

E. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ELECTORAL TRIBUNAL

Appropriations/Obligations

(In Thousand Pesos)

| Description                              | ( Cash-Based ) |           |            |                |
|------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|------------|----------------|
|                                          | 2022           | 2023      | 2024       |                |
|                                          |                |           | HET        | Recommendation |
| New General Appropriations               | 227,070        | 230,853   | ( 508,448) | 232,508        |
| General Fund                             | 227,070        | 230,853   | ( 508,448) | 232,508        |
| Automatic Appropriations                 | 9,486          | 9,120     | ( 14,422)  | 9,466          |
| Retirement and Life Insurance Premiums   | 9,486          | 9,120     | ( 14,422)  | 9,466          |
| Continuing Appropriations                | 70,560         | 61,875    |            |                |
| Unobligated Releases for Capital Outlays |                |           |            |                |
| R.A. No. 11518                           | 3,069          |           |            |                |
| R.A. No. 11639                           |                | 3,069     |            |                |
| Unobligated Releases for MOOE            |                |           |            |                |
| R.A. No. 11518                           | 65,329         |           |            |                |
| R.A. No. 11639                           |                | 54,335    |            |                |
| Unobligated Releases for PS              |                |           |            |                |
| R.A. No. 11518                           | 2,162          |           |            |                |
| R.A. No. 11639                           |                | 4,471     |            |                |
| Total Available Appropriations           | 307,116        | 301,848   | ( 522,870) | 241,974        |
| Unused Appropriations                    | ( 61,875)      | ( 61,875) |            |                |
| Unobligated Allotment                    | ( 61,875)      | ( 61,875) |            |                |
| TOTAL OBLIGATIONS                        | 245,241        | 239,973   | ( 522,870) | 241,974        |
|                                          | =====          | =====     | =====      | =====          |

EXPENDITURE PROGRAM  
(in pesos)

| GAS / STO /<br>OPERATIONS / PROJECTS | ( Cash-Based ) |                 |                  |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
|                                      | 2022<br>Actual | 2023<br>Current | 2024<br>Proposed |
| General Administration and Support   | 58,212,000     | 105,661,000     | 106,615,000      |
| Regular                              | 58,212,000     | 105,661,000     | 106,615,000      |
| PS                                   | 41,274,000     | 90,280,000      | 90,957,000       |
| MOOE                                 | 16,602,000     | 15,381,000      | 15,658,000       |
| CO                                   | 336,000        |                 |                  |
| Operations                           | 187,029,000    | 134,312,000     | 135,359,000      |
| Regular                              | 187,029,000    | 134,312,000     | 135,359,000      |
| PS                                   | 130,852,000    | 87,572,000      | 87,778,000       |

|                     |                    |                    |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| MOOE                | 55,616,000         | 46,740,000         | 47,581,000         |
| CO                  | 561,000            |                    |                    |
| TOTAL AGENCY BUDGET | <u>245,241,000</u> | <u>239,973,000</u> | <u>241,974,000</u> |

|         |                    |                    |                    |
|---------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Regular | <u>245,241,000</u> | <u>239,973,000</u> | <u>241,974,000</u> |
|---------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|

|      |             |             |             |
|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| PS   | 172,126,000 | 177,852,000 | 178,735,000 |
| MOOE | 72,218,000  | 62,121,000  | 63,239,000  |
| CO   | 897,000     |             |             |

## STAFFING SUMMARY

|                                      | <u>2022</u> | <u>2023</u> | <u>2024</u> |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| TOTAL STAFFING                       |             |             |             |
| Total Number of Authorized Positions | 193         | 193         | 193         |
| Total Number of Filled Positions     | 111         | 117         | 117         |

## Proposed New Appropriations Language

For general administration and support, and operations, as indicated hereunder.....P (508,448,000) P 232,508,000  
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| OPERATIONS BY PROGRAM                       | PROPOSED 2024 ( Cash-Based ) |             |           |              |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|-----------|--------------|
|                                             | <u>PS</u>                    | <u>MOOE</u> | <u>CO</u> | <u>TOTAL</u> |
| HOR ELECTORAL CONTESTS ADJUDICATION PROGRAM | 80,470,000                   | 47,581,000  |           | 128,051,000  |

EXPENDITURE PROGRAM BY CENTRAL / REGIONAL ALLOCATION, 2024 ( Cash-Based )  
(in pesos)

| REGION                        | <u>PS</u>          | <u>MOOE</u>       | <u>CO</u> | <u>TOTAL</u>       |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Regional Allocation           | <u>169,269,000</u> | <u>63,239,000</u> |           | <u>232,508,000</u> |
| National Capital Region (NCR) | 169,269,000        | 63,239,000        |           | 232,508,000        |
| TOTAL AGENCY BUDGET           | <u>169,269,000</u> | <u>63,239,000</u> |           | <u>232,508,000</u> |
|                               | =====              | =====             | =====     | =====              |

## SPECIAL PROVISION(S)

- Appropriations for Activities or Projects. The amounts appropriated herein shall be used specifically for the following activities or projects in the indicated amounts and conditions:

New Appropriations, by Programs/Activities/Projects ( Cash-Based )

|                                               |                                                                                      | Current Operating Expenditures |                |                                          |                |                 |                |                 |                |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
|                                               |                                                                                      | Personnel Services             |                | Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses |                | Capital Outlays |                | Total           |                |
|                                               |                                                                                      | HET                            | Recommendation | HET                                      | Recommendation | HET             | Recommendation | HET             | Recommendation |
| A. REGULAR PROGRAMS                           |                                                                                      |                                |                |                                          |                |                 |                |                 |                |
| 1000000000000000                              | General Administration and Support                                                   | ( 135,526,000)                 | 88,799,000     | ( 51,388,000)                            | 15,658,000     | ( 17,589,000)   |                | ( 204,503,000)  | 104,457,000    |
| 100000100001000                               | General management and supervision                                                   | ( 134,654,000)                 | 87,927,000     | ( 51,388,000)                            | 15,658,000     | ( 17,589,000)   |                | ( 203,631,000)  | 103,585,000    |
| 100000100002000                               | Administration of Personnel Benefits                                                 | ( 872,000)                     | 872,000        |                                          |                |                 |                | ( 872,000)      | 872,000        |
| Sub-total, General Administration and Support |                                                                                      | ( 135,526,000)                 | 88,799,000     | ( 51,388,000)                            | 15,658,000     | ( 17,589,000)   |                | ( 204,503,000)  | 104,457,000    |
| 3000000000000000                              | Operations                                                                           | ( 158,341,000)                 | 80,470,000     | ( 119,220,000)                           | 47,581,000     | ( 26,384,000)   |                | ( 303,945,000)  | 128,051,000    |
| 3101000000000000                              | HOR ELECTORAL CONTESTS ADJUDICATION PROGRAM                                          | ( 158,341,000)                 | 80,470,000     | ( 119,220,000)                           | 47,581,000     | ( 26,384,000)   |                | ( 303,945,000)  | 128,051,000    |
| 310100100001000                               | Adjudication of Electoral Contests involving members of the House of Representatives | ( 158,341,000)                 | 80,470,000     | ( 119,220,000)                           | 47,581,000     | ( 26,384,000)   |                | ( 303,945,000)  | 128,051,000    |
| Sub-total, Operations                         |                                                                                      | ( 158,341,000)                 | 80,470,000     | ( 119,220,000)                           | 47,581,000     | ( 26,384,000)   |                | ( 303,945,000)  | 128,051,000    |
| TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS                      |                                                                                      | P( 293,867,000)                | P 169,269,000  | P( 170,608,000)                          | P 63,239,000   | P( 43,973,000)  |                | P( 508,448,000) | P 232,508,000  |

Obligations, by Object of Expenditures

CYs 2022-2024  
(In Thousand Pesos)

|                                     | ( Cash-Based ) |        |         |                |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|--------|---------|----------------|
|                                     | 2022           | 2023   | 2024    |                |
|                                     |                |        | HET     | Recommendation |
| Current Operating Expenditures      |                |        |         |                |
| Personnel Services                  |                |        |         |                |
| Civilian Personnel                  |                |        |         |                |
| Permanent Positions                 |                |        |         |                |
| Basic Salary                        | 73,840         | 75,997 | 121,799 | 78,880         |
| Total Permanent Positions           | 73,840         | 75,997 | 121,799 | 78,880         |
| Other Compensation Common to All    |                |        |         |                |
| Personnel Economic Relief Allowance | 2,601          | 2,616  | 4,632   | 2,808          |
| Representation Allowance            | 4,456          | 2,532  | 4,590   | 2,622          |
| Transportation Allowance            | 3,952          | 2,532  | 4,590   | 2,622          |
| Clothing and Uniform Allowance      | 492            | 654    | 1,158   | 702            |
| Honoraria                           |                | 1,323  | 4,023   | 1,323          |
| Mid-Year Bonus - Civilian           | 6,208          | 6,333  | 10,016  | 6,573          |
| Year End Bonus                      | 5,992          | 6,333  | 10,016  | 6,573          |
| Cash Gift                           | 529            | 545    | 965     | 585            |
| Per Diems                           | 2,120          |        |         |                |

|                                                       |                |                |                |                |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Productivity Enhancement Incentive                    | 540            | 545            | 965            | 585            |
| Step Increment                                        |                | 190            | 197            | 197            |
| Total Other Compensation Common to All                | <u>26,890</u>  | <u>23,603</u>  | <u>41,152</u>  | <u>24,590</u>  |
| Other Compensation for Specific Groups                |                |                |                |                |
| Provident/Welfare Fund Contributions                  | 4,266          | 231            | 12,199         | 231            |
| Lump-sum for filling of Positions - Civilian          |                | 67,142         | 100,155        | 62,857         |
| Other Personnel Benefits                              | 50,802         |                | 10,016         |                |
| Total Other Compensation for Specific Groups          | <u>55,068</u>  | <u>67,373</u>  | <u>122,370</u> | <u>63,088</u>  |
| Other Benefits                                        |                |                |                |                |
| Retirement and Life Insurance Premiums                | 8,318          | 9,120          | 14,422         | 9,466          |
| PAG-IBIG Contributions                                | 132            | 130            | 231            | 141            |
| PhilHealth Contributions                              | 1,231          | 1,499          | 7,212          | 1,557          |
| Employees Compensation Insurance Premiums             | 123            | 130            | 231            | 141            |
| Terminal Leave                                        | 6,524          |                | 872            | 872            |
| Total Other Benefits                                  | <u>16,328</u>  | <u>10,879</u>  | <u>22,968</u>  | <u>12,177</u>  |
| TOTAL PERSONNEL SERVICES                              | <u>172,126</u> | <u>177,852</u> | <u>308,289</u> | <u>178,735</u> |
| Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses              |                |                |                |                |
| Travelling Expenses                                   | 1,529          | 1,285          | 5,934          | 1,085          |
| Training and Scholarship Expenses                     | 1,930          | 2,200          | 7,270          | 3,329          |
| Supplies and Materials Expenses                       | 4,633          | 16,887         | 27,746         | 17,430         |
| Utility Expenses                                      | 1,317          | 5,276          | 7,499          | 5,276          |
| Communication Expenses                                | 2,744          | 1,415          | 6,678          | 1,415          |
| Confidential, Intelligence and Extraordinary Expenses |                |                |                |                |
| Extraordinary and Miscellaneous Expenses              | 4,599          | 2,831          | 7,066          | 2,831          |
| Professional Services                                 | 7,661          | 1,568          | 9,240          | 1,568          |
| General Services                                      | 4,424          | 4,998          | 6,735          | 5,638          |
| Repairs and Maintenance                               | 269            | 1,488          | 4,340          | 1,508          |
| Taxes, Insurance Premiums and Other Fees              | 245            | 1,135          | 1,135          | 1,135          |
| Other Maintenance and Operating Expenses              |                |                |                |                |
| Advertising Expenses                                  |                | 325            | 415            | 325            |
| Printing and Publication Expenses                     |                | 820            | 920            | 820            |
| Representation Expenses                               | 4,961          | 4,383          | 6,860          | 4,383          |
| Transportation and Delivery Expenses                  |                | 2,700          | 2,700          | 2,700          |
| Rent/Lease Expenses                                   | 900            | 14,550         | 75,660         | 13,386         |
| Subscription Expenses                                 |                | 260            | 410            | 410            |
| Other Maintenance and Operating Expenses              | 37,006         |                |                |                |
| TOTAL MAINTENANCE AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES        | <u>72,218</u>  | <u>62,121</u>  | <u>170,608</u> | <u>63,239</u>  |
| TOTAL CURRENT OPERATING EXPENDITURES                  | <u>244,344</u> | <u>239,973</u> | <u>478,897</u> | <u>241,974</u> |
| Capital Outlays                                       |                |                |                |                |
| Property, Plant and Equipment Outlay                  |                |                |                |                |
| Buildings and Other Structures                        |                |                | 30,000         |                |
| Machinery and Equipment Outlay                        | 897            |                | 11,473         |                |
| Furniture, Fixtures and Books Outlay                  |                |                | 2,500          |                |
| TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAYS                                 | <u>897</u>     |                | <u>43,973</u>  |                |
| GRAND TOTAL                                           | <u>245,241</u> | <u>239,973</u> | <u>522,870</u> | <u>241,974</u> |

## STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

SECTOR OUTCOME : People-centered, innovative, clean, efficient, effective, and inclusive delivery of public goods and services

## ORGANIZATIONAL

OUTCOME : Fair and speedy resolution of House of Representatives electoral contests achieved

PERFORMANCE INFORMATION

| ORGANIZATIONAL OUTCOMES (OOs) / PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (PIs)                                   | 2022 GAA Targets | Actual        |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Fair and speedy resolution of House of Representatives electoral contests achieved             |                  | P 187,029,000 |
| HOR ELECTORAL CONTESTS ADJUDICATION PROGRAM                                                    |                  | P 187,029,000 |
| Outcome Indicator(s)                                                                           |                  |               |
| 1. Percentage reduction in processing time of electoral protests (Number of cases adjudicated) | 24               | 10            |

PERFORMANCE INFORMATION

| ORGANIZATIONAL OUTCOMES (OOs) / PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (PIs)                                   | Baseline | 2023 Targets  | 2024 NEP Targets |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|---------------|------------------|
| Fair and speedy resolution of House of Representatives electoral contests achieved             |          | P 134,312,000 | P 135,359,000    |
| HOR ELECTORAL CONTESTS ADJUDICATION PROGRAM                                                    |          | P 134,312,000 | P 135,359,000    |
| Outcome Indicator(s)                                                                           |          |               |                  |
| 1. Percentage reduction in processing time of electoral protests (Number of cases adjudicated) | N/A      | 22            | 3                |

Special Provision(s) Applicable to the Congress of the Philippines

1. Organizational Structure. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and within the limits of appropriations in this Act, the Senate President, with respect to the Senate and the Commission on Appointments, the Speaker, with respect to the House of Representatives, and the Chairpersons of the Senate and House of Representatives Electoral Tribunals are hereby authorized to:
- (a) formulate and implement the organizational structure of their respective offices;
- (b) fix and determine the salaries, allowances and other benefits of their respective personnel in accordance with the rates and levels authorized under R.A. No. 6758, as amended, and R.A. No. 6686, as amended, and subject to Section 10, Article VI of the Constitution; and
- (c) create new positions, transfer an item or make other adjustments in the Personnel Services itemization in their respective offices, whenever public interest so requires.
- Implementation of the foregoing shall be subject to: (i) compliance with organization, staffing and position classification and compensation standards of the DBM; (ii) scrap and build policy; and (iii) submission to DBM of a resolution stating the changes in the organization and staffing in accordance with the foregoing standards and policy for proper documentation.
- The officials and employees whose positions are affected by a reorganization shall be granted retirement benefits or separation pay in accordance with existing laws, which shall be payable from any unexpended balance of, or savings in the appropriations of the Congress of the Philippines.
2. Use of Savings. The Senate President and the Speaker of the House of Representatives are hereby authorized to use savings in their respective appropriations to augment actual deficiencies for their respective offices in accordance with Section 25(5), Article VI of the Constitution and the General Provisions of this Act.
3. Release of Appropriations. All appropriations authorized for the Senate, the House of Representatives, the Commission on Appointments, and the Senate and House of Representatives Electoral Tribunals shall be automatically and regularly released.
4. Modification of Allotment for Operational Expenses. Subject to the approval of the Senate President or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, as the case may be, a member of Congress may modify his/her allotment for operational expenses to any other expense category: PROVIDED, That the total of said allotment is not exceeded.

The Members of the House of Representatives and the Senate shall submit to the DBM, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate of the Philippines, either in printed form or by way of electronic

document, quarterly reports on income and expenditure. The Speaker of the House of Representatives or the President of the Senate and the House of Representatives' or the Senate's web administrator or his/her equivalent, as the case may be, shall be responsible for ensuring that said quarterly reports are likewise posted on the House of Representatives and the Senate websites.

5. Revolving Fund for the Sale of Publications and Products. The revolving fund constituted from the income derived from business-type activities of the Senate and the House of Representatives including sale of publications and other institutional products shall be used to cover the expenses incurred for the said activities in accordance with accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Disbursements or expenditures by the Senate and the House of Representatives in violation of the above requirements shall be void and shall subject the erring officials and employees to disciplinary actions in accordance with Section 43, Chapter 5, and Section 80, Chapter 7, Book VI of E.O. No. 292, s. 1987, and to appropriate criminal action under existing penal laws.

6. Reporting and Posting Requirements. The Senate President, with respect to the Senate and the Commission on Appointments, the Speaker, with respect to the House of Representatives, and the Chairpersons of the Senate and House of Representatives Electoral Tribunals shall submit quarterly reports on their financial and physical accomplishments, within thirty (30) days after the end of every quarter, through the following:

- (a) URS or other electronic means for reports not covered by the URS; and

- (b) Senate and House of Representatives' respective websites.

The Senate President, with respect to the Senate and the Commission on Appointments, the Speaker, with respect to the House of Representatives, and the Chairpersons of the Senate and House of Representatives Electoral Tribunals shall send written notice when said reports have been submitted or posted on their respective websites to the DBM, House of Representatives, Senate of the Philippines, House Committee on Appropriations, Senate Committee on Finance, and other offices where the submission of reports is required under existing laws, rules and regulations. The date of notice to said agencies shall be considered the date of compliance with this requirement.