### Republic of the Philippines HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Quezon City, Metro Manila

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HOUSE BILL NO. 3766



## Introduced by Rep. Anna Katrina M. Enverga

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This bill seeks to declare Barangay Apad in the Municipality of Jomalig, Province of Quezon as a government entity created pursuant to Section 385 of the Local Government Code of 1991.

Under Section 385 of the Local Government Code, a barangay may be created, divided, merged or abolished, or its boundary substantially altered by law or by an ordinance of the sangguniang panlalawigan or sangguniang panlansod, subject to approval by majority of the votes cast in a plebiscite to be conducted by the COMELEC in the local government unit or units directly affected within such period of time as maybe determined by law or ordinance creating said barangay.

Brgy. Apad used to be part of Brgy. Bukal but influx of people from the nearby barangays due to economic activities increases and on the year 1976 people started clamoring for the creation of a separate barangay to be formed out of Brgy. Bukal. In 1992 the first set of barangay officials were appointed by the sitting Mayor. By 1997 the first set of barangay officials were elected and subsequently assumed office. Since then, elections of barangay officials are being held regularly.

Barangay Apad has a viable socio and economic amenities that could allow socio-economic growth as well as development within.

In view of the foregoing considerations, approval of this bill is highly and earnestly recommended.

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# AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY APAD IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF JOMALIG, PROVINCE OF QUEZON

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

**SECTION. 1**. **Creation of Brgy. Apad.**- Sitio Apad in Barangay Bukal, Municipality of Jomalig, Province of Quezon is hereby separated and constituted into a a new barangay to be known as Barangay Apad with the following technical description delineating its territorial area:

Cor. 1 BBM No. 23; Cor. 2 - 20 Stake; Cor. 21 BBM 24; Cor 23 - 43 Center of Canaway River; Cor. 44 BBM 22. N 8 Deg 38' 13" W., 4,973.680 M from BBLM No. 5 Cad No. 1219 Jomalig Cadastre; Geographic Position: Lat 14 Deg 41' 33.11" N, Long 122 Deg 24' 18.64" E., covering an area of more or less, 424,9805 hectares.

**SEC. 2.** Conduct and Supervision of Plebiscite. - Pursuant .to Section 10 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as'the Local Government Code of 1991, the new barangay shall exist upon the majority of the votes cast by the qualified voters in a plebiscite to be conducted and supervised by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) in the area affected, within ninety (90) days from the effectivity of this Act.

SEC. 3. Public Infrastructure and FacilitiesAll existing 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 and shall be administered by the new barangay.
SEC. 4. Internal Revenue Allotment Shares Barangay Apad shall be entitled to Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) shares pursuant to Section 285 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.
SEC. 5. Appropriations The amount necessary to conduct the plebiscite as provided for under this Act shall be borne by the Municipality of Jomalig, Quezon;
SEC. 6. Effectivity This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
Approved,