## REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC

VICE MAYOR'S OFFICE
LGU-ORMOC CITY
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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE FIFTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON DECEMBER 15, 2020

## PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,
Roiland H. Villasencio,
Tomas R. Serafica,
Nolito M. Quilang,
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,
Jasper M. Lucero,
Peter M. Rodriguez,
Vincent L. Rama,
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,
Lalaine A. Marcos,
Esteban V. Laurente,

City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
SP Member
SP Member, Majority Figor Leader
SP Member

Joan Marbie C. Simbajon, Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc

## RESOLUTION NO. 2020-418

A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR THE ACTING CITY THE SIGN ENTER INTO AND MAYOR 7.0 BE **AGREEMENT** (MOA)MEMORANDUM OF LOCAL THE **BETWEEN** BY AND ENTERED AND GOVERNMENT ORMOC OF UNIT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH-EASTERN VISAYAS CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT RELATIVE TO THE GRANT OF THE COVID-19 SPECIAL RISK ALLOWANCE (SRA) TO PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HEALTH WORKERS.

WHEREAS, this Fifteenth Sangguniang Panlungsod was in receipt of an Indorsement dated December 14, 2020 from the Office of the City Mayor, endorsing a request for the issuance of a Resolution granting the City Mayor or Acting City Mayor the authority to sign the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to be entered by and between the Local Government Unit of Ormoc and the Department of Health-Eastern Visayas Center for Health Development relative to the grant of the COVID-19 Special Risk Allowance (SRA) to public and private health workers. Further, requesting that this matter be treated as EXTREMELY URGENT, a copy of the MOA is hereto attached as "ANNEX A" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, in an Annotation dated November 10, 2020, the City Legal Office finds the MOA nothing legally objectionable therein. The same is not contrary to law, morals, good customs, public policy, and public order much less detrimental to the best interests of the City, a copy of the Opinion is hereto attached as "ANNEX B" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, Proclamation No. 922 s. 2020 declared a State of Public Health Emergency in recognition of the COVID-19 public health event as threat to national security, and prompted a whole-of-government approach in addressing the COVID-19 outbreak in the country;

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WHEREAS, RA 11494 known as "Bayanihan to Recover as One Act" affirmed the existence of a continuing national emergency in view of the unabated spread of COVID-19 and the economic disruption ensuing from it;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 4(h) of the same Act, Administrative Order No. 36 was issued by the Office of the President authorizing the grant of COVID-19 Special Risk Allowance to private and public health workers directly catering to or in contact with COVID-19 patients during the state of national emergency;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health (DOH) and the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) issued Joint Circular No. 2 s. 2020 dated November 25, 2020, providing the guidelines on the grant of COVID-19 SRA to eligible health workers;

WHEREAS, under Section 6.1.2 of the Joint Circular, the Department of Health-Eastern Visayas Center for Health Development (DOH-EV CHD) shall enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for the transfer of funds for the COVID-19 SRA;

WHEREAS, the subject MOA clearly and plainly encapsulate the terms and conditions of the agreement of the parties thereto, including their specific roles and obligations towards the attainment of the lofty ends of the same, and this Sanggunian, upon thorough review, finds that the same is entered into for the best interests of the City and its constituents, and therefore, is most deserving of this august Body's prompt and favorable consideration;

WHEREFORE, on joint motion of SP Member Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Chairman, Committee on Health and Sanitation and SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr. Chairman, Committee on Laws and Ordinances, severally seconded by SP Members Tomas R. Serafica, Jasper M. Lucero, Gregorio G. Yrastorza, III, Joan Marbie C. Simbajon, Laiaine A. Marcos, Vincent L. Rama, Esteban V. Laurente and Nolito M. Quilang: be it

RESOLVED. AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR THE ACTING CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) TO BE ENTERED BY AND BETWEEN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH-EASTERN VISAYAS CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT RELATIVE TO THE GRANT OF THE COVID-19 SPECIAL RISK ALLOWANCE (SAR) TO PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HEALTH WORKERS;

ADOPTED, December 15, 2020.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of the final notarized Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) be submitted to this Sanggunian for its information and files;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor of Ormoc, Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Josephine Mejia-Romero; DOH-EV CHD; and other offices concerned for their information and guidance;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above resolution.

NONILYN D. GALANO OIC-SP Secretary Supervising Administrative Officer (Board Secretary IV)

ATTESTED:

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