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AN ACT
SEPARATING THE DATU DANWATA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – TFS OF BALIS EXTENSION IN BARANGAY DATU DANWATA, MUNICIPALITY OF MALITA, PROVINCE OF DAVAO OCCIDENTAL FROM THE DATU DANWATA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS THE BALIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

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

SECTION 1. The Datu Danwata Elementary School – TFS of Balis Extension in Barangay Datu Danwata, Municipality of Malita, Province of Davao Occidental is hereby separated from the Datu Danwata Elementary School and converted into an independent elementary school to be known as the Balis Elementary School.

SEC. 2. All personnel, assets, liabilities and records of the Datu Danwata Elementary School – TFS of Balis Extension are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the Balis Elementary School.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Balis Elementary School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriation of the Datu Danwata Elementary School – TFS of Balis Extension. Thereafter, the amount necessary for the continued operation of the school shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 4. Within sixty (60) days after the approval of this Act, the Secretary of Education shall promulgate the rules and regulations implementing the provisions of this Act.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the *Official Gazette* or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,