EXPLANATORY NOTE

This bill seeks to rename the Urdaneta City Bypass Road located in the City of Urdaneta, Pangasinan to Eduardo Cojuangco, Jr. Avenue.

The construction of the Urdaneta City bypass road was initiated by then Congressman Mark O. Cojuangco of the 5th District of Pangasinan to address traffic bottlenecks along the Manila North Road in Urdaneta City and to establish an improved national road system in the Province of Pangasinan. It is Congressman Cojuangco’s vision to make Urdaneta the premiere city of Pangasinan. Carrying his vision, we continued the construction of the bypass by funding the same. And after years of careful planning, the 7.17-kilometer Urdaneta bypass road was open to the public on January 18, 2021 and today, it is ready to accommodate 38,000 motorists every day.

Seeing that the Urdaneta City bypass road has started from the vision of Congressman Mark Cojuangco, it is only fitting that we rename Urdaneta City Bypass Road to Eduardo Cojuangco, Jr. Avenue to honor and recognize the origin of the said road.

In view of the foregoing, immediate approval of this measure is earnestly sought.
AN ACT
RENAMEING THE URDANETA CITY BYPASS ROAD IN THE CITY OF URDANETA, PANGASINAN TO EDUARDO COJUANGCO, JR. AVENUE

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

SECTION 1. Renaming of Urdaneta City Bypass Road.—The name of Urdaneta City Bypass Road located in the City of Urdaneta, Pangasinan is hereby changed to Eduardo Cojuangco, Jr. Avenue.

SEC. 2. Effectivity.—This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its complete publication in at least two newspapers of general publication.

Approved,