

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 JANUARY 5, 1952

PRESENT:

Hon. Lucilo A. Conui.....	Presiding Officer
Hon. Marcelo D. Bandalan.....	Vice Mayor
" Iñaki Larrasabal.....	City Councilor
" Victorino C. Teleron.....	" "
" Guillermo T. Parrilla.....	" "
" Esteban C. Conejos.....	" "
" Jorge S. Tan.....	" "
" Usualdo P. Laguitan.....	" "
" Teotimo Ocubillo.....	" "
" Alvaro I. Gutierrez.....	" "

ABSENT:

N o n e

RESOLUTION NO. 11

WHEREAS, Councilor Iñaki Larrasabal brought to the attention of the Honorable Body that the Mayor and the Vice Mayor, being appointed officials of the city are not members of the Board;

WHEREAS, for reasons stated above Councilor Iñaki Larrasabal suggested the Honorable Body to create a committee of three members in order to study and find means and ways to prohibit the Mayor and the Vice Mayor in the participation of any discussion while the Board is in session;

NOW THEREFORE, the Board, on motion of Councilor Iñaki Larrasabal, seconded by Councilor Teotimo Ocubillo;

BE IT RESOLVED, as is hereby resolved to create a committee of three members in order to study and find means and ways to prohibit the Mayor and the Vice Mayor in the participation of any discussion while the Board is in session;

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copy of this resolution each to the City Mayor, Ormoc City; City Treasurer, Ormoc City; City Auditor, Ormoc City; and the City Attorney, Ormoc City.

CARRIED.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above quoted resolution.

Felipe T. Capuyan
FELIPE T. CAPUYAN
Actg. Secretary

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APPROVED AS TO PROCEEDINGS:

LUCILO A. CONUI
City Mayor
Presiding Officer

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The Hon. City Mayor, Ormoc City
The City Treasurer, Ormoc City *OC*
The City Auditor, Ormoc City
The City Attorney, Ormoc City

ATTESTED AS TO PROCEEDINGS:

TEOFILO C. MALINAO
Actg. Secretary to the City Mayor

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Republic of the Philippines
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VETO OF RESOLUTION NO. 11, CURRENT
SERIES, OF THE HONORABLE MUNI-
CIPAL BOARD, PURSUANT TO
REPUBLIC ACT NO.
179

By virtue of Art. 3, Sec. 14 of Republic
Act No. 179, the undersigned vetoes Resolution
No 11 of the Municipal Board, current series,
on the solid foundation that:

(a) The resolution is an utter dis-
regard of parliamentary practice and a
gross misconception of the personality of
the Mayor and Vice Mayor as members of the
Municipal Board as provided for in the City
Charter;

(b) The Mayor as presiding officer
is a member of the Board as stated in the
rule laid down by the Secretary of Justice;
the Vice Mayor is a member of the Municipal
Board as expressly provided for in Section
7-A, a new section amending the City Charter.
As members, they are possessed with the right
and clothed with the prerogative of deli-
berating and discussing on measures presented
before the Board.

Any resolution or ordinance prohibiting them,
can not deprive them of this right and prerogative.

The Mayor and the Vice Mayor as officials of
the City are legislative officers and are co-res-
ponsible in the legislation and passage of any
ordinance, resolution or motion. Their being ap-
pointive officials is immaterial.


LUCILO A. CONUI
City Mayor

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