# Republic of the Philippines Congress of the Philippines Metro Manila

## Jirst Regular Session

Begun and held in Metro Manila, on Monday, the Twenty Seventh day of July, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty Seven.

### [Republic Act No. 6642]

AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES FROM JANUARY ONE TO DECEMBER THIRTY-ONE, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

Section 1. Appropriation of Funds. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any funds in the National Treasury of the Philippines not otherwise appropriated, for the operation of the Government of the Republic of the Philippines from January one to December thirty-one, nineteen-hundred and eighty-eight except where otherwise specifically provided herein:

#### I. CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES Identification Code: 4101-01

For legislative services, legislative direction and leadership, legislative 

> Current Operating Expenditures

> > Maintenance and Other Operating

Personal Services Expenses Capital Outlays

Totals

#### A. Function

Legislative Services, Legislative Direction and Leadership, Legislative Preparation and Legislative Deliberation, including Legislative Support Services

Total, Function

P 375,000,000 P 190,000,000 P 100,000,000 P 665,000,000 

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Total New Appropriations, Congress of the Philippines

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#### Special Provisions

- 1. Augmentation of Any Item in the Appropriations of the Congress of the Philippines. Pursuant to Section 25(5) of Article VI of the Constitution, the President of the Senate, with respect to the Senate, and the Speaker, with respect to the House of Representatives, are hereby authorized to augment any item in the general appropriations law for their respective offices from savings in other items of their respective appropriations.
- 2. Organizational Structure of the Senate and the House of Representatives. Any provision of law to the contrary notwithstanding and within the limits of the appropriation authorized in this Act for the Congress, the President of the Senate with respect to the Senate, and the Speaker, with respect to the House of Representatives are authorized to formulate and implement the organizational structure of their respective offices, and whenever public interest so requires, make adjustments and reorganization of positions in the regular personnel, as well as transfer of items of appropriations or create new ones in the Senate or House of Representatives, as the case may be; PROVIDED, That officers and employees whose positions are affected by such adjustments or reorganization shall be granted retirement gratuities under existing laws if they are fully eligible for retirement thereunder, otherwise they shall be entitled to separation benefits equivalent to one month salary for every year of service in the government, which gratuity shall be payable from any unexpended balance of, or savings in the appropriations of the respective houses of Congress.
- 3. Release of Appropriations. Appropriations authorized for the Congress shall be automatically and regularly released in accordance with the program of the Senate or House of Representatives, as the case may be.

### GENERAL SUMMARY CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES

Current Operating Expenditures Maintenance and Other Operating Capital Personal Expenses Outlays Totals Services Congress of the P 375,000,000 P 190,000,000 P 100,000,000 P 665,000,000 Philippines Total New Appropriations, Congress of the P 375,000,000 P 190,000,000 P 100,000,000 P 665,000,000 Philippines