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## 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 October 9, 2023 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:*

Authored by SP Member Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa

### PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 871-2023

**AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT (ECCD) COUNCIL FOR THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO FULLY SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOGNITION/ACCREDITATION OF CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT WORKERS IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act 10410, otherwise known as the Early Years Act of 2013, declares that Filipino children aged from 0 to 4 years old shall be the responsibility of the Early Childhood Care and Development (ECCD) Council to promote their optimum growth and development;

**WHEREAS**, Section 7 of the same Act also declares that ECCD shall be responsible for establishing national standards, developing policies and programs, and providing technical assistance and support to the ECCD service providers in consultation with coordinating committees at the provincial, city, municipal and barangay levels;

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Pangasinan recognizes the significant role of Child Development Workers (CDWs) as one of the effective partners in the implementation of all child-care education and other literacy related programs and activities;

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Pangasinan shall enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with ECCD Council with the aim to ensure and support the implementation of programs related to children's welfare and development;

**WHEREAS**, one of the obligations of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan as stipulated in the MOA is to monitor and evaluate regularly the conduct of the recognition/accreditation of CDCs and CDWs, as well as any relevant training or activities;



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**WHEREAS**, to fully support the implementation for the recognition/accreditation of CDCs and CDWs in the Province, there is a need therefore for the ECCD Council to transfer the funds to the Provincial Government of Pangasinan;

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan expresses its full support on said Agreement as this would ensure effective and quality delivery of the day care services and other early childhood care development programs through various centers and service providers;

**WHEREAS**, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III, and the Early Childhood Care and Development (ECCD) Council, represented by its Vice Chairperson and Executive Director, Dr. Teresita G. Inciong;

**WHEREFORE**, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa, duly seconded, it was –

**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Honorable Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Early Childhood Care and Development (ECCD) Council for the transfer of funds to fully support the implementation for the recognition/accreditation of Child Development Centers and Child Development Workers in the Province of Pangasinan;

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, to furnish copies of this resolution to the Honorable Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, and Dr. Teresita G. Inciong, Vice Chairperson & Executive Director of the Early Childhood Care and Development (ECCD) Council, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

**VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ**  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*

ATTESTED:

**MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO**  
*Vice Governor*  
*(Presiding Officer)*