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Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
First Regular Session
HOUSE BILL NO. 5014




Introduced by Hon. Julianne "Jam" L. Baronda

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to convert **Nisa Road** in Iloilo City, presently classified as a local city road, into a national road.

The road spans a total length of 521 lineal meters and is located at the City Proper District of Iloilo City. The Nisa Road is an important transportation artery in Iloilo City, as it is used by motorists to reach the Guimaras Ferry Terminal, which is the main port used to reach Guimaras Island from Panay Island. The road is also used to access the Iloilo City Hall, Camp Delgado, San Jose Church and the City Mall. Declared heritage sites such as the Plaza Libertad and Calle Real are also reached by motorists through Nisa Road. The conversion of Nisa Road into a national road will definitely benefit the local tourism industry and the numerous people accessing the Guimaras Ferry Terminal on a daily basis.

I therefore highly recommend the approval of this legislative measure.


Julianne "Jam" L. Baronda
Representative, Lone District of Iloilo

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14 AN ACT CONVERTING NISA ROAD IN CITY PROPER DISTRICT, ILOILO CITY INTO A
15 NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR
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17 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress*
18 *assembled:*
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20 SECTION 1. Nisa Road in City Proper District, Iloilo City is hereby converted into a
21 national road under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways.

22 SEC. 2. The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's
23 program the improvement, repair and maintenance of the said road, the funding of which shall be
24 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

25 SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official*
26 *Gazette* or in a national newspaper of general circulation.

27 Approved,
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