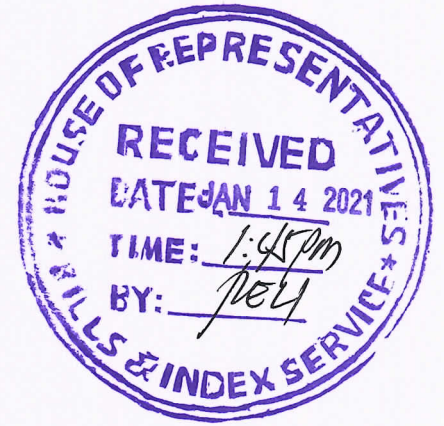


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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The proposed bill seeks to convert the provincial road from the National Highway, known as Pao – Pozorrubio Road, passing through Barangay Pao in the Municipality of Manaoag, Province of Pangasinan leading to Barangay Poblacion in the Municipality of Pozorrubio, Province of Pangasinan, into a national road and appropriate funds for the improvement and maintenance thereof.

Such provincial road herein proposed to be converted into a National Road is strategically connected to the Tarlac-Pangasinan-La Union Expressway Pozorrubio Toll Plaza and is vital to accelerate development and increase economic activity within Fourth District and Fifth District of Pangasinan as well as the neighboring towns of La Union.

The conversion of this provincial road into a national road would directly affect people's mobility. Accessibility roads bring more opportunities to the populace whether for economic, tourism, or day-to-day purposes. Interestingly, roads provide great benefits to all the people not only from the area but to all travelers who come to have ventured the path.

In view of the foregoing, the approval of this proposed measure is earnestly sought.


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PANGASINAN, INTO A NATIONAL ROAD AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS
THEREOF**

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

Section 1. The Provincial Road from The National Highway, passing through Barangay Pao in The Municipality of Manaoag, Province of Pangasinan leading to Barangay Poblacion in the Municipality of Pozorrubio, Province of Pangasinan is hereby converted into a national road.

Section 2. The Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's program the improvement, maintenance, and rehabilitation of the said road, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

Section 3. This Act shall take effect (15) days after publication in the Official Gazette or two (2) national newspapers of general circulation.

Approved,