# REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC

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XCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE THIRTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE CONFERENCE ROOM, CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE, ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON JANUARY 09, 2014

#### PRESENT:

VESOD

Hon. Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

Hon. Mario M. Rodriguez,

(Temporary Majority Floor Leader) City Councilor, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"

Hon. Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,

City Councilor

Hon. Antonio M. Codilla,

City Councilor

Hon. Vincent L. Rama, Hon. Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas, City Councilor City Councilor

Hon. Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,

City Councilor

Hon. Mariano Y. Corro,

Ex-Officia City Councilor

Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

### ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Tomas R. Serafica,

(O.B. – Capoocan), City Councilor, Asst. Majority Floor Leader

Hon. Ruben R. Capahi,

(C. B. – Manila), City Councilor, Asst. Minority Floor Leader

## ON LEAVE:

Hon. Rolando M. Villasencio,

City Councilor, Majority Floor Leader

#### ABSENT:

Hon. Nepomucero P. Aparis I,

(Deceased), City Councilor Minority Floor Leader

# RESOLUTION NO. 2014-002

RESOLUTION FARNESTLY REQUESTING THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE INSURANCE SYSTEM (GSIS) ANDDEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT (DBM) TO IMPLEMENT REP. ACT NO. 6942, ENTITLED: "AN ACT INCREASING THE INSURANCE BENEFITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT **OFFICIALS** AND PROVIDING **FUNDS** THEREFOR".

WHEREAS, Rep. Act No. 6942, entitled: "AN ACT INCREASING THE INSURANCE BENEFITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR" entitles Barangay Officials during their incumbency insurance coverage which shall include, but shall not be limited to temporary and permanent disability, double indemnity, death and burial benefits which is likewise buttressed by the provisions of the Local Government Code of 1991 (R.A.No. 7160) Section 393, par. (b), Item No. 2, thereof;

WHEREAS, the aforementioned law has not been implemented thereby prejudicing and depriving the Barangay Officials of the benefits provided therein;

WHEREAS, Section 6 of Rep. Act. No. 6942, in part provides: "For all the insurance benefits provided in the preceding sections, the national government of the Republic of the Philippines shall appropriate annually and include in the General Appropriations Act the total annual premiums based on the actual number of local officials covered under Section One hereof and as certified by the Department of Local Government.  $x \times x$  The entire appropriation for the payment of the foregoing total annual premiums shall be released to the Government Service Insurance System during the first month of every calendar year.  $x \times x$ ."

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WHEREAS, Section 8 of the aforecited law, provides: "All claims for payment pursuant to the provisions of this Act shall, with the assistance of the local government officer concerned, be processed and settled within thirty (30) days at the nearest Government Service Insurance System branch from submission of all the required documents to the system;

WHEREFORE, foregoing premises considered, on motion of City Councilor Mariano Y. Corro, Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc, severally seconded by City Councilors Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas, Mario M. Rodriguez, Vincent L. Rama and Antonio M. Codilla; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION EARNESTLY REQUESTING THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE INSURANCE SYSTEM (SIS) AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT (DBM) TO IMPLEMENT REP. ACT NO. 6942, ENTITLED: "AN ACT INCREASING THE INSURANCE BENEFITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR";

ADOPTED, January 09, 2014.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish copies of this resolution to – His Excellency, President Benigno C. Aquino III; the President of the Senate, Hon. Franklin Drilon; the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Hon. Feliciano Belmonte; Sen. Allan Cayetano; the Congresswoman of the Fourth District of Leyte, Hon. Lucy T. Gomez; the Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management, Hon. Florencio Abad; the President and General Manager of GSIS, Hon. Robert G. Vergara; the City Mayor of Ormoc, Hon. Edward C. Codilla; the City Director of DILG; the Office of the Barangay Affairs; the Office of the Liga ng mga Barangay of Ormoc City; and other offices concerned;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

NANQ I. LOPENA
OIC – SP Secretary
(Local Legislative Staff Officer V)

ATTESTED:

LEO CARMELO L. LOCSIN, JR. Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer