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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 April 15, 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. 425-2024**

**AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT (DOLE) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TULONG PANGHANAPBUHAY SA ATING DISADVANTAGED (TUPAD) WORKERS AND THE PROVISION OF EQUITY OF AT LEAST 20% OF THE TOTAL PROJECT COST**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the policy of the National Government to implement poverty alleviation projects in all regions, the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) is mandated to promote gainful employment opportunities, develop human resources, protect workers and promote their welfare, and maintain industrial peace;

**WHEREAS**, in keeping with this mandate, DOLE provides assistance to disadvantaged workers whose economic base and meager income are affected by closure or slowing down of operation of companies due to economic disruptions and/or the occurrence of natural disasters, calamities or armed conflicts;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Department Order No. 239, Series of 2023, DOLE was mandated to implement, with its co-partners, the *Tulong Panghanapbuhay Sa Ating Disadvantaged Workers* (TUPAD) Program to provide temporary wage employment to the disadvantaged workers for a period of 10 days to help alleviate their plight;

**WHEREAS**, the Province of Pangasinan was selected by the Department of Labor and Employment as a Co-Partner in the implementation of the TUPAD program, and as a co-partner, the Province shall provide twenty percent (20%) counterpart equity of the total project cost, subject to the terms and conditions detailed in the MOA;

**WHEREAS**, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III and the Department of Labor and Employment - Region 1, represented by its Regional Director, Exequiel Ronie A. Guzman, CESO IV;



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**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan fully recognizes the importance of this partnership to ensure the successful implementation of the said program and to achieve the desired social outcomes;

**WHEREFORE**, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Jerry Agerico B. Rosario, it was –


**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) for the implementation of *Tulong Panghanapbuhay sa Ating Disadvantaged (TUPAD) Workers* and providing equity of at least 20% of the total project cost

**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan; and the Department of Labor and Employment – Region 1 Regional Director, Exequiel Ronie A. Guzman, CESO IV, with office address at RSRK Building, Brgy. Biday, City of San Fernando, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

  
**VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ**  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*

ATTESTED:

  
**MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO**  
Vice Governor  
*(Presiding Officer)*