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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 June 19, 2023 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Marinor B. de Guzman

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 522-2023

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE OVERSEAS WORKERS WELFARE ADMINISTRATION-REGIONAL WELFARE OFFICE 1 (OWWA-RWO 1) FOR THE USE OF THE OPAG SATELLITE FIELD OFFICE AS A SITE FOR ITS WESTERN PANGASINAN SATELLITE OFFICE

WHEREAS, Section 465 (vi) of RA 7160 provides that the Provincial Governor shall represent the Province in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts and obligations and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan or pursuant to law or ordinance;

WHEREAS, the Overseas Workers Welfare Administration (OWWA) which is now under the direct supervision of the Department of Migrant Workers, has requested the Province that it be allocated a possible vacant office space/unit where to house its Western Pangasinan Satellite Office;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Pangasinan is an owner of a lot containing an area of 1,121 square meters, more or less, situated at Poblacion, Alaminos City, Pangasinan, where the OPAG Satellite Field Office is located, covering an area of 469.68 square meters, more or less;

WHEREAS, the OPAG Satellite Field Office which is currently vacant can be utilized as the temporary site for the Western Pangasinan Satellite Office of the OWWA;



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WHEREAS, the Province, recognizing the vital role of the OWWA as the lead agency that develops and implements welfare programs and services that respond to the needs of its member-Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) and their families, hereby agrees to allow the use of the aforementioned property through the execution of a Memorandum of Understanding by and between the Province and OWWA-RWO 1;

WHEREAS, it is to the best interest of the Province of Pangasinan, in coordination with the OWWA, to find ways to protect the rights and promote the welfare of OFWs in Pangasinan in recognition of their valuable contribution in the continued stability of the Philippine economy;

WHEREAS, the subject of the Memorandum of Understanding covers an office space/unit with an area of approximately 9.80 square meters inside the OPAG Satellite Field Office;

WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Governor Ramon V. Guico III, and OWWA Regional Welfare Office 1, represented by the OIC-Regional Director, Honorable Gerardo C. Rimorin;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Marinor B. de Guzman, 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 Understanding with the Overseas Workers Welfare Administration- Regional Welfare Office 1 (OWWA-RWO 1) for the use of the OPAG Satellite Field Office as a site for its Western Pangasinan Satellite Office;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan, and Honorable Gerardo C. Rimorin, OIC-Regional Director, Overseas Workers Welfare Administration- Regional Welfare Office 1, San Fernando City, La Union, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

SP MEMBER NOEL C. BINCE
Temporary Presiding Officer