

**[ REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7162, November 08, 1991 ]**

**AN ACT CREATING THE MUNICIPALITY OF TIGBAO IN THE  
PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR**

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

SECTION 1. Barangays Tigbao, New Tuboran, Nangan-Nangan, Lacarayan, Upper Nilo, Nilo, Lacupayan, Diana Countryside, Busol, Maragang, Limas, Guinlin, Libayoy, Timolan, Mate, Begong, Caluma, and Longmot, all in the Municipality of Dumalinao, Province of Zamboanga del Sur, are hereby separated from the said municipality and constituted into a distinct and independent Municipality of Tigbao.

SEC. 2. The technical description of the new municipality shall be as follows:

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
1-2	N7deg.49'57"-123deg.19'07", thence, S13deg.35'15"E	3,654M
2-3	N7deg.48'04"-123deg.18'40"E, thence, S12deg.22'16"W	1,005M
3-4	N7deg.47'30"-123deg.18'40"E, thence, N86deg.05'24"W	5,434M
4-5	N7deg.47'42"-123deg.15'37"E, thence, S00deg.38'00"W	2,724M
5-6	N7deg.46'14"-123deg.15'03"E, thence, N61deg.32'51"W	3,617M
6-7	N7deg.47'10"-123deg.13'55"E, thence, N16deg.58'48"W	14,569M
7-8	N7deg.54'41"-123deg.11'37"E, thence, S88deg.03'24"E	2,732M
8-9	N7deg.54'38"-123deg.13'05"E, thence, S63deg.11'16"E	12,855M
9-1	N7deg.51'26"-123deg.19'14"E, thence, S04deg.54'35"W	2,821M

SEC. 3. The seat of government of the new municipality shall be in Barangay Tigbao.

SEC. 4. After ratification by a majority of the votes cast in a plebiscite to be conducted in the areas affected within a period of one hundred eighty (180) days from the approval of this Act, the mayor, vice-mayor and members of the sangguniang bayan of the new municipality shall be elected in the next regular election of local officials. The new municipality shall be considered duly organized upon the assumption of office of the first set of elected local officials.