth District Engineering Office shall serve the City of Cauayan and the
- 6 Municipalities of Echague, San Guillermo and San Isidro, all located in the Sixth Legislative
- 7 District of the Province of Isabela.
- 9 **SECTION 3.** The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Sixth District Engineering Office of Isabela Province, the
- 11 funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.
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  13 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official
- 14 Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.
- 16 Approved,

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