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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
ORMOC CITY

Office of the Municipal Board

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION HELD
BY THE MUNICIPAL BOARD OF ORMOC CITY, PHILIPPINES, IN
ITS SESSION HALL ON JULY 21, 1951.

PRESENT:

His Honor, Lucilo A. Conui.....	Presiding Officer
Hon. Marcelo D. Bandalan.....	Vice Mayor
" Victorino C. Talaron.....	City Councilor
" Guillermo T. Parrilla.....	" "
" Flaviano Montesclaros.....	" "
" Cleto P. Evangelista.....	" "
" Antonio C. Cataag.....	" "
" Porfirio Ayuyao.....	" "

ABSENT:

Hon. Pablo S. Pajaron.....	City Councilor
" Felipe Adolfo.....	" "

RESOLUTION NO. 101

WHEREAS, the Municipal Board of Ormoc City, interpreting the reaction of the inhabitants of Ormoc City against the peace treaty of Japan as drafted by Ambassador John Foster Dulles, hereby voices its strong opposition against said proposed draft wherein the legitimate claim for war reparation of the Philippines by Japan and the future security of the Philippines are practically ignored;

WHEREAS, be it known that the Municipal Board of Ormoc City heartily congratulate His Excellency, President Elpidio Quirino for his patriotic move in creating the 15-man presidential advisory committee, after consulting the Council of State in Special Session to reject the Dulles draft, the same being wholly incompatible with human and national dignity of the Filipino people and the Republic of the Philippines and respectfully request His Excellency, the President to find means and ways of inserting in said treaty the proposed new paragraph (a) to Article 6, Chapter IV and the proposed new paragraph (a) to Article IV together with the guarantee on Philippine Security and war reparation by Japan;

NOW THEREFORE,

The Board, on motion of Councilor Porfirio Ayuyao, seconded by Councilor Victorino C. Talaron;

BE IT RESOLVED, as is hereby resolved to respectfully convey to His Excellency, President Elpidio Quirino, President of the Philippines and Hon. Carlos P. Romulo, Secretary of Foreign Affairs, the strong reaction of the popular sentiment of the people of Ormoc City against the peace treaty as drafted by Ambassador John Foster Dulles wherein the legitimate demand for war reparation against Japan and future security of the Philippines is not provided for in said peace treaty;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to heartily congratulate His Excellency, President Elpidio Quirino and the Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Hon. Carlos P. Romulo for their patriotic move in creating 15-man presidential Advisory Committee, after consulting the Council of State in Special Session

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to reject the Dulles draft, the same being wholly incompatible with human and national dignity of the Filipino people and the Republic of the Philippines and respectfully request His Excellency, the President to find means and ways of inserting in said treaty the proposed new paragraph(d) to Article 6, Chapter IV as follows:

"To accept the supervision of the United Nation over its entire educational System for a period not exceeding 20 years from the date of the effectivity of this treaty, through such means and agencies as the United Nation may determine, for the purpose of insuring the development of the concept of individual liberty, the dignity of human person, and the democratic way of life as basic factors in the personal and national life of the Japanese people". and

the proposed new paragraph(e) to Article IV as follows:

"To accept the right of the United Nations to intervene for the preservation and maintenance of the supremacy of the civil over the military authority in the government of Japan, and / or for the enforcement of any obligations of Japan under this treaty, such right of intervention to last for a period of 20 years from the date of the effectivity of this treaty. The act of intervention shall last as long as in the Judgement of the United Nation the situation requires."

together with the guarantee on Philippine Security and an reparation by Japan;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish copy of this resolution each to His Excellency, Elpidio Quirino, President of the Philippines, Malacañan Palace, Manila; to Hon. Carlos P. Romulo, Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Malacañan Palace, Manila; to Hon. Mariano Jesus Cuenco, President, Philippine Senate; Speaker Eugenio Perez, Manila; to Hon. Domingo Veloso; Speaker Protempore, House of the Representatives, Manila; to the City Mayor, Ormoc City; to the City Treasurer, Ormoc City; to the Chief of Police, Ormoc City; to the Principal-in-charge of District I; to Mr. Felix De Veyra, District Supervisor, Ormoc City;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY TO the correctness of the above-quoted resolution.

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PELAGIO P. GUBILLA
Secretary

APPROVED

City Mayor
Presiding Officer

COPY FURNISHED:

1. His Excellency, Elpidio Quirino, President of the Philippines, Malacañan Palace, Manila
 2. Hon. Carlos P. Romulo, Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Malacañan Palace, Manila
 3. Hon. Mariano J. Cuenco, President, Phil. Senate, Manila
 4. Hon. Eugenio Perez, Speaker, House of Rep. Manila
 5. Hon. Domingo Veloso, Speaker Protempore, House of Rep. Manila
 6. The Hon. City Mayor, Ormoc City
 7. The City Treasurer, Ormoc City
 8. The Principal-in-charge, Ormoc Dist. I, Ormoc City
 9. The Dist. Supervisor, Ormoc Dist. II, Ormoc City
 10. The Chief of Police, Ormoc City
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ATTESTED:

FRANCISCO D. ABAS
Secretary to the City Mayor