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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 November 7, 2022 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Arthur C. Celeste, Jr. and
co-authored by all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 837-2022

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE PHILNITS CORPORATION FOR THE UPGRADING OF THE GEOCLOUD GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIS) OF THE PROVINCE

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan, through the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office, is the recipient of a Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Grant entitled “A Verification Survey to Disseminate Japanese Technologies for Integrated Geographic Information (GIS) for Advancement of Regional Disaster Prevention” or the “GeoCloud Project”;

WHEREAS, the Project is aimed at advancing and enhancing the capacity of the Province for disaster preparedness through the formal turn-over of computer hardware and software;

WHEREAS, the Geographical Information System (GIS) for Pangasinan has been helpful in the establishment of evacuation sites and in the deployment of resources and relief goods during devastation of tropical storms in the Province;

WHEREAS, the GeoCloud Software License Version 5 donated by the JICA Project and installed in the Pangasinan PDRRMO since 2016 is now old and would need to be replaced with a new version;

WHEREAS, in 2021, PhilNITS Corporation has submitted a Proposal and the scope of work for the Project consists of four (4) phases, namely: Phase I-Transfer of the Old System to the new DRRM Office and Maintenance of this; Phase II-Purchase and Installation of New Server and two (2) Workstations; Phase III-Annual Subscription to the Server License and Two User Licenses, Consultancy Work on the Installation and Application of GeoCloud Version 6 and Training on its use; and Phase IV-Transfer of Communications Antenna from the old PDRRM Office to the New Building;



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WHEREAS, Phases I, II and IV have been awarded prior to the change of administration while Phase III is yet to be approved and awarded for the completion of the upgrading of the GIS system;

WHEREAS, GeoCloud Version 6 is a more improved and efficient software to boost the performance of the Pangasinan PDRMO GIS, with its additional functionalities in Cloud operations;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan shall pay the annual subscription fee and installation charges of P896,000.00 for GeoCloud Version 6 upon approval and awarding of the said upgrade;


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 PhilNITS Corporation, represented by its President, Ms. Maria Corazon M. Akol;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Arthur C. Celeste, Jr. and co-authored by all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, duly seconded, it was –

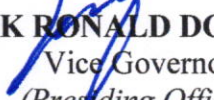
RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the PhilNITS Corporation for the for the upgrading of the GeoCloud Geographical Information System (GIS) of the Province;

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan; Ms. Maria Corazon M. Akol, President, PhilNITS Corporation, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)