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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 April 12, 2021 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 355-2021

AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, AMADO I. ESPINO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE PHILIPPINE BUSINESS FOR SOCIAL PROGRESS, INC. FOR THE CONTINUOUS IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMMATIC MANAGEMENT OF DRUG-RESISTANT TUBERCULOSIS PROJECT IN THE PROVINCE

WHEREAS, the Philippine Business for Social Progress is one of the largest corporate-led social development foundations that operates nationwide on various health programs;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Business for Social Progress is the current Global Fund recipient that supervises the management of funding and implementation of the ACCESS TB Project or Advancing Client-centered Care and Expanding Sustainable Services for TB Project (the Global Fund Project) in the country;

WHEREAS, one of the key service areas of the Global Fund Project is to support the Department of Health (DOH) in the expansion of its Programmatic Management of Drug-Resistant Tuberculosis (PMDT);

WHEREAS, PMDT is a provision of diagnostic and treatment services to Drug Resistant Tuberculosis (DRTB) patients through the treatment centers, satellite treatment centers and treatment sites;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan, through its public health facilities, namely: Pangasinan Provincial Hospital, Urdaneta District Hospital, Eastern Pangasinan District Hospital, Western Pangasinan District Hospital and Bayambang District Hospital are currently operating as Satellite Treatment Centers and Rapid TB Diagnostic Laboratories (RTDL) for Drug Resistant Tuberculosis patients in the Province;



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WHEREAS, the five (5) hospitals shall be the implementing partners of the DOH in order to effectively and efficiently deliver quality clinical and laboratory services, and TB care and treatment among TB patients covered by the Global Fund Project;

WHEREAS, the Project would help reduce the prevalence of tuberculosis health problems in the Province;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan fully supports this noble Project as it is beneficial to the people of Pangasinan, especially the TB patients;


WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed with the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Honorable Governor, Amado I. Espino III; and the Philippine Business for Social Progress, Inc., represented by Mr. Elvin Ivan Y. Uy, Deputy Executive Director, for the continuity of the Global Fund Project for the period of January 01, 2021 to December 31, 2023;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario, duly seconded, it was –

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Honorable Governor, Amado I. Espino III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the Philippine Business for Social Progress, Inc. for the continuous implementation of the Programmatic Management of Drug-Resistant Tuberculosis Project in the Province;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III, Province of Pangasinan, and Mr. Elvin Ivan Y. Uy, Deputy Executive Director, Philippine Business for Social Progress, Inc., for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)