

# Republic of the Philippines S E N A T E COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

jt. with the Committee on Electoral Reforms and People's Participation

December 9, 2021

**Secretary ROY A. CIMATU** Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Dear Secretary Cimatu,

The Committee on Local Government, joint with the Committee on Electoral Reforms and People's Participation, would like to respectfully invite you for a Public Hearing on **15 December 2021, Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.** via **Cisco Webex Teleconference and Sen. Recto Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Senate of the Philippines,** to discuss the legislative measures:

### I. CREATION OF BARANGAYS

- **1.** House Bill No. 7775 AN CREATING BARANGAYS ACMAC, DITUCALAN, SAN ROQUE, LUINAB, UPPER HINAPLANON, AND UBALDO LAYA, ALL IN THE CITY OF ILIGAN (*Introduced by Rep. Frederick W. Siao*)
- **2.** House Bill No. 9814 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF BATUCAN FROM BARANGAY DEL MONTE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TALACOGON, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL SUR, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY BATUCAN (*Introduced by Rep. Alfel M. Bascug*);
- **3.** House Bill No. 9815 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF BUKAL FROM BARANGAY MAINIT IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NABUNTURAN, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DE ORO, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY BUKAL (*Introduced by Reps. Ruwel Peter S. Gonzaga, Sandro L. Gonzales, and Macnell M. Lusotan*)
- **4. House Bill No. 9816 -** AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF CROSSING FROM BARANGAY POBLACION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KITCHARAO, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY CROSSING (*Introduced by Rep. Ma. Angelica M. Amante-Matba*)
- **5.** House Bill No. 9817 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF PANGAYLAN-IP FROM BARANGAY POBLACION I IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTIAGO, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A

DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY PANGAYLAN-IP (Introduced by Rep. Ma. Angelica M. Amante-Matba)

- **6.** House Bill No. 9818 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF SONGKOY FROM BARANGAY POBLACION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KITCHARAO, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY SONGKOY (*Introduced by Rep. Ma. Angelica M. Amante-Matba*)
- 7. House Bill No. 9819 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF TAGUKON FROM BARANGAY CAMINGAWAN IN THE CITY OF KABANKALAN, PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY TAGUKON (Introduced by Rep. Genaro M. Alvarez, Jr.);
- **8.** House Bill No. 9820 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIO OF TULALIAN FROM BARANGAY BALAGUNAN IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF STO. TOMAS, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL NORTE, AND CONSTITUTING IT INTO A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY TULALIAN ((*Introduced by Rep. Dujali, Gonzales and Lusotan*);
- 9. House Bill No. 9971 AN ACT DIVIDING BARANGAY PASONG PUTIK IN QUEZON CITY INTO THREE (3) DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAYS TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY PASONG PUTIK PROPER, BARANGAY GREATER LAGRO AND BARANGAY NORTH FAIRVIEW (Introduced by Rep. Alfredo D. Vargas);
- **10. House Bill No. 10060 -** AN ACT CREATING A NEW BARANGAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF M'LANG, PROVINCE OF COTABATO, TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY POBLACION B (*Introduced by Rep. Jose I. Tejada*);
- **11. House Bill No. 10256 -** AN ACT CREATING A BARANGAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN LUIS, PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL SUR, TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY DOÑA MAXIMA (*Introduced by Rep. Alfel M. Bascug*);
- **12.** House Bill No. 10295 AN ACT SEPARATING THE SITIOS OF NAIBUAN, LAGNAS, IBANAG, HOBKOB, ABONG, MALUMAK, KIANAY, LIBERTAD LOWALIW, ILYA, YABAT, SALIDANG, UPPER KAYWAN, DAYAGA, AND TIMBANGAN FROM BARANGAY BATASAN IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN JOSE, PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO TO CONSTITUTE A DISTINCT AND INDEPENDENT BARANGAY TO BE KNOWN AS BARANGAY NAIBUAN. (Introduced by Rep. Ramirez-Sato);

### II. <u>RENAMING OF MUNICIPALITIES</u>

- **13. House Bill No. 8899 -** AN ACT RENAMING THE MUNICIPALITY OF RODRIGUEZ IN THE PROVINCE OF RIZAL AS THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONTALBAN (*Introduced by Rep. Juan Fidel Felipe F. Nograles*);
  - Senate Bill No. 2258 AN ACT RENAMING THE MUNICIPALITY OF RODRIGUEZ IN THE PROVINCE OF RIZAL AS THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONTALBAN (*filed by Sen. Imee R. Marcos*);
- **14. House Bill No. 9451 -** AN ACT RENAMING THE MUNICIPALITY OF LISTA IN THE PROVINCE OF IFUGAO AS THE MUNICIPALITY OF ALFONSO LISTA (*Introduced by Rep. Solomon R. Chungalao*);
- **15. House Bill No. 9452 -** AN ACT RENAMING THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN ISIDRO, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL NORTE AS THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAWATA (*Introduced by Rep. Pantaleon D. Alvarez*);

# III. CONVERSION OF MUNICIPALITY INTO A COMPONENT CITY

- **16. House Bill No. 10444 -** AN ACT CONVERTING THE MUNICIPALITY OF BALIWAG IN THE PROVINCE OF BULACAN INTO A COMPONENT CITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE CITY OF BALIWAG (*Introduced by Reps. Eric Yap, Paolo Z. Duterte, Gavini "Apol" C. Pancho, et. al.*);
  - Senate Bill No. 2462 AN ACT CONVERTING THE MUNICIPALITY OF BALIWAG IN THE PROVINCE OF BULACAN INTO A COMPONENT CITY TO BE KNOWN AS THE CITY OF BALIWAG (*Introduced by Sen. Joel Villanueva*)

### IV. CREATION OF DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITIES

- **17. House Bill No. 8218 -** AN ACT CREATING THE METRO BATAAN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR (*Introduced by Reps. Jose Enrique "Joet" S. Garcia III, Eric L. Olivarez, Noel L. Villanueva, et. al.*);
  - Senate Bill No. 544 AN ACT CREATING THE METRO BATAAN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (Introduced by Sen. Juan Miguel "Migz" F. Zubiri);
- **18. House Bill No. 9215 -** AN ACT CREATING THE BAGUIO CITY, LA TRINIDAD, ITOGON, SABLAN, TUBA, AND TUBLAY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (BLISTTDA), DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR (*Introduced by Reps. Mark O. Go, Allen Jesse C. Mangaoan, Eric L. Olivarez, et. al.*);

• Senate Bill No. 2296 - AN ACT CREATING THE BAGUIO CITY, LA TRINIDAD, ITOGON, SABLAN, TUBA, AND TUBLAY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (BLISTTDA), DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR (*Filed by Sen. Imee R. Marcos*);

# V. <u>REAPPORTIONMENT OF DISTRICT</u>

- **19. House Bill No. 7771 -** AN ACT REAPPORTIONING THE PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE INTO THE LONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BUTUAN AND THE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE (*Introduced by Reps. Lawrence "Law" H. Fortun and Ma. Angelica M. Amante-Matba*)
  - Senate Bill No. 2006 AN ACT REAPPORTIONING THE PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE INTO THE LONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BUTUAN AND THE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF AGUSAN DEL NORTE (*Filed by Sen. Imee R. Marcos*)
- 20. House Bill No. 10021 AN ACT REAPPORTIONING THE PROVINCE OF SOUTH COTABATO INTO THREE (3) LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS, AND SEPARATING THE CITY OF GENERAL SANTOS FROM THE THIRD LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF SOUTH COTABATO TO CONSTITUTE THE LONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF GENERAL SANTOS, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11243, ENTITLED, "AN ACT REAPPORTIONING THE FIRST LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF THE PROVINCE OF SOUTH COTABATO THEREBY CREATING THE LONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF GENERAL SANTOS CITY" (Introduced by Rep. Ferdinand L. Hernandez)

You may access the electronic copies of the said bills at www.senate.gov.ph. The Committee would appreciate to receive the confirmation of your attendance and your position paper on the above-mentioned matters pertinent to your agency on or before the date of our hearing.

Thank you for your kind consideration of our request.

With warm regards,

For the Chairperson: SENATOR FRANCIS "TOL" N. TOLENTINO Committee on Local Government

ANDRÉ B. MORTEL Committee Secretary