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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## H. No. 6570

| By                           | REPRESENTATIVES | RODRIGUEZ, | DELOSO-MONTALLA | AND | NIETO, |
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| PER COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 289 |                 |            |                 |     |        |

## AN ACT DECLARING THE CHINESE NEW YEAR'S DAY A SPECIAL NONWORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PHILIPPINES

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

SECTION 1. The annual celebration of the Chinese New Year's
Day in the Philippines is hereby declared a special nonworking
holiday in the entire country.

SEC. 2. The Department of Labor and Employment and the
Civil Service Commission, in consultation with the Federation of
Filipino-Chinese Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Inc., shall
determine and declare the date of the Chinese New Year's Day every
year.

9 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its 10 publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general 11 circulation.

Approved,