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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES H.B. No. \_ 6664

Introduced by Representative TEODORICO "NONONG" T. HARESCO, JR.

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

The Land Transportation Office (LTO), a sectoral agency of the Department of Transportation (DOTr) by virtue of Executive Order (E.O.) No. 125 and 125A dated April 13, 1987 and E.O. No. 226 dated July 25, 1987, is tasked to register motor vehicles, issue driver's and / or conductor's licenses and permit, enforce transportation laws, rules and regulations and adjudicate apprehension cases.

The creation of an LTO District Office in the Municipality of Ibajay, Western Aklan will address the increasing number of transactions per year in the Province. While there is a newly set-up LTO Satellite Office in Malay, the creation of a designated LTO office that will cater the municipalities in the second district will further decongest the transactions.

In addition, the creation of regular plantilla positions in the proposed Regular District Office will help raise the morale and productivity of the workforce, and make it more responsive to the needs of the Second District. There will also be procurement of adequate and modern equipment which shall help deliver its services more efficiently, expediently, and securely to the increasing number of registrants.

In view of the foregoing, the immediate passage of this bill is earnestly sought.

TEODRORICO "NONONG" HARESCO, JR.

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## AN ACT CREATING A REGULAR LTO DISTRICT OFFICE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF IBAJAY, PROVINCE OF AKLAN, TO BE KNOWN AS THE "WESTERN AKLAN LTO CENTER", AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THERFOR

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

SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision of the Department of 1 Transportation, a Regular District Office in the Municipality of Ibajay in the Second District of 2 Aklan to be known as the "Western Aklan Land Transportation Office (LTO) Center." 3 4 5 SEC. 2. The Secretary of Transportation shall issue rules and regulations as may be 6 necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act. 7 8 SEC. 3. The Secretary of Transportation shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of a Regular LTO District Office in the Municipality of Ibajay, the 9 10 initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriation of the existing Land Transportation Office in Aklan. Thereafter, such sums as may be necessary for the 11 continued operation of the Regular LTO District Office shall be included in the annual General 12 13 Appropriations Act. 14 15 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after completion of its publication 16 in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation. 17 18 Approved,