

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

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS

First Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. **3377**



Introduced by Representative Peter John D. Calderon

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to separate the Dumanjug National High School (Bitoon National Vocational High School - Poblacion Extension) in Barangay Liong, Municipality of Dumanjug, Province of Cebu from the Bitoon National Vocational High School and convert it into an independent national high school to be known as Dumanjug National High School.

The administration, supervision and budgetary requirement of the Bitoon National Vocational High School - Poblacion Extension is dependent upon the Bitoon National Vocational High School. The separation and conversion of the extension school into an independent national high school will enable it to function on its own and fully support the K-12 Program of the government.

Being attached to a vocational high school, the Bitoon National Vocational High School - Poblacion Extension is primarily centered on technical, vocational and livelihood tracks. Its separation from Bitoon National Vocational High School will enable it to promote the other specialized tracks of the K-12 Program. Thus, it will provide more avenues for quality high school education in Barangay Liong and nearby barangays in Dumanjug.

In line with the policy of the government to protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels, and its goal to make education accessible to all, the approval of this bill is earnestly sought.


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AN ACT

**SEPARATING THE DUMANJUG NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
(BITOON NATIONAL VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL - POBLACION
EXTENSION) IN BARANGAY LIONG, MUNICIPALITY OF
DUMANJUG, PROVINCE OF CEBU FROM THE BITOON NATIONAL
VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN
INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS
DUMANJUG NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

SECTION 1. The Dumanjug National High School (Bitoon National
Vocational High School - Poblacion Extension) in Barangay Liong,
Municipality of Dumanjug, Province of Cebu is hereby separated from the
Bitoon National Vocational High School and converted into an independent
national high school to be known as Dumanjug National High School.

SEC. 2. All personnel, assets, liabilities and records of the Dumanjug
National High School (Bitoon National Vocational High School - Poblacion

1 Extension) are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the Dumanjug National
2 High School.

3 SEC. 3. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the
4 Department's program the operationalization of the Dumanjug National High
5 School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's
6 appropriation for the Dumanjug National High School (Bitoon National
7 Vocational High School – Poblacion Extension). Thereafter, the amount
8 necessary for the continued operation of the school shall be included in the
9 annual General Appropriations Act.

10 SEC. 4. The Secretary of Education shall formulate the rules and
11 regulations implementing the provisions of this Act.

12 SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in
13 the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

14 Approved,