



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao
BANGSAMORO TRANSITION AUTHORITY
BARMM Compound, Cotabato City

BTA Parliament Bill No. 79(As Amended)

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**AN ACT UPGRADING THE EXISTING WAO DISTRICT HOSPITAL IN
LANAO DEL SUR FROM ITS PRESENT LEVEL 1 WITH 25 BED
CAPACITY INTO LEVEL 1 WITH 50 BED CAPACITY AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Republic Act 11054, “The Organic Law for the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao” mandates this government to adopt a policy on health that provides for a comprehensive and integrated health service delivery for its constituents. It shall establish by law a general hospital system to serve the requirements of its people to ensure that the individual basic right to life shall be attainable through the prompt intervention of excellent and affordable medical services.

Wao District Hospital is a 25-Bed Capacity and Level 1 government hospital created by virtue of Republic Act No. 3607 and commenced operations on December 8, 1979. It is strategically located and caters to the health needs of the constituents of municipalities of Wao and Amai Manabilang (formerly Bumbaran) in Lanao Del Sur, and even residents of nearby municipalities from other provinces such as, Banisilan and some parts of Alamada in Cotabato and Kalilangan in Bukidnon.

It is Wao District Hospital’s mission to provide quality healthcare services to its constituents. It also serves as a referral hospital of Rural Health Units within Wao and Amai Manabilang in Lanao Del Sur and Banisilan in Cotabato.

As per 2015 census of population published by the PSA, Wao has a population of 45, 862 while Amai Manabilang has 10, 401 population.

In addition, in the MOH Annual Hospital Statistical Report in 2019, it shows the increase in the hospital’s bed occupancy rate to 151%. This statistical report indicates that the district hospital has been serving patients beyond its expected capacity.

In view of the above-mentioned policy of this BARMM government to provide for a comprehensive and integrated health service delivery for its constituents, it becomes a matter of utmost consideration and necessity for this government to enact a law that will address the problem.

Thus, the early approval of this bill is earnestly sought.

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Be it enacted by the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao Bangsamoro Transition Authority (BTA) Interim Parliament.

SECTION 1. -- Short Title. This Act shall be known as the “**WAO DISTRICT HOSPITAL UPGRADE ACT OF 2022**”.

SEC. 2. Declaration of Policy. -- It is a policy of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao as provided under Section 22, Article IX of the Republic Act No. 11054 otherwise known as the “Organic Law of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao” to provide for a comprehensive and integrated health service delivery for its constituents and establish by law and general hospital system to serve the health requirements of its people and ensure that the individual basic right to life shall be attainable through the prompt intervention of excellent and affordable medical services.

SEC. 3. Upgrading of the Wao District Hospital. -- The Wao District Hospital is hereby upgraded from its present level with 25 bed capacity into Level 1 with 50 Authorized Bed Capacity in accordance with the national standards set by the Bureau of Health Facilities and Services under the Department of Health (DOH). The existing building including its landscaping, medical and office equipment and other facilities, its operating funds and personnel are also hereby upgraded to include the needed construction and procurement thereof in order to meet the prescribed standards to the upgraded level.

SEC 4. Integration of the Universal Health Care (UHC) Program. -- The upgrading of the Wao District Hospital shall integrate into its system of operations all pertinent and relevant provisions under Republic Act No. 11223 otherwise known as the Universal Health Care (UHC) Act.

SEC 5. Administration, Management, and Organization. -- The Wao District Hospital shall be under the administrative supervision of the Minister of Health who is hereby authorized to determine and approve the appropriate organizational structure for the management and operations of the facility, and if necessary, shall include the creation of the Hospital Board of Directors, defining its powers and functions and the appointment of the officers and members thereof.

SEC. 6. Appropriations –FUNDING is hereby appropriated from the BARMM General Appropriations for the upgrading of the Wao District Hospital, including the construction of infrastructures, acquisition of medical and office equipment and the annual budget needed for personal services, maintenance, operations and other expenses for the implementation of this act, and thereafter, such amount as may be needed for the continued operations of the hospital.

SEC. 7. Implementing Rules and Regulations - The BARMM-MOH shall promulgate the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of this Act within sixty (60) days after the enactment of this act.

SEC. 8. Separability Clause. -- In the event any provision of this act or the application of such provision is declared invalid, the remainder of this act shall not be affected by such declaration.

SEC. 9. Repealing Clause. -- All laws and regulations under the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM) government including those passed under the defunct Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM) government regarding the operations of the Wao District Hospital not consistent with this Act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 10. Effectivity - This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of regional circulation in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region.

Adopted:

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SEC. 6. Appropriations - The amount of Two Hundred Six Million Pesos (Php. 206, 000,000. 00) is hereby appropriated from the BARMM General Appropriations for the upgrading of the Wao District Hospital, including the construction of infrastructures, acquisition of medical and office equipment and the annual budget needed for personal services, maintenance, operations and other expenses for the implementation of this act, and thereafter, such amount as may be needed for the continued operations of the hospital.

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