

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 February 21, 2022 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Nestor D. Reyes

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 279-2022

STRONGLY EXPRESSING THE SENTIMENT OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN IN MAINTAINING THE STATUS QUO REGARDING THE NON-OPERATION OF SMALL TOWN LOTTERY IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, Letter Circular No. 2022-0028 of the Office of the Governor, dated February 18, 2022, informed all Local Chief Executives in the Province of Pangasinan that there are reports circulating around the Province regarding an alleged new STL operator approved by the Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office (PCSO);

WHEREAS, as of date, the Provincial Government has not yet received any official communication from the PCSO as to any approved Authorized Agency Corporation (AAC) which will operate STL in the Province;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is concerned that an STL operation in Pangasinan may create chaotic incidences as it has already been experiencing peace and order sans the operation of STL in Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan that the pending case between PCSO and Globaltech Mobile Online Corporation be resolved first before any STL operator is allowed to operate in the Province in order to avoid embroilment;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan supports the call of the Provincial Governor in aforesaid circular for LGUs to be vigilant in implementing pertinent laws in allowing operation of STL in their respective jurisdiction;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Nestor D. Reyes, duly seconded, it was –







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RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to strongly express, as it is hereby strongly expressed, the sentiment of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in maintaining status quo regarding the non-operation of Small Town Lottery in the Province of Pangasinan;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Hon. Royina Marzan Garma, Vice-Chairperson and General Manager of the Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office; and Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III, and all City and Municipal Mayors, all of the Province of Pangasinan, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNAT. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO

Vice/Governor (Presiding Officer)



