

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 June 24, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 586-2024

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH REGION 1 MEDICAL CENTER (R1MC) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF BLOOD SERVICES NETWORK AT THE MANAOAG COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7719, otherwise known as the National Blood Services Act of 1994, mandates for the provision of adequate, safe, affordable and equitable distribution of blood and blood products which aimed to inculcate public awareness that blood donation is a humanitarian act;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2 of the same Law, the Department of Health (DOH) is likewise mandated to establish and organize a National Blood Transfusion Service Network in order to rationalize and improve the provision of adequate and safe supply of blood;

WHEREAS, to fully adhere with the foregoing mandate, DOH Memorandum No. 2016-0451, dated December 8, 2016, with the subject: "Designation of Lead Blood Service Facilities", the Region 1 Medical Center (R1MC) was designated as one of the Lead Blood Service Facilities in Region I under Philippine National Blood Services duly authorized to collect, process, test and distribute quality blood products to its network of blood service facilities;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan has been authorized by the DOH to operate as Hospital Blood Station, hence, they are included under the blood services network of R1MC;

WHEREAS, the Manaoag Community Hospital, one of the 14 hospitals owned and operated by the Provincial Government of Pangasinan, has signified its intention to avail on blood services and blood products of R1MC under its Blood Services Network;





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> WHEREAS, this Memorandum of Agreement is necessitated in order to facilitate the issuance of a DOH Certificate of Inclusion for Blood Services Network under R1MC so that Manaoag Community Hospital could fully operate and render its services as one of the licensed/authorized Blood Service Facilities in the Province of Pangasinan;

> WHEREAS, the duties and responsibilities of the parties are stipulated in the Memorandum of Agreement which is made an integral part of this resolution;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds this Memorandum of Agreement in order pursuant to Sections 16 and 17 (a) (iii) of the Local Government Code of 1991;

WHEREAS, Section 465 (vi) of RA 7160 provides that the Provincial Governor shall represent the Province in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts and obligations and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan or pursuant to law or ordinance;

WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Governor Ramon V. Guico III, and the Region I Medical Center, represented by Dr. Joseph Roland O. Mejia, Medical Center Chief II;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued, duly seconded, 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 with Region 1 Medical Center (R1MC) for the implementation of Blood Services Network at the Manaoag Community Hospital;

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution to Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan; Dr. Joseph Roland O. Mejia, Medical Center Chief II, Region 1 Medical Center; and Dr. Donn P. Doria, Chief of Hospital, Manaoag Community Hospital, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED B T. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

LD DG. LAMBINO MARK RONA Vice Governor residing Officer)

