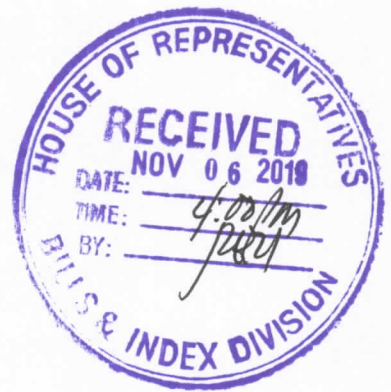


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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
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HOUSE BILL NO. 5357

Introduced by Honorable Nestor B. Fongwan, Sr.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to convert the Benguet National High School- Alno Annex which is located at Barangay Alno, in the Municipality of La Trinidad, Province of Benguet into a national high school to be known as the Alno National High School.

Prior to its establishment in 2005, high school students from this Barangay flock to the town of La Trinidad and to the City of Baguio for their secondary education. Due to the increase of population in the Community, coupled with the worsening traffic condition along the main thoroughfares within the areas of La Trinidad and Baguio, negotiating this short distance from home to school has made it difficult for school children to catch up with their respective schedules on time. For these reasons, the barangay officials of Alno, supported by their constituents, clamoured for the establishment of a secondary school in the community. In respond to this clamour, the Municipal Government of La Trinidad initiated the establishment of the school in partnership with the Department of Education, Benguet Division.

Starting with just enough enrolment for the first year, the number of students grew every year up to the fourth year including senior high schools. At present, Benguet National High School -Alno Annex has a population of almost four hundred (400) students and with the influx of students from adjacent sitios of neighboring barangays, population of students kept on growing. Solution to this yearly increase of students can be promptly addressed by converting this high school annex into a national high school in order to meet its expanding budget requirement.

For twenty years, it has existed as a mere annex school and that by all indications, it has reached the level of growth that highly qualifies it for conversion into a national high school.

Approval of this bill is earnestly urged.


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

Section 1. The Benguet National High School-Alno Annex in Barangay Alno, Municipality of La Trinidad, Province of Benguet is hereby converted into a national high school to be known as the Alno National High School.

Sec. 2. The amount necessary for the implementation of this Act shall be charged from the appropriation of the Department of Education. Thereafter, such sum as may be necessary for the operation and maintenance of the school shall be included in the General Appropriations Act.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved.


HON. NESTOR B. FONGWAN, SR.
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