

Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1272

Introduced by **HONORABLE LUIS RAYMUND "LRAY" F. VILLAFUERTE, JR.**

AN ACT
PROVIDING THAT ALL CONTRACTUAL AND CASUAL EMPLOYEES IN THE
GOVERNMENT SERVICE BE PAID CORRESPONDING WAGES DURING
SPECIAL PUBLIC AND LOCAL HOLIDAYS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. All contractual and casual government employees shall be entitled to the payment of their corresponding daily wages during special public and local holidays as may be proclaimed by the President of the Philippines.

SECTION 2. During the initial year of the implementation of this Act, the amount necessary for the effective implementation of this Act shall be charged against the appropriations of the respective government agencies wherein the concerned contractual and casual employees are employed. Thereafter, such sums as may be necessary for its continued implementation shall be included in the subsequent annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 3. The Civil Service Commission (CSC), in consultation with the Department of Budget and Management (DBM), shall issue the appropriate rules or guidelines for the proper implementation of this act within thirty (30) days upon its approval.

SECTION 4. All laws, presidential decrees, executive orders, rules and regulations or proclamations and other issuances, contrary or inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect within fifteen (15) days upon its publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the country, whichever comes first.

Approved,