

AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CLAVERIA STATION HOSPITAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CLAVERIA, PROVINCE OF MASBATE AND AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS THEREFOR.

REPUBLIC ACT No. 5195, June 15, 1968

Read online (full-text search, related cases, audio case brief): <https://batas.org/library/b3e1a560e19a/>

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

SECTION 1. As denned in this Act, a station hospital shall mean a small hospital of not more than twenty-five bed capacity for the management of common medical and maternity cases and surgical emergencies requiring ordinarily a short period of confinement. Cases requiring complicated major surgery and/or elaborate diagnostic examination or specialist treatment may not be confined in this hospital but transferred to regular provincial or regional hospitals.

SEC. 2. There is hereby established in the Municipality of Claveria, Province of Masbate, a station hospital to be known as the Claveria Station Hospital with a bed capacity of not less than ten nor more than twenty-five beds.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of Health shall cause the establishment of the hospital, provide a suitable table of organization of not more than fourteen personnel and promulgate rules and regulations for its maintenance and operation. He may, if the exigency of the service so demands, merge this hospital with local health units in the Municipality of Claveria, Province of Masbate, provided that the public health work of the latter unit will not be impaired.

SEC. 4. A sum not to exceed fifty thousand pesos is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any funds In the National Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the establishment, maintenance and operation of said hospital, during the first fiscal year of its operation. Thereafter, such sums as may be needed, but not to exceed fifty thousand pesos, for the same purpose shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Enacted without Executive approval, June 15, 1968.

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.