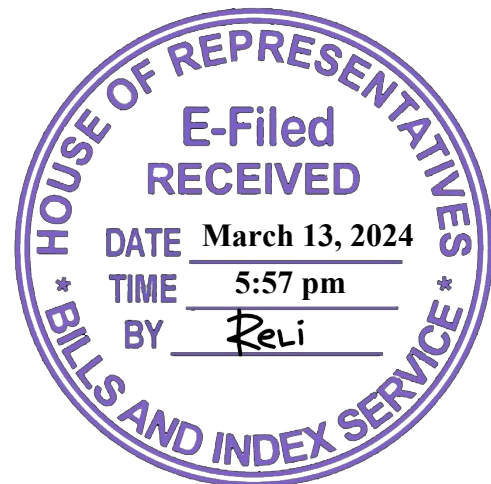




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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 1028

Submitted by the Committees on Health and Appropriations on **March 13, 2024**

Re : House Bill No. **10147**

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 4547

Sponsors : Reps. Ciriaco B. Gato, Jr., Elizaldy S. Co, and Ernesto “Ernix” M. Dionisio, Jr.

Mr. Speaker:

The Committees on Health and Appropriations to which was referred House Bill No. 4547, introduced by Rep. Ernesto “Ernix” M. Dionisio, Jr., entitled:

“AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE PHILIPPINE GENERAL HOSPITAL FROM ONE THOUSAND AND FIVE HUNDRED BEDS (1,500) TO TWO THOUSAND AND TWO HUNDRED BEDS (2,200) AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.”


have considered the same and recommend that the attached House Bill No. **10147**, entitled:


“AN ACT INCREASING THE BED CAPACITY OF THE PHILIPPINE GENERAL HOSPITAL IN THE CITY OF MANILA FROM ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED THIRTY-FOUR (1,334) TO TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (2,200) BEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR”

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 4547, with Reps. Ernesto “Ernix” M. Dionisio, Jr., Ciriaco B. Gato, Jr., Maximo Y. Dalog, Jr., Steve Chiongbian Solon, Augustina Dominique “Ditse Tina” Pancho, Maria Angela S. Garcia, Adrian Jay C.

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Respectfully submitted:


HON. ELIZALDY S. CO
Chairperson
Committee on Appropriations


HON. CIRIACO B. GATO, JR.
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(In substitution of House Bill No. 4547)

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AN ACT
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FOUR (1,334) TO TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (2,200) BEDS, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

1 **SECTION 1.** The authorized bed capacity of the Philippine General Hospital (PGH)
2 located in the City of Manila, is hereby increased from one thousand three hundred thirty-
3 four (1,334) beds to two thousand two hundred (2,200) beds. Any future increase in bed
4 capacity shall be consistent with the hospital development plan that shall be prepared by the
5 Director of the PGH and approved by the University of the Philippines (UP) Board of
6 Regents (BOR).
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1 **SEC. 2.** The existing professional and health care services and facilities of the PGH
2 are hereby upgraded to conform with and be commensurate to the increase in bed capacity.

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4 **SEC. 3.** The existing workforce of the PGH which includes doctors, nurses, and
5 support personnel shall be increased correspondingly.

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7 **SEC. 4.** The Director of the PGH shall, subject to the approval of the UP BOR, and in
8 coordination with the Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management and the
9 Chairperson of the Civil Service Commission, determine the additional new positions to be
10 created.

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12 **SEC. 5.** The amount necessary for the effective implementation of this Act shall be
13 included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

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15 **SEC. 6.** The Department of Health shall include in the Department's subsidy
16 program, support for the capital outlay requirements of the PGH.

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18 **SEC. 7.** If any part or provision of this Act is held invalid or unconstitutional, the
19 remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

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21 **SEC. 8.** All laws, executive orders, issuances, and rules and regulations inconsistent
22 with this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

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24 **SEC. 9.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official*
25 *Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

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27 *Approved,*