

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

## 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 December 2, 2024, at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Members Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison and Vici M. Ventenilla

## PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1050-2024

AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR THE RENEWAL OF THE INTERIM MANAGEMENT OF THE FORESHORE AREA FOR SALT PRODUCTION AND OTHER RELATED ACTIVITIES OR THE TEMPORARY SALT PRODUCTION SHARING AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, pursuant to Provincial Resolution No. 989-2023, dated November 20, 2023, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan authorized the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources, represented by its Undersecretary, Atty. Juan Miguel T. Cuna, as Officer-in-Charge, for the Interim Management of the Foreshore Area for Salt Production and other related activities or the Temporary Salt Production Sharing Agreement;

WHEREAS, the present undertaking is in line with the objective of Republic Act No. 8172, otherwise known as An Act Promoting Salt Iodization Nationwide and for Related Purposes, to protect and promote the health of the people, to maintain an effective food regulatory system, and to promote the nutritional fortification of food to combat micronutrient as a priority health program for the nation;

WHEREAS, this salt production agreement would lessen the province's reliance on imports by providing our local salt stakeholders with ample support and protection so they can develop and innovate the salt production industry;

WHEREAS, the continuous operation and management of the salt farm area would sustain the employment of all the previous salt farm workers in the agriculture sector;





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> WHEREAS, to date, continuous efforts and improvements are being undertaken by the province to efficiently undertake the management of salt production operations in a technically, financially, socially, culturally and environmentally responsible manner;

> WHEREAS, the Memorandum of Agreement entered into by the Province is set to expire on December 18, 2024 and there is a need to extend the same for the continuous implementation of the Salt Farm Production in accord with the pertinent provisions of ASIN Law and its Implementing Rules and Regulations;

> WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Members Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison and Vici M. Ventenilla, duly seconded, it was -

**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session duly assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources for the renewal of the Interim Management of the Foreshore Area for Salt Production and other related activities or the Temporary Salt Production Sharing Agreement;

**RESOLVED, FINALLY**, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan, and Undersecretary Juan Miguel T. Cuna, Department of Environment and Natural Resources, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY . NAVA-PEREZ

Secretory to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

LD DG. LAMBINO e Governor siding Officer)

