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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 March 11, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Jerry Agerico B. Rosario

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 368-2024

DIRECTING THE COMMITTEE ON BARANGAY AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT, PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY; AND THE COMMITTEE ON INFRASTRUCTURE, PUBLIC SERVICES AND UTILITIES TO CONDUCT A JOINT COMMITTEE HEARING ON MOTORCYCLE-RELATED ACCIDENTS IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN, IN AID OF LEGISLATION

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 4136, otherwise known as the “Land Transportation and Traffic Code” provides that any person driving a motor vehicle on a highway shall drive the same at a careful and prudent speed, not greater nor less than is reasonable and proper, having due regard for the traffic, the width of the highway, and of any other condition then and there existing; and no person shall drive any motor vehicle upon a highway at such a speed as to endanger the life, limb and property of any person, nor at a speed greater than will permit him to bring the vehicle to a stop within the assured clear distance ahead;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7160 grants the local government units the power to regulate traffic in all streets and bridges within their territorial boundaries and to enact such measures that will enhance the public health, safety convenience, maintain peace and order and promote the general prosperity of its inhabitants;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health recorded that road vehicular accident and its growing number of cases is one of the leading causes of the deaths in the country, overpowering other deadly disease and concluded that speeding is the primary cause of road fatalities and injuries;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan as the highest legislative body of the Province is empowered to conduct an inquiry/committee hearing on certain matters that are of public interest, in aid of legislation;



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WHEREAS, the Committee on Barangay and Rural Development, Public Order and Safety and the Committee on Infrastructure, Public Services and Utilities are the proper Bodies to conduct the said joint committee hearing as the matter on vehicular accidents is one of the subject matters within the area of legislations to address, specifically, the best ways to drastically reduce the number of vehicular traffic accidents, fatalities, and injuries;

WHEREAS, the representatives of the following offices shall be invited as resource speakers during the committee hearing, to wit: the Highway Patrol Group (HPG) of the Philippine National Police (PNP), Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), Land Transportation Office (LTO), Department of Health (DOH), Pangasinan Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office (PDRRMO), and the Pangasinan Bikers Federation Inc., to enlighten the Body on the incidents of motorcycle-related accidents in the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Jerry Agerico B. Rosario, duly seconded, it was-

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to direct, as they are hereby directed, the Committee on Barangay and Rural Development, Public Order and Safety; and the Committee on Infrastructure, Public Services and Utilities to conduct a joint committee hearing on motorcycle-related accidents in the Province of Pangasinan, in aid of legislation;

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Honorable Chairmen of the Committee on Barangay and Rural Development, Public Order and Safety; and Committee on Infrastructure, Public Services and Utilities, for their information and appropriate action.

CERTIFIED BY:

ESPERANCILLA B. ROMA
Assistant Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)