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HOUSE BILL NO. 3812



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EXPLANATORY NOTE

No clear rule or regulation has yet been issued that will effectively control or regulate the use computers in government offices by employees while in their respective offices presumably to perform their duties and responsibilities with utmost diligence and dedication.

This bill therefore intends to institute a self-regulatory policy in all government or public offices to observe use of computers only for work-related tasks such that everything beyond this shall be regulated or controlled and may subject the employee to disciplinary action by his immediate superior or head of agency.

This in gist, is the whole intent of this instant measure and its urgent passage is most earnestly sought.

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AN ACT
INSTITUTING SELF-REGULATORY POLICY ON GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES’
USE OF COMPUTERS FOR PURPOSES OTHER THAN WORK-RELATED TASKS
WHILE ON WORK TIME AND PREMISES

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

SECTION 1. This Act shall be known as the “Self-Regulatory Policy on Computer Use in Public Offices Act of 2016”.

SEC. 2. There shall be a self-regulatory policy in all government offices especially those involved in frontline services on the use of computers thereby restricting its use only to work-related tasks.

Use of computers on government time by any government employee for games or similar applications shall be disallowed and such employee shall be subject to disciplinary action by immediate superior or head of agency.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect upon approval.

Approved,