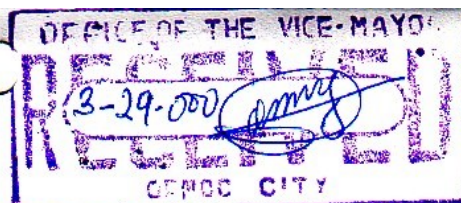


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SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD  
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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTH  
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE HONORABLE  
PLACIDO ENECID HALL, SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD  
BUILDING ON MARCH 23, 2000



PRESENT:

Hon. Jose S. Serafica,	City Councilor, Minority Floor Leader, Temporary Presiding Officer
Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I,	City Councilor, Majority Floor Leader
Hon. Dennis Y. Capuyan,	City Councilor, Assist. Maj. Floor Leader
Hon. Mariano Y. Corro,	City Councilor
Hon. Sotero M. Pepito,	City Councilor
Hon. Alfredo F. Capahi,	City Councilor
Hon. Jose C. Alfaro, Jr.,	City Councilor
Hon. Claudio P. Larrazabal,	City Councilor
Hon. Fernando P. Parrilla,	Ex-Officio City Councilor, Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc
Hon. Fe S. Lladoc,	(Appointed in lieu of Hon. Benjamin B. Lladoc (Deceased)), City Councilor

ABSENT:

Hon. Celso P. Adolfo,	(Forced Leave), City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Hon. Eduardo P. Tan,	(Forced Leave), City Councilor
Hon. Chiqui B. Labagala,	(Forced Leave), Ex-Officio City Councilor, SK Federation President

RESOLUTION NO. 052

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONORABLE ANDREW S. GONZALES, SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS (DECS) THROUGH MS. CIRILA V. VILLEGAS, DECS REGIONAL DIRECTOR, REGION VIII, TACLOBAN CITY AND DR. VIOLETA ALOCILJA, CITY DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT, DECS, ORMOC CITY DIVISION, FOR THE CREATION OF A NEW ORMOC CITY HIGH SCHOOL TO OPERATE THIS SCHOOL YEAR 2000-2001 WITH PROPORTIONATE FUNDING REQUIREMENTS FROM THE BUDGET OF THE ORMOC CITY SCHOOL OF ARTS AND TRADE AND FURTHER REQUEST DECS TO TRANSFER TO THE NEW ORMOC CITY HIGH SCHOOL THE REMAINING SIX (6) HECTARES WHICH IS IN EXCESS OF THE OPERATIONAL NEEDS OF THE ORMOC CITY SCHOOL OF ARTS AND TRADE.

WHEREAS, with the passage of Republic Act 8379, the Ormoc City National High School was converted into Ormoc City School of Arts and Trade;

WHEREAS, with the conversion, not only thousands of students will be greatly affected but also parents and teachers as well, this opening of classes for school year 2000-2001 which situation was not foreseen or perhaps overlooked by the framer of the law converting Ormoc City National High School into a school of arts and trade;

WHEREAS, it has come to our knowledge that in the gradual implementation of Ormoc City School of Arts and Trade, the number of incoming first year students will be limited to one hundred twenty-five (125), thus, the existing facilities are more than enough to house the said gradual implementation;



WHEREAS, in a memorandum of agreement between the DECS and CHED, and noted by DBM, the Department of Education, Culture and Sports is mandated to cause the transfer of the assets, fixed and movable, and records of the Ormoc City National High School to the Ormoc City School of Arts and Trade as may be needed and reasonable according to the operational needs of the OCSAT;

WHEREAS, the existing facilities which will be left by DECS Ormoc City like land area, buildings, desks, equipments, Instructional Materials, and the fact that Ormoc City National High School has a Special Science classes, it has many facilities that may not be needed by OCSAT but can meet the necessary physical requirements for operating a new school;

WHEREAS, in the said Memorandum of Agreement the proportionate budget to be given to DECS may be enough to pay the salaries of teachers of the New Ormoc City High School which according to DECS Regional Director Cirila V. Villegas will help ease the burden of DECS and the local government in catering to the needs of incoming students and reaching out to many by providing access to quality education;

WHEREAS, under Section 7 of R.A. 6655 DECS has been delegated the authority to establish schools;

WHEREAS, DECS Order No. 5, s. 1989 providing for the guidelines and procedures on the implementation of Section 7 of R.A. 6655 the establishment of school shall be under the following condition:

1. There is a real and urgent need in the area to be served for the type of secondary school proposed to be established which is clearly indicated in the project feasibility study conducted by the school district officials and favorably recommended by the Schools Division Superintendent and the Regional Director. The feasibility study shall include, among others, the number of neighboring elementary schools which will serve as feeders, identification of nearby public and private high schools, and their respective enrolments;
2. A minimum enrolment of one hundred (100) students for the first curriculum year shall be sufficient, except in isolated barangay or island municipality where a lesser number may be considered as justified by the Regional Director. Otherwise, the students shall be encouraged to enroll in the nearest high school.
3. A school site of at least one (1) hectare and initial classrooms duly documented as regards its ownership or use is available for the purpose.
4. Adequate funds for its initial operations for teachers salaries, allowances and benefits and other operating expenses including instructional costs (books), classroom materials and supplies, and administrative support services, are available from the region.

which conditions are met for the creation of a New Ormoc City High School.

WHEREAS, as stated above, with the existing physical facilities and the proportionate budget from OCSAT to be used in the creation of the New Ormoc City High School, this august Body finds no reason why DECS will not approve for opening of a New Ormoc City High School to operate this coming school year 2000-2001;



WHEREFORE, foregoing premises considered on MASS MOTION of the Body;

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a resolution REQUESTING THE HONORABLE ANDREW S. GONZALES, SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS (DECS) THROUGH MS. CIRILA V. VILLEGAS, DECS REGIONAL DIRECTOR, REGION VIII, TACLOBAN CITY AND DR. VIOLETA ALOCILJA, CITY DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT, DECS, ORMOC CITY DIVISION, FOR THE CREATION OF A NEW ORMOC CITY HIGH SCHOOL TO OPERATE THIS SCHOOL YEAR 2000-2001 WITH PROPORTIONATE FUNDING REQUIREMENTS FROM THE BUDGET OF THE ORMOC CITY SCHOOL OF ARTS AND TRADE AND FURTHER REQUEST DECS TO TRANSFER TO THE NEW ORMOC CITY HIGH SCHOOL THE REMAINING SIX (6) HECTARES WHICH IS IN EXCESS OF THE OPERATIONAL NEEDS OF THE ORMOC CITY SCHOOL OF ARTS AND TRADE;

ADOPTED, March 23, 2000


RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this resolution, one each to: The Secretary of DECS, Hon. Andrew S. Gonzales; The Honorable Chairman, Senate Committee on Education; The Honorable Chairman, Committee on Education, Congress of the Philippines; The Honorable Ma. Victoria L. Locsin, Congresswoman, 4th District of Leyte; The DECS Regional Director, Ms. Cirila V. Villegas, Region VIII, Tacloban City; The DECS Division Superintendent, Dr. Violeta Alocilja, Ormoc City Division; The PTCA President, Mr. Ernesto Abadilla, Ormoc City National High School; The Honorable City Mayor, Eufrocino M. Codilla, Sr., City Mayor of Ormoc; The City Administrator, and all others concerned, - in Ormoc City;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

OSCAR J. LASAM  
Secretary to the  
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

  
JOSE S. SERAFICA  
City Councilor, Minority Floor Leader  
Temporary Presiding Officer