



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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 6072



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Introduced by Honorable Roger G. Mercado

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Due to the recent passage of Republic Act No. 11198 creating the Second Legislative District in the Province of Southern Leyte, it is therefore necessary that the infrastructure needs of the newly created legislative district shall be addressed.

For this reason, the creation of a new District Engineering Office of the Department of Public Works and Highways is really needed for it to be given the right focus on the infrastructure projects of the second legislative district.

Therefore, passage of this bill is hereby being earnestly sought.

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**AN ACT**

**CREATING A DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS (DPWH) IN THE SECOND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN LEYTE AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

1           **SECTION 1.** There shall be created a District Engineering Office (DEO) of the  
2 Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) in the Second Legislative District of the  
3 Province of Southern Leyte.

4           **SECTION 2.** The Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) shall include  
5 in its Annual Budget the funds necessary for the implementation of this Act.

6           **SECTION 3.** This Act shall take effect upon its approval.  
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8           Approved,