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**SUB-COMMITTEE ON MAGNA CARTA OF BARANGAY
HEALTH WORKERS**

Committee on Health and Demography
Joint with the

Committees on Local Government; Ways and Means; and Finance

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEETING

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Date:

5 March 2024

Please be informed that the Committee on Health and Demography (Subcommittee on Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers) joint with the Committees on Local Government; Ways and Means; and Finance, will conduct a Technical Working Group

(TWG) Meeting on **Monday, 11 March 2024, 10:00 A.M.**, at the **Sen. Tolentino Room, 2nd Floor, Senate of the Philippines, Pasay City**, to discuss the following:

- **Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers**

1. **SBN 5** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Sens. Legarda and Escudero)
2. **SBN 232** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Sen. Padilla)
3. **SBN 396** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Sens. Ejercito and Escudero)
4. **SBN 533** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Sen. Poe)
5. **SBN 1840** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Sen. Gatchalian)
6. **SBN 1911** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Sen. Lapid)
7. **HBN 6557** - An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Barangay Health Workers (Reps. Gatchalian, Benitez, Frasco, et al.)

- **Appointment of Barangay Health Workers/Benefits**

8. **SBN 68** - An Act Strengthening Our Primary Health Care System Through the Appointment of Sufficient Barangay Health Workers in Cities and Municipalities and Elevating Their Status from Volunteers to Order, Contractual, Casual, or Regular Employees and Further Strengthening the Barangay Healthcare System, and For Other Purposes (Sen. Cayetano A. P.)
9. **SBN 84** - An Act Mandating the Appointment of Barangay Health Workers in Every Barangay, Amending for the Purpose Republic Act No. 7160 Otherwise Known as the Local Government Code, Further Expanding the Benefits of Barangay Officials and For Other Purposes (Sen. Zubiri)
10. **SBN 427** - An Act Mandating the Appointment of Barangay Health Workers in Barangays, Providing for Their Duties and Responsibilities, Compensation and Benefits, and For Other Purposes (Sen. Go)
11. **SBN 434** - An Act Mandating the Appointment of Barangay Health Workers in Barangays, Providing for Their Duties and Responsibilities, Compensation and Benefits, and For Other Purposes (Sen. Dela Rosa)
12. **SBN 580** - An Act Creating the Community Health Worker Education and Training Program, Increasing Compensation and Other Benefits for Barangay Health Workers (BHWs), Appropriating Funds Therefor and for Other Purposes (Sen. Hontiveros)
13. **SBN 919** - An Act Strengthening and Institutionalizing the Barangay Primary Health Care Program, Providing Security of Tenure, Benefits and Incentives to Barangay Health Workers, Amending for the Purpose Republic Act No. 7883 Also Known as the 'Barangay Health Workers' Benefits and Incentives Act of 1995' and for Other Purposes (Sen. Angara)
14. **SBN 1393** - An Act Mandating the Appointment of Barangay Health Workers in Barangays, and Providing for Their Duties and Responsibilities, Compensation and Benefits, and for Other Purposes (Sen. Revilla)

- **Holidays for BHWs**

15. **SBN 488** - An Act Declaring April 7 Of Every Year as Barangay Health Workers Day to be Known as BHW Day (Sen. Legarda)

16. **SBN 1170** - An Act Declaring April 7 Every Year as Barangay Health Workers Day (Sen. Angara)

- **Barangay Health Workers and Services Reform**

17. **SBN 1682** - An Act to Improve and to Promote Quality Delivery of Health Services in Barangays, Enacting the "Barangay Health Workers and Services Reform Act of 2023" (Sen. Tulfo)

Your presence in this Public Hearing is earnestly requested.

Thank you.

For the Chairperson:
SEN. JOSEPH VICTOR "JV" G. EJERCITO



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