



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL
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Tel. No. 707-8075 (Admin) * 435-7698 (Board Member) * 709-0121 (Legislative Division)
OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 37TH INAUGURAL SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD IN THE SOCIAL HALL, CITY OF BACOLOD, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL ON THE 8TH DAY OF JULY 2025.

Present:

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| Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso | Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer |
| Hon. Laurence Marxlen J. Dela Cruz | Member - 1st District |
| Hon. Araceli T. Somosa | Member - 1st District |
| Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr. | Member - 2nd District |
| Hon. Arthur Christopher D. Marañon | Member - 2nd District |
| Hon. Hope Marey B. Depasucat-Sazon | Member - 3rd District |
| Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano | Member - 3rd District |
| Hon. Patricia Paula M. Alonso-Valderrama | Member - 4 th District |
| Hon. Nicholas M. Yulo | Member - 4 th District |
| Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao | Member - 5 th District |
| Hon. Hadji P. Trojillo | Member - 5 th District |
| Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez, IV | Member - 6th District |
| Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola | Member - 6th District |
| Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio | Member - PCL Rep. |
| Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid | Member - SKF Rep. |

Official Business:

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| Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan | Member – ABC Rep. |
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RESOLUTION NO. 0700
Series of 2025

RESOLUTION CONCURRING WITH THE REAPPOINTMENT OF ATTY. ALBERTO P. NELLAS, JR. TO THE POSITION OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT HEAD (PROVINCIAL LEGAL OFFICER), SG-26/2, ITEM NO. 1 OF THE PROVINCIAL LEGAL OFFICE WITH SALARY RATE OF ONE HUNDRED TWENTY THREE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY TWO PESOS (P123,122.00) PER MONTH, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1 (e.iii) RULE V OF THE OMNIBUS RULES ON APPOINTMENTS AND OTHER PERSONNEL ACTIONS AND SECTION 463(d), CHAPTER 2 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991

WHEREAS, thereby presented to the Board for review and appropriate action is the request of the Governor for concurrence of the appointment of Atty. Alberto P. Nellas, Jr. as Provincial Legal Officer, SG-26/2 with salary rate of One Hundred Twenty Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty Two Pesos (P123,122.00) per month;

WHEREAS, Section 463 (d), Chapter 2 of the Local Government Code of 1991 states that: *“Unless otherwise provided herein, heads of departments and offices shall be appointed by the governor with the concurrence of the majority of all the sangguniang panlalawigan members, subject to civil service law, rules and regulations. The sangguniang panlalawigan shall act on the appointment within fifteen (15) days from the date of its submission; otherwise the same shall be deemed confirmed;”*

WHEREAS, corollary thereto, Section 1 (e.iii), Rule V of the Omnibus Rules on Appointments and Other Personnel Actions provides that:

“Appointment in the Local Government Units for submission to the Commission shall be accompanied, in addition to the common requirements, by the following:

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For appointment to department head, Sangguniang Resolution embodying the concurrence of the majority of its members as provided for under Sec. 463 (d), RA 7160, provided that said appointment is not concurred in by the Sanggunian within fifteen (15) days, certification to that effect by the Human Resource Management Officer (HMO) shall be issued in lieu of the required resolution”

WHEREAS, Civil Service Commission Memorandum Circular No. 2, Series of 2007 provides that, “in the case of local government units, the appointment of a department head requiring the concurrence of the local sanggunian shall be effective on the date of its issuance by the appointing authority; provided that the effectivity of the said appointment shall end the moment the local sanggunian rejects or disapproves it”;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the SP Committee on Human Resource, finding the documents to be in order, deemed it best to approve the same;

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

THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves, to concur with the reappointment of Atty. Alberto P. Nellas, Jr. to the position of Provincial Government Department Head (Provincial Legal Officer), SG-26/2, Item No. 1 of the Provincial Legal Office with salary rate of One Hundred Twenty Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty Two Pesos (P123,122.00) per month, pursuant to Section 1 (e.iii) Rule V of the Omnibus Rules on Appointments and Other Personnel Actions and Section 463(d), Chapter 2 of the Local Government Code of 1991.

ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


HON. JOSE BENITO A. ALONSO
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary


APPROVED:


HON. EUGENIO JOSE V. LACSON
Provincial Governor