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CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the regular session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on November 25, 2024, at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1037-2024

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE PHILIPPINE COCONUT AUTHORITY (PCA) RELATIVE TO THE PROCUREMENT OF AGRICULTURAL GRADE SALT FERTILIZERS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COCONUT FERTILIZATION PROJECT FOR CY 2024

WHEREAS, the Philippine Coconut Authority is the sole government agency that is tasked to develop the coconut industry to its full potential and to ensure that the outcomes of this development shall accrue to the coconut farmers;

WHEREAS, the PCA is presently implementing the Coconut Planting and Replanting Project which aims to revitalize the coconut industry by planting 100 million trees from 2023 to 2028, increase farmers' incomes and drive economic development within local government units;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan supports the coconut planting program that would benefit the coconut farmers and the industry stakeholders in the province and in other regions;

WHEREAS, one of the projects being implemented by the PCA is the Coconut Fertilization Project (CFP) which intends to enhance the coconut productivity involving the rehabilitation of low-bearing palms through the application of Agricultural Grade Salt Fertilizers (AGSF);

WHEREAS, Section 23 of Republic Act No. 11985, or the Philippine Salt Industry Development Act, provides for the mandatory use "...of domestically produced salt in its programs, including the fertilization of coconut farms by the PCA";