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### OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

# CERTIFICATION

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the regular session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on October 21, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa

#### PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001-2024

REQUESTING THE PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE, AND THE CITY GOVERNMENT AND BARANGAYS ANONAS, CAMANTILES, NANCAYASAN, SANTA LUCIA, SANTO DOMINGO, NANCAMALIRAN EAST AND MABANOGNOG, ALL OF URDANETA CITY, PANGASINAN, TO FULLY IMPLEMENT BATAS PAMBANSA BILANG 33

WHEREAS, Batas Pambansa Bilang 33, enacted on June 06, 1979 by the Batasang Pambansa, is An Act Defining and Penalizing Certain Prohibited Acts Inimical to the Public Interest and National Security Involving Petroleum and/or Petroleum Products, Prescribing Penalties therefor and for Other Purposes;

WHEREAS, Section 1 of the said law provides that it is the declared policy of the State to institutionalize as a national way of life energy conservation geared towards the judicious and efficient use of energy in order to enhance availability of energy supplies required to support economic, social and developmental goals. In view of the continuing uncertainty of the international oil supply, it is imperative that measures to conserve energy be strengthened and that acts and activities involving petroleum and/or petroleum products contrary to the intent and spirit of judicious usage and conservation of energy, which are inimical to the public interest and national security, be prohibited and appropriate sanction therefor be imposed;

WHEREAS, under Prohibited Acts of Section 2 (e) hereof, the acts of speed contests and rallies involving mainly the use of motor vehicles, motor-driven watercraft or aircraft utilizing petroleum-derived fuels, including car and motorcycle rallies and drag racing is prohibited and penalized;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, expressing concern over the frequent occurrences of road incidents involving illegal drag racing activities in the Province of Pangasinan, particularly at the Ambassador Eduardo "Danding" M. Cojuangco, Jr. Avenue, also known as Urdaneta Bypass Road, has conducted a public hearing and invited several resource speakers to shed light on the veracity of the matter last October 16, 2024;





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WHEREAS, as a result of the public hearing conducted by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, through the Committee on Barangay and Rural Development, Public Order and Safety, it was found out that there is indeed a need to implement a law, particularly Batas Pambansa Bilang 33, that would regulate the conduct of illegal drag racing activities at the Urdaneta Bypass Road in order to prevent harm to persons involved in the race or unduly put at risk motorists who pass through the road and bystanders alike in the area;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is requesting that aside from the Philippine National Police and other concerned authorities, Batas Pambansa Bilang 33 shall be monitored, coordinated and implemented by the concerned barangay officials of Urdaneta City within their territorial jurisdiction and shall closely and fully coordinate with each other to ensure proper, effective and full implementation of the same;

WHEREAS, RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, states in its general welfare clause that every local government unit has sworn obligation to promote health and safety, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of its inhabitants;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** on motion of SP Member Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa, duly seconded, it was –

**RESOLVED,** by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to request, as they are hereby requested, the Philippine National Police, Land Transportation Office, and the City Government and Barangays Anonas, Camantiles, Nancayasan, Santa Lucia, Santo Domingo, Nancamaliran East and Mabanognog, all of Urdaneta City, Pangasinan, to fully implement Batas Pambansa Bilang 33;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Philippine National Police, Land Transportation Office, City Government and Barangays Anonas, Camantiles, Nancayasan, Santa Lucia, Santo Domingo, Nancamaliran East, and Mabanognog, all of Urdaneta City, Pangasinan, for their information and reference.

**CERTIFIED BY** 

VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO

Presiding Officer)

