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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 7TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2025

PRESENT:

Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer	Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Rommel T. Debulgado	Member - 1st District
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1st District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2nd District
Hon. Manuel Frederick O. Ko	Member - 3rd District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3rd District
Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Member - 4th District
Hon. Anthony Dennis J. Occeño	Member - 5th District
Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso	Member - 6th District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC Rep.
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SKF Rep.

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Samson C. Mirhan	Member - 2nd District
Hon. Andrew Martin Y. Torres	Member - 4th District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5th District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6th District
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member - PCL Rep.

RESOLUTION NO. 0020
Series of 2025

RESOLUTION DECLARING ORDINANCE NO. 24-23 OF THE CITY OF SAN CARLOS, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, ADOPTING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11228, AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MANDATORY PHILHEALTH COVERAGE FOR ALL PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWDs), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MAGNA CARTA FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY, FOR THE CITY OF SAN CARLOS, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL AS A VALID ENACTED ORDINANCE

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. 24-23 of the City of San Carlos, Negros Occidental, entitled: *"AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11228, AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE MANDATORY PHILHEALTH COVERAGE FOR ALL PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWDs), AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MAGNA CARTA FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITY, FOR THE CITY OF SAN CARLOS, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL"* was submitted for review by the City of San Carlos to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental;

WHEREAS, after prompt examination by the Provincial Legal Office, it is the recommendation of the said Office that the subject Ordinance is within the conferred power of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of San Carlos to enact, thus, the same may be given due course by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;

WHEREAS, Section 458(a) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides among others that the sangguniang panlungsod as the legislative body of the city shall enact ordinances, approve resolutions and appropriate funds for the general welfare of the city and its inhabitants under Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 as well as exercise such other powers and perform such other duties and functions as may be prescribed by law;

WHEREAS, the subject ordinance has for its intent the adoption of the above-mentioned Republic Acts consistent with Section 458 (a) (6) of Republic Act No. 7160, to wit:

> *(6) Exercise such other powers and perform such other duties and functions as may be prescribed by law or ordinance.*

WHEREAS, the ordinance complies with the six (6) generally accepted principles for a valid ordinance, as adopted by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental, which are:

> *It must not contravene the Constitution or any statute.*
> *It must not be unfair or oppressive.*
> *It must not be partial or discriminatory.*
> *It must not prohibit but may regulate trade.*
> *It must be general and consistent with public policy.*
> *It must not be unreasonable.*

WHEREAS, the reviewing authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds no irregularity that follow thereto as a result of the thorough scrutiny of the Provincial Legal Officer;

NOW THEREFORE, premises considered, on motion of Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr. unanimously seconded by all the members present during the regular session of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental,

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

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ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

HON. RICHARD JULIUS L. SABLAN
Temporary Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary

Note: Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer, Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer, relinquished the chair to the Temporary Presiding Officer, Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan

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