REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE FOURTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON MARCH 16, 2017

PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr., Rolando M. Villasencio, SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore" Mario M. Rodriguez, Tomas R. Serafica, Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, Nolito M. Quilang,

John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,

Mariano Y. Corro,

Ex-Officio SP Member Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS: Vincent L. Rama,

Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,

ON LEAVE: Lea Doris C. Villar,

(O.B. - Cebu City), Asst. Majority Floor Leader SP Member, - Cebu City), SP Member (O.B.

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

SP Member, Majority Floor Leader

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RESOLUTION NO. 2017-051

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BARANGAY OFFICIALS AND BARANGAY COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN (BCPC) TO INITIATE THE CONDUCT OF INFORMATION CAMPAIGNS AND DISSEMINATION ON THE RECENTLY RASSED REVISED CHILD WELFARE CODE OF ORMOC CITY AND OTHER NATIONAL LAWS AND LOCAL ORDINANCES CONCERNING THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN.

WHEREAS, Section 3, Article 15 of the 1987 Philippine Constitution states "The State shall defend the right of children to assistance, including proper care and nutrition, and special protection from all forms of neglect, abuse, cruelty, exploitation, and other conditions prejudicial to their development";

WHEREAS, it is a policy of the Local Government of Ormoc City to give primary concern with corresponding intervention to the rights of children for protection, survival, development and participation;

WHEREAS, many stakeholders especially the children in the city are not aware of the Revised Child Welfare Code and other national laws and local ordinances which affect the welfare of children and should therefore be informed accordingly;

WHEREAS, the Latin maxim, "Ignorantia Legis Neminem Excusat" which mean "Ignorance of the law excuses no one from compliance therewith" can hardly take its place without proper information on the part of the public on the provisions of the laws;

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WHEREAS, conducting information campaigns and dissemination would help these children and their parents understand the legal implications of whatever undertakings they will make;

WHEREAS, there is an enormous number of national laws and Ordinances which dwell on the concerns of children, R.A. No. 7610, otherwise known as the Special Protection of Children Against Abuse, Exploitation and Discrimination Act, P.D. 603 otherwise known as the Child and Youth Welfare Code, P.D. 1619 which penalizes illegal possession of volatile substance (rugby); Ordinance No. 013 series of 2016 otherwise known as the Revised Child Welfare Code of Ormoc City;

WHEREAS, information campaigns and dissemination of laws and ordinances which concern the welfare of children at the barangay level will be an effective way of informing the children and parents of their rights under the law;

WHEREAS, the Barangay Council for the Protection Children (BCPC) is mandated under the Revised Child Welfare Code of Ormoc City to act as a regulatory body for the operations of all existing programs and projects designed for children;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Nolito M. Quilang, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, Senior Citizens, Women and Family, severally seconded by SP Members Tomas R. Serafica, Mario M. Rodriguez, Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Gregorio G. Yrastorza, III, John Eulalio Nepomucero O. Aparis II and Mariano Y. Corro; be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to pass A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BARANGAY OFFICIALS AND THE BARANGAY COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN (BCPC) TO INITIATE THE CONDUCT OF INFORMATION CAMPAIGNS AND DISSEMINATION ON THE RECENTLY PASSED REVISED CHILD WELFARE CODE OF ORMOC CITY AND OTHER NATIONAL LAWS AND LOCAL ORDINANCES CONCERNING THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN;

ADOPTED, March 16, 2017.

RESCLVED, FINACLY, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the OiC-City Director, DILG, Engr. Jesus Jeremy D. Bagares; all Punong Barangays in Ormoc City; City Social Welfare and Development Office; the Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay, and all other concerned offices for their information and guidance.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

MARIA ANTONIETA G. CO HAT (OIC SP Secretary)

Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:

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