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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 February 10, 2025, at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Jerry Agerico B. Rosario

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 189-2025

REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR TO INSTRUCT THE PANGASINAN POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE AND THE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA) – PROVINCIAL OFFICE TO STUDY THE POSSIBILITY OF OFFERING FREE BASIC BARANGAY HEALTH SERVICE TRAINING AND ACCREDITATION FOR BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, Barangay Health Workers (BHWs) are active partners of the local government units in the promotion and implementation of the basic health programs, projects and activities, particularly in the barangays;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, during its inquiry held on January 20, 2025 Regular Session, has learned that BHWs are required to undergo NC-II training course that entails them to pay a promulgated assessment fee of P970.00, as stipulated in the TESDA Circular No. 072, Series of 2021;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan acknowledges that Barangay Health Workers are practically working for very minimal financial allowances that cannot be considered enough to support their families;

WHEREAS, considering the importance of their services in their respective localities, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan recognizes the importance of conducting a study for the provision of a basic barangay health service training and accreditation for barangay health workers to enhance their capacities to achieve the full realization of primary care, and as an important strategy to ensure quality, safe and affordable care;

WHEREAS, this basic barangay health service training is essential to BHWs as this will upgrade their technical and institutional capacities;



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WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan further recognizes that the Pangasinan Polytechnic College and the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) – Provincial Office play a critical role in exploring ways to provide BHWs access to free training courses;

WHEREAS, for the above purposes, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is hereby requesting the Office of the Governor to instruct the aforesaid institutions for the formulation of basic health care trainings and programs for barangay health workers in the Province of Pangasinan;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Jerry Agerico B. Rosario, duly seconded, it was –

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to request, as it is hereby requested, the Office of the Provincial Governor to instruct the Pangasinan Polytechnic College and the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) – Provincial Office to study the possibility of offering free basic barangay health service training and accreditation for Barangay Health Workers in the Province of Pangasinan;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to Honorable Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, for his information and appropriate action.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)