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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 August 5, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Marinor B. de Guzman

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 757-2024

SIGNIFYING THE INTENTION TO ESTABLISH A SISTERHOOD AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF PANGASINAN AND THE CITY OF SAN JUAN, METRO MANILA AND AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO NEGOTIATE THE TERMS AND ENTER INTO THE SAID SISTERHOOD AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, City Resolution No. 134, S-2024 of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of San Juan, approved on July 29, 2024, has extended the city's intent in establishing a sisterhood agreement between the Provincial Government of Pangasinan and the City of San Juan and has authorized the Honorable Francisco Javier M. Zamora in negotiating the terms and enter into the said sisterhood agreement;

WHEREAS, San Juan City Mayor Francisco Javier M. Zamora, in his letter to the Provincial Governor of Pangasinan, Ramon V. Guico III, dated August 2, 2024, has proposed likewise the establishment of a sisterhood agreement with the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan is accepting the proposal and is signifying its intention also to strengthen ties with neighboring areas of Metro Manila particularly the City of San Juan for the establishment of friendship and other concerns mutually beneficial with each other;

WHEREAS, the City of San Juan is a highly urbanized city in the National Capital Region with a land area of 5.94 square kilometers and a total population of 126,347 based on the 2020 census and it is divided into 21 barangays. It is located in an eastern residential and industrial suburb of Metro Manila, in the south of Quezon City and north of Mandaluyong and is situated on the San Juan and Pasig rivers just above their junction;

WHEREAS, the City of San Juan is the smallest city in the country in terms of land area but it is a city rich in history and culture. It is historically known as the site of the first battle of the Philippine Revolution against the colonizers during the Spanish regime;

WHEREAS, the City of San Juan is now a bustling city full of economic growth and development over recent years;



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WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan intends to forge a sisterhood relationship with the City of San Juan for continuous contacts and cordial relations with its government and its people;

WHEREAS, the sisterhood relationship once established will strengthen friendly and economic relations between the people of the City of San Juan and the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan intends to carry out exchanges and cooperation with the City of San Juan in the fields of trade and industry, agriculture, science and technology, tourism, culture, education, health, and social welfare for the promotion of common prosperity and development;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan would benefit from the sisterhood relationship in terms of business development, strong economic relationship and closer cultural experiences and exchanges among the people and the government of the City of San Juan;

WHEREAS, it is the collective sense of this august Body to convey its intention to formally establish the relation with the City of San Juan and to authorize the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to negotiate the terms and enter into the said sisterhood agreement;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Marinor B. de Guzman, duly seconded, it was -

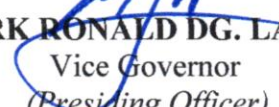
RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session duly assembled to signify, as it is hereby signified, the intention to establish a Sisterhood Agreement between the Provincial Government of Pangasinan and the City of San Juan, Metro Manila and authorizing the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to negotiate the terms and enter into the said sisterhood agreement;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Honorable Governor Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan, and Honorable City Mayor Francisco Javier M. Zamora, San Juan City, for their information.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)