

AN ACT TO AMEND PARAGRAPH SIX OF SUBSECTION TWO OF SECTION ONE OF ACTS NUMBERED FIFTEEN HUNDRED AND TEN, TWENTY-EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIX, AND THIRTY-THREE HUNDRED AND NINETY...

Commonwealth Act No. 174, November 12, 1936

Read online (full-text search, related cases, audio case brief): <https://batas.org/library/4a854d45a01e/>

Be it enacted by the National Assembly of the Philippines:

SECTION 1. Paragraph six of subsection two of section one of Acts Numbered Fifteen hundred and ten, Twenty-eight hundred and thirty-six, and Thirty-three hundred and ninety-nine is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"The Manila Railroad Company of the Philippine Islands, aside from the powers vested upon it by its articles of incorporation, shall also have the right to conduct water to the railroad for the use of the same and to cross any railway, tramway, river, stream, water course, lake, canal, and shore, and to construct, alter, substitute, and maintain for the operation of said railways any and all tracks, (single, double, or more), bridges, tunnels, embankments, aqueducts, viaducts, culverts, fences, and other structures, passages, conduits, drains, abutments, arches, cuttings, and stockades, toll viaducts, toll bridges, and toll tunnels, and, all depots, stations, engine houses, car houses, freight houses, wood houses, and other buildings; and all machine shops and other shops, water tanks, turntables, superstructures, erections and fixtures; and all elevators, warehouses, wharves, piers, and other facilities, terminal or otherwise, for operating said railroads, and also any hotel, or restaurant at any station, terminal, or any other place convenient to the traveling public." SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved, November 12, 1936.

ABOUT BATAS.ORG

Study smarter at BATAS.org

The Philippine bar review and law-school companion built around how your brain actually remembers.

The complete Philippine law library - free for everyone.

More than 100,000 Supreme Court decisions, Republic Acts, and executive issuances - full-text searchable, browsable by category and year, and always free. No paywall, no login. This PDF came from it.

Audio case-brief lectures.

Any decision becomes a podcast-style lecture - facts, issues, ruling, and doctrine - with read-along highlighting and a hands-free presentation mode. Study while commuting, working out, or resting your eyes.

Bar review built on the science of memory.

Complete, sequenced courses for all eight bar subjects, narrated like podcasts and reinforced with retrieval practice and spaced review - the study techniques with the strongest evidence behind them.

The full law-school curriculum.

One subscription unlocks the entire J.D. curriculum - every subject, every lesson, with your progress tracked down to the paragraph so you can pick up exactly where you left off, on any device.

Mock exams that tell you where you stand.

Timed multiple-choice exams graded instantly, with per-subject score breakdowns and focus suggestions that point you at your weakest topics first.

A study planner that keeps you on pace.

Set your schedule and BATAS tells you every day whether you are on track for bar day - and exactly which lesson to take next.

Start free at <https://batas.org>

The law library is free forever - and your first lesson is one click away.

The text of this document is an official public record and remains in the public domain. Formatting, presentation, and compilation © 2026 batas.org.

Downloaded free from the batas.org Law Library. Share it freely - the library is free for every law student, bar reviewee, and practitioner.