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HOUSE BILL NO. 4042



Introduced by Representative Salvador B. Belaro, Jr.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to establish a "No Homework on Weekends Policy" for students.

While both schools and teachers must ensure that students are properly educated and prepared for the eventual challenges of life, the latter must also be allowed to live a normal life and be afforded some free time to enjoy with family and friends.

This Act seeks to provide as much as possible and practicable, a homework-free weekend for our students so as to allow them the luxury of rest and free time from the rigors of school during weekends.


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AN ACT
ESTABLISHING A NO-HOMEWORK POLICY FOR ALL ELEMENTARY AND HIGH
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Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:

SECTION 1. Short Title - This Act shall be known as the " No Homework on Weekends Act of 2016".

SEC. 2. All elementary and high schools in the country shall make sure that their respective teachers shall not give any unreasonable homeworks and/or assignments to their students to be done over the weekend.

SEC. 3. The Department of Education (DepEd) shall formulate the pertinent rules and regulations necessary to implement this Act.

SEC. 4. All laws, orders, issuances, rules and regulations, or parts thereof, inconsistent with any provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, modified or amended accordingly

Approved.