[REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10463, April 16, 2013]

AN ACT SEPARATING THE CAWAGAYAN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL - SOCBOT ANNEX IN BARANGAY SOCBOT, MUNICIPALITY OF PINUKPUK, PROVINCE OF KALINGA FROM THE CAWAGAYAN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, CONVERTING IT INTO AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO BE KNOWN AS SOCBOT NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AND APPROPRIATING **FUNDS THEREFOR**

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

- SECTION 1. Separation and Conversion into a National High School. The Cawagayan National High School - Socbot Annex in Barangay Socbot, Municipality of Pinukpuk, Province of Kalinga is hereby separated from the Cawagayan National High School and converted into an independent national high school to be known as Socbot National High School.
- SEC. 2. Transfer of Assets and Liabilities. All personnel, assets, liabilities and records of the Cawagayan National High School - Socbot Annex are hereby transferred to and absorbed by the Socbot National High School.
- SEC. 3. Appropriations. The Secretary of Education shall immediately include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Socbot National High School, the initial funding of which shall be charged against the current year's appropriations of the Cawagayan National High School - Socbot Annex. Thereafter, the amount necessary for the continued operation of the school shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.
- SEC. 4. Implementation. The Secretary of Education shall issue rules and regulations that may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.
- SEC. 5. Effectivity. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette.

Approved,

(Sgd.) **JUAN PONCE** (Sgd.) **FELICIANO ENRILE**

President of the Senate

BELMONTE JR.

Speaker of the House of Representatives

This Act which originated in the House of Representatives was finally passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on May 21, 2012 and January 28, 2013, respectively.

(Sqd.) EMMA LIRIO-REYES (Sqd.) MARILYN B. BARUA-