REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE ELEMENT SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE HONOR BLEBY PLACIDO ENECIO HALL, SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD BUILDING ON APRIL 17, 2008

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PRESENT:

Temporary Presiding Officer Hon. Claudio P. Larrazabal, (City Councilor, Floor Leader) City Councilor, Assist. Floor Leader Hon. Sotero M. Pepito, City Councilor Hon. Mariano Y. Corro, Hon. Fe S. Lladoc, City Councilor City Councilor Hon. Filomeno P. Maglasang, City Councilor City Councilor Hon. Rafael C. Omega, Jr., Hon. Fernando P. Parrilla, Ex-Officio City Councilor, Hon. Lea Doris C. Villar, Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc Ex-Officio City Councilor, Hon. Corinne M. Corro, SK Federation President

ABSENT:

Vice Mayor & Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I, (O.B ianila), Presiding Officer city Mayor), Hon. Demosthenes F. Tugonon, (Acting City Councilor Hon. Ruben R. Capahi, (On Leave), City Councilor Subic), Hon. Jose C. Alfaro, Jr., (0.8.City Councilor

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-068

A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR ERIC C. CODILLA TO ADVISE MR. JOSE S. SERAFICA TO SUSPEND THE SPRAYING/MISTING AND OR SMOKING OF HIS BANANA PLANTATION/FARM AT BARANGAY LUNA, THIS CITY UNTIL EFFECTS ON THE HEALTH OF THE RESIDENTS LIVING MEARBY ARE ASCERTAINED.

WHEREAS, verified reports have reached the office of the Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc that spraying/misting and or smoking of the banana farm of Mr. Jose S. Serafica is going on;

WEREAS, there have been complains from residents that they and their children are affected during and immediately after the abovementioned activities:

WHEREAS, representatives from the Ormoc City Health Department have conducted an inspection and verification of their complains & recommend that these be abated;

WHEREAS, the recommendations made also included brand names and samples of the chemical used so that proper analysis be made;

WHEREAS, it is highly recommended that the resumption of spraying/misting and or smoking will be subject to clearances issued both by DENR and DOH Toxicology Department, Regional Office NO. 8;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc believes that the safety and well-being of the community is paramount;

WHEREAS, foregoing premises considered on motion of City Councilor Sotero M. Pepito, Member, Committee on Natural Resources & Environmental Control, duly seconded by City Councilor Mariano Y. Corro; be it



RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a resolution RECOMMENDING TO THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR ERIC C. CODILLA TO ADVISE MR. JOSE S. SERAFICA TO SUSPEND THE SPRAYING/MISTING AND OR SMOKING OF HIS BANANA PLANTATION/FARM AT BARANGAY LUNA, THIS CITY UNTIL EFFECTS ON THE HEALTH OF THE RESIDENTS LIVING NEARBY ARE ASCERTAINED;

ADOPTED, April 17, 2008.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this resolution each to His Honor, the City Mayor, the City Administrator, the Regional Director, Department of Health, Region 8, Tacloban City, the City Health Officer, Ormoc City Health Department and others concerned, -in Ormoc City;

CARRIED by Seven (7) Affirmative Votes. Hon. Lea Doris C. Villar was out of the Session Hall at the time of voting.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

Claudio P. Larrazabal Temporary Presiding Officer (City Councilor, Floor Leader)