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PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL  
Old Capitol Building, Bacolod City  
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**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN**

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL ON THE 22<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2025.

Present:

Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer	Vice Governor / Presiding Officer
Hon. Rommel T. Debulgado	Member - 1 <sup>st</sup> District
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 <sup>st</sup> District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
Hon. Samson C. Mirhan	Member - 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso	Member - 6 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member - PCL
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC

On Official Business:

Hon. Manuel Frederick O. Ko	Member - 3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Hon. Andrew Martin Y. Torres	Member - 4 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Member - 4 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Anthony Dennis J. Occeño	Member - 5 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SK

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**RESOLUTION NO. 0517**  
**Series of 2025**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR TO SIGN, FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE PROVINCE, THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT TO BE ENTERED INTO BY AND BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WESTERN VISAYAS CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT AND THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL RELATIVE TO THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FOR THE GRANTING OF THE HEALTH EMERGENCY ALLOWANCE (HEA) TO ELIGIBLE HEALTH CARE WORKERS (HCW'S) AND NON-HEALTH CARE WORKERS (NON-HCW'S) AS PER GUIDELINES UNDER DOH-DBM JAO NO. 2023-001 AND OTHER APPLICABLE ISSUANCES**

**WHEREAS**, thereby presented for appropriate action of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Negros Occidental is the Memorandum of Agreement to be entered into by and between the Department of Health Western Visayas Center for Health Development and the Province of Negros Occidental relative to the transfer of funds for the granting of the Health Emergency Allowance (HEA) to eligible Health Care Workers (HCW's) and Non-Health Care Workers (Non-HCW's) as per guidelines under DOH-DBM JAO No. 2023-001 and other applicable issuances;

**WHEREAS**, the Committee on Health, finding the subject agreement to be favorable and all the necessary documents to be in order, deemed it best to approve the same;

**NOW THEREFORE**, on motion of Hon. Araceli T. Somosa, unanimously seconded by all the members present,

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**THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED**, as it hereby resolves, to authorize the Governor to sign, for and in behalf of the province, the Memorandum of Agreement to be entered into by and between the Department of Health Western Visayas Center for Health Development and the Province of Negros Occidental relative to the transfer of funds for the granting of the Health Emergency Allowance (HEA) to eligible Health Care Workers (HCW's) and Non-Health Care Workers (Non-HCW's) as per guidelines under DOH-DBM JAO No. 2023-001 and other applicable issuances.

**ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.**

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

  
**HON. VALENTINO MIGUEL J. ALONSO**  
Temporary Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

  
**ATTY. MARI ANGEL O. ASCALON**  
Provincial Secretary

  
APPROVED:

  
**HON. EUGENIO JOSE V. LACSON**  
Governor

Date: MAY 20 2025

*Note: The Presiding Officer, Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer, relinquished the chair to the Temporary Presiding Officer, Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso.*