



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. No. 2924

BY REPRESENTATIVE VILLANUEVA

AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY CRISTO REY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CAPAS, PROVINCE OF TARLAC

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

SECTION 1. *Creation of Barangay Cristo Rey.* – The O’Donnel Resettlement Area in Barangay Aranguren, Municipality of Capas, Province of Tarlac which was separated from Barangay Aranguren and constituted as a distinct and independent barangay under Provincial Ordinance No. 004-2003 in 2003 is hereby created and shall hereafter be known as Barangay Cristo Rey.

The technical description of Barangay Cristo Rey shall be as follows:

“Bounded on the East along line 1-2 by lot 1904, line 2-3 by lot 1903, both in Capas Cadastre; on the South along lines 3-4; 4-5; 5-6; 6-7; 7-8; 8-9; 9-10; 10-11; and 11-12 by the Provincial Road to O’Donnel and beyond by the portion of the reservation; and on the West and North along lines 12-13 and 13-14 by the portion of the reservation; and on the East by lot 1706 of Capas Cadastre. Beginning at a point marked “1” on the stretch plan being identical to BBM No. 48 of Capas Cadastre; covering an area of 348.27 hectares more or less.”

SEC. 2. *Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite.* – The plebiscite conducted and supervised by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) in Barangay Aranguren pursuant to Provincial Ordinance No. 004-2003 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Tarlac, which ratified the creation of Barangay Cristo Rey as proclaimed by the Plebiscite Board of Canvassers on December 13, 2003, shall serve as substantial compliance with the plebiscite requirement under Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the “Local Government Code of 1991”.

SEC. 3. *Incumbent Barangay Officials.* – The incumbent barangay officials of Barangay Cristo Rey shall continue to hold office until such time that their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

SEC. 4. *Public Infrastructure and Facilities.* – All public infrastructure and facilities for public use existing therein at the time of the approval of this Act are hereby transferred without cost or compensation to and shall be administered by the new barangay.

SEC. 5. *Internal Revenue Allotment Shares.* – Barangay Cristo Rey shall be entitled to Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) shares pursuant to Section 285 of Republic Act No. 7160, as amended, otherwise known as the “Local Government Code of 1991”.

SEC. 6. *Effectivity.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,

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