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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD ON THE 20TH DAY OF AUGUST 2024

PRESENT:

Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer	Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Rommel T. Debulgado	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Samson C. Mirhan	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Manuel Frederick O. Ko	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Andrew Martin Y. Torres	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Anthony Dennis J. Occeño	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC Rep.
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SK Rep.

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member - PCL Rep.

RESOLUTION NO. 0969
Series of 2024

RESOLUTION DECLARING ORDINANCE NO. 15, SERIES OF 2024 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ISABELA CREATING THE LOCAL HOUSING BOARD OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ISABELA, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, ITS COMPOSITION, POWER AND FUNCTIONS AS A VALIDLY ENACTED ORDINANCE UPON COMPLIANCE OF SECTION 9 OF THE IRR OF E.O. NO. 69, SERIES OF 2012



WHEREAS, Section 56 of the Local Government Code of 1991 expresses the reviewing power of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan on Component City and Municipal Ordinances and Resolutions declaring the Ordinance or Resolution valid if it is consistent with the law or invalid in whole or in part if the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds the Ordinance or Resolution to be beyond the power conferred upon the Sangguniang Panlungsod or Sangguniang Bayan concerned;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 15, Series of 2024 of the Municipality of Isabela creating the Local Housing Board of the Municipality of Isabela, Negros Occidental, its composition, power and functions, was submitted for review to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental;

WHEREAS, the subject ordinance is supported by Section 2 of Republic Act 7279 (An Act to provide for a Comprehensive and Continuing Urban Development and Housing Program, establish the mechanism for its implementation, and for other purposes.), to wit

(a) Uplift the conditions of the underprivileged and homeless citizens in urban areas and in resettlement areas by making available to them decent housing at affordable cost, basic services, and employment opportunities xx x."

(f) Improve the capability of local government units in undertaking urban development and housing programs and projects.



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WHEREAS, Section 2 and 3 of Executive Order No. 708 dated February 26, 2008 issued by then President Gloria M. Arroyo provide:

"Section 2. Creation of Local Housing Boards. The Local Government Units must create their own Local Housing Boards or any similar body through an appropriate ordinance (sic) before conducting the clearinghouse functions granted to them in this Executive Order."

"Section 3. Guidelines in the enactment of ordinance. The Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) is hereby ordered to issue the necessary guidelines for the enactment of ordinances creating Local Housing Boards or any similar body to Local Government Units (LGUs) within six (6) months from the effectivity of this Executive Order. The PCUP shall assist the Local Government Units in enacting the ordinances in whatever capacity they can provide within the same period."

WHEREAS, the subject ordinance finds legal basis under the local government code, to wit:

"Section 17 of the Local Government Code:

(a) x xx. Local government units shall likewise exercise such other powers and discharge such other functions and responsibilities as are necessary, appropriate, or incidental to efficient and effective provision of the basic services xxx."

WHEREAS, the enactment of the instant ordinance, creating the Local Housing Board in the Municipality of Isabela, is in consonance with the foregoing pertinent laws, rendering the same as a valid enactment. Be that as it may, the concerned sanggunian, however, is reminded of what is provided in the IRR of E.O No. 692, Section 9 thereof, thus:

"Section. 9. Representation in Local Housing Boards (LHBs). - The PCUP shall sit as a regular member in the Local Housing Boards (LHBs), xxx."

NOW THEREFORE, premises considered, on motion of Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr. unanimously seconded by all the members present;

THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves, to pass and approve this resolution to wit:

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CERTIFIED CORRECT:


HON. JEFFREY B. FERRER
 Presiding Officer 

ATTESTED:


APTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON
 Provincial Secretary