

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD Lungsod ng Ormoc

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE HONORABDA PLACIDO ENECIO HALL, SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

BUILDING ON OCTOBER 26, 2006

PRESENT:

Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I, Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

Hon. Manuel T. Fiel, City Councilor, Assist. Minority Floor Leader

Hon. Eduardo P. Tan, City Councilor

Hon. Claudio P. Larrazabal, City Councilor, Majority Floor Leader

Hon. Mariano Y. Corro, City Councilor

Hon. Fe S. Lladoc, City Councilor Hon. Gregorio A. Yrastorza, Jr.,

Hon. Sotero M. Pepito, Hon. Jose C. Alfaro, Jr.,

City Councilor City Councilor City Councilor

Hon. Cheryl A. Arcuino,

Ex-Officio City Councilor, SK Federation President

ABSENT:

Sick Leave), Hon. Jose S. Serafica,

City Councilor, Minority Floor Leader

Hon. Ruben R. Capahi, (Sick Leave) City Councilor

Hon. Emeterio Y. Larrazabal, Jr., (Sick Leave), Ex-Officio City Councilor, Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-230

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION, COMMENDATION AND THANKS TO HAR EXCULENCY GLORIA M. ARROYO, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, HON. THELMO CUNANAN, CHAIRMAN, SOCIAL SECURITY COMMISSION, AND HON. CORAZON S. DE LA PAZ, PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE, SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM, FOR INCREASING BY TEN PERCENT THE MONTHLY PENSION BENEFITS TO SSS MEMBERS, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2006.

WHEREAS, on June 8, 2006, this august Body, adopted Res. No. 130, entitled: "A RESOLUTION STRONGLY RECOMMENDING TO THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM, THROUGH ITS PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, HON. CORAZON S. DE LA PAZ, TO UPGRADE THE SSS BENEFITS ESPECIALLY RETIREMENT BENEFIT, CONSIDERING THAT SSS BENEFITS HAVE REMAINED ALMOST A DECADE NOW, NOTWITHSTANDING THAT PRICES OF PRIME COMMODITIES HAVE SKYROCKETED AND THE PURCHASING POWER OF THE PESO HAS PLUMMETED";

WHEREAS, last October 20, 2006, during the 32nd Philippine Business Conference (PBC) at the Manila Hotel, at the prodding of her Excellency President Gloria M. Arroyo, Hon. Thelmo Cunanan announced that starting September 1, 2006, SSS will implement a 10% across the board increase in the monthly pension benefits to its member; (Source: Phil. Daily Inquirer, Oct. 21, 2006)



WHEREAS, this good news, anent the increase in the monthly pension benefits to SSS members, is most welcomed and appreciated, for at last a break, after a long draught, so to speak, has been given to SSS members, the first under the Arroyo Administration; hence, it is hoped and prayed that this will not be the last, but just the beginning of the many good things to come;

WHEREAS, to show the gratitude of the members of SSS, this august Body has opted to adopt this Resolution;

WHEREFORE, premises considered, on MASS MOTION of the Body; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION, COMMENDATION AND THANKS TO HER EXCELLENCY GLORIA M. ARROYO, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, HON. THELMO CUNANAN, CHAIRMAN, SOCIAL SECURITY COMMISSION, AND HON. CORAZON S. DE LA PAZ, PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE, SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM, FOR INCREASING BY TEN PERCENT THE MONTHLY PENSION BENEFITS TO SSS MEMBERS, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2006;

ADOPTED, October 26, 2006.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this Resolution to Her Excellency Gloria M. Arroyo, President of the Republic of the Philippines, Hon. Thelmo Cunanan, Chairman, Social Security Commission, Hon. Corazon S. de la Pax, President and Chief Executive, Social Security System, The President, Philippine Senate, The Speaker, House of Representative, all in Metro Manila, Hon. Eric C. Codilla, City Mayor of Ormoc and others concerned, all in Ormoc City;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

DOEL S. DUERO
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

NEPOMUCENO P. APARIS I Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer