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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Hall of Justice Building in Cagayan de Oro City used to be a grand building. However, time and neglect had rendered it very dilapidated and in dire need of repairs and renovations. A big fire last January 30, 2015 completely burned the building.

The City government was able to provide a temporary location for all court transactions. Despite this, there is a need to have a permanent world class and modern Hall of Justice for Cagayan de Oro City. This new Hall of Justice Building can still be located in the old location.

In view of the foregoing, immediate passage of this bill is earnestly requested.

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AN ACT

APPROPRIATING TWO BILLION PESOS FOR THE DEMOLITION OF THE BURNED DOWN HALL OF JUSTICE AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW AND MODERN HALL OF JUSTICE IN CAGAYAN DE ORO CITY

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

SECTION 1. The amount of Two billion Pesos (P2,000,000,000.00) is hereby appropriated exclusively for the demolition of whatever remains of the old Hall of Justice of Cagayan de Oro City which was burned down and for the construction of a new and modern Hall of Justice in Cagayan de Oro City which shall be implemented by the Supreme Court of the Philippines.

SEC. 2. Repealing Clause. - All laws, decrees, orders, rules, regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

SEC. 3. Effectivity. – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after publication in any two (2) national newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,