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COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 996

Submitted by the Committee on Local Government on **May 24, 2021**
Re: House Bill No. **9453**

Recommending its approval in substitution of House Bill No. 1809

Sponsors: Representatives Noel L. Villanueva and Rogelio D. Pacquiao

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Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Local Government to which was referred House Bill No. 1809 introduced by Representative Rogelio D. Pacquiao, entitled:

"AN ACT
DECLARING OCTOBER TWENTY SEVEN OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SARANGANI"

has considered the same and recommends that the attached House Bill No. **9453** entitled:

"AN ACT
DECLARING OCTOBER 27 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SARANGANI IN RECOGNITION OF ITS INDIGENOUS PEOPLES"

be approved in substitution of House Bill No. 1809 with Representative Rogelio D. Pacquiao as the author thereof.

Respectfully submitted:

NOEL L. VILLANUEVA
Chairperson
Committee on Local Government

THE HONORABLE SPEAKER
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HOUSE BILL No. 9453

INTRODUCED BY: REPRESENTATIVE ROGELIO D. PACQUIAO

AN ACT
DECLARING OCTOBER 27 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE PROVINCE OF SARANGANI IN RECOGNITION OF ITS INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

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

SECTION 1. October 27 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working holiday in the Province of Sarangani in recognition of the immense contribution of its indigenous peoples to society and the protection of the environment.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,