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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 May 22, 2023 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 415-2023

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF INTER-LGU COOPERATION FOR UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE

WHEREAS, RA 11223 or the Universal Health Care Act of 2019 mandates the implementation of health reform program which ensures that every Filipino is guaranteed an equitable access to quality and affordable healthcare services and is protected against financial risks;

WHEREAS, the law endeavors to integrate local health systems into provincewide health systems to ensure the effective and efficient delivery of population-based and individual-based health services;

WHEREAS, Section 33 of RA 7160 provides that local government units may group themselves, consolidate or coordinate their efforts, services, and resources for purposes commonly beneficial to them in order to provide basic health services and facilities to the people;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan is one of the integration sites of the Universal Health Care Act and has signified its commitment to integrate its local health systems into provincewide health system;

WHEREAS, it is the objective of the Inter-LGU Cooperation to ensure and strengthen the collaborative linkages between the Province of Pangasinan and its component cities and municipalities through the generation, mobilization and allocation of essential resources for the improvement and sustainability of an efficient and effective health care delivery system in the Province;



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WHEREAS, through the Memorandum of Agreement, the Province of Pangasinan can achieve the Maturity Level-Organizational Phase for the implementation of the following Universal Health Care minimum provisions:

1. Creation of Primary Care Provider Networks (PCPNs) linked to secondary or tertiary care;
2. The Provincial Health Board as the overall manager for the Provincewide Health System (PWHS) and Technical Management Committee;
3. Resource sharing and coordination mechanisms on health financing;
and
4. The roles and responsibilities of the Province and component local government units.


WHEREAS, it is to the best interest of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement with local government units to further enhance implementation of health care programs and services in the Province of Pangasinan;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued, duly seconded, it was –


RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Local Government Units in the Province of Pangasinan for the implementation of Inter-LGU Cooperation for Universal Health Care;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan, and all Local Government Units of the Province, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)