

### 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 10, 2022 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

## Authored by SP Member Vici M. Ventanilla

#### PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 784-2022

REQUESTING DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES SECRETARY, HONORABLE ANTONIA YULO-LOYZAGA, TO **ISSUE** A **FAVORABLE** RECOMMENDATION TO **PHILIPPINE PRESIDENT** FERDINAND "BONG BONG" R. MARCOS JR. FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATIONS AMENDING PP NO. 1258, SERIES OF 1998 AND PP NO. 156, SERIES OF 1994, EXPANDING, **SEGREGATING** CLASSIFYING AS ALIENABLE AND DISPOSABLE LAND COVERING THREE HUNDRED (300) HECTARES, MORE OR LESS, LOCATED IN BARANGAYS ESTANZA, MALIMPUEC AND CAPANDANAN, ALL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LINGAYEN, PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN AND THEREBY AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A SPECIAL PATENT IN OF PROVINCIAL **GOVERNMENT** FAVOR THE PANGASINAN FOR ECONOMIC-TOURISM ZONE AND OTHER **DEVELOPMENT PURPOSES** 

WHEREAS, Section 6 of Commonwealth Act 141, otherwise known as the Public Land Act, states that "The President, upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Agriculture and Natural Resources (now the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources), shall from time to time classify the lands of the public domain into: (a) Alienable or disposable (b) Timber, and (c) Mineral lands, and may at any time and in a like manner transfer such lands from one class to another, for purposed of their administration and disposition";

WHEREAS, Presidential Proclamation No. 1258, s.1998 was issued by President Fidel Valdez Ramos on June 22, 1998 with the title: "Amending Proclamation No. 156 (S.1994) Classifying the Lingayen Gulf as an Environmentally Critical Area, and Segregating Some Parcels of the Public Domain Therefrom and Reserving the Same for Eco-Tourism and Other Sustainable Development Projects and Activities of the Province of Pangasinan";





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WHEREAS, PP No. 1258, S-1998 segregated and reclassified One Hundred Eighty Four (184) Hectares of Foreshore Lands located in the Municipality of Lingayen, Province of Pangasinan and "reserving the same for eco-tourism and other sustainable development projects and/or activities of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan.";

WHEREAS, the land declared and segregated by PP No. 1258, s.1998 was included by the Provincial Government Pangasinan in its Investment Priority Areas and named as the Pangasinan Economic and Tourism Zone Development Project. The land area was however expanded due to accretion, and in exercise of the littoral rights, to cover at least Three Hundred (300) Hectares of Foreshore Lands located in the adjacent barangays of Estanza, Malimpuec and Capandanan, all in the Municipality of Lingayen;

WHEREAS, one of the mandates of the Provincial Government is to uphold the general welfare of the populace as laid down in our laws particularly Section 16 of the Local Government Code of enhancing economic prosperity and promoting full employment;

WHEREAS, in order to grant, cede and convey full ownership to the Provincial Government of Pangasinan over the 300 hectares of foreshore lands, a Special Patent is needed. A Presidential Proclamation amending PP No. 1258 s. 1998 and PP No. 156, s.1994 shall be the enabling Act for the issuance of the Special Patent, upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Vici M. Ventanilla and all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, duly seconded, it was

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled, to Request, as it is hereby requested, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources Secretary, Honorable Antonia Yulo-Loyzaga, to issue a favorable recommendation to Philippine President Ferdinand "Bong Bong" R. Marcos Jr. for the issuance of Presidential Proclamations (PP) Amending PP No. 1258, Series of 1998 and PP No. 156 Series of 1994, expanding, segregating and classifying as alienable and disposable land covering Three Hundred (300) Hectares, more or less, located in Barangays Estanza, Malimpuec and Capandanan, all in the Municipality of Lingayen, Province of Pangasinan and thereby authorizing the issuance of a Special Patent in favor of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan for economic-tourism zone and other development purposes";



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**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to DENR Secretary Ma. Antonia Yulo-Loyzaga, the Office of the Governor, Hon. Ramon V. Guico III, the Regional Executive Director of DENR, CENRO, PENRO and all other concerned departments and offices, for their information, reference and appropriate action.

**CERTIFIED BY:** 

VERNAT. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO

Vice Governor (Presiding Officer)