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House Bill No. _____



Introduced by HON. VINCENT FRANCO D. FRASCO

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to separate the Liloan National High School – Poblacion Annex from its mother school, the Arcelo Memorial National High School, in Barangay San Vicente, Municipality of Liloan, Province of Cebu and convert the annex school into an independent and distinct national high school to make it an implementing school with fiscal autonomy.

It is the responsibility of the State to provide excellent education that is accessible to the society. Article XIV Section of the Constitution mandates that “The State shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible to all.” It is in this context that the separation of Liloan National High School – Annex from the mother school, Arcelo Memorial National High School is needed. Anent, the separated high school will now have the opportunity to receive its regular source of funds as it will be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

Furthermore, as an independent and distinct learning organization, the Liloan National High School would enable its administration to be more susceptible to the needs of its local students as well as to enhance the delivery of basic education and boost the quality of education it offers.

On the basis of the abovementioned grounds, the passage of this bill is earnestly sought.

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**AN ACT SEPARATING THE LILOAN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL –
POBLACION ANNEX IN BARANGAY POBLACION, MUNICIPALITY OF
LILOAN, PROVINCE OF CEBU FROM THE ARCELO MEMORIAL
NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT
NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS LILOAN NATIONAL HIGH
SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

SECTION 1. The Liloan National High School – Poblacion Annex in Barangay Poblacion, Municipality of Liloan, Province of Cebu is hereby separated from the ArceLO Memorial National High School and converted into an independent national high school to be known as Liloan National High School.

SECTION 2. All personnel, assets, liabilities and records of the Liloan National High School – Poblacion Annex are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the Liloan National High School.

SECTION 3. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Liloan National High School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriation of the Liloan National High School – Poblacion Annex. Thereafter, the amount necessary for the continued operation of the school shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SECTION 4. Within one hundred twenty (120) days after the approval of this Act, the Secretary of Education shall formulate the rules and regulations implementing the provisions of the Act.

SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,