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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 September 9, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Raul R. Sabangan

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 835-2024

STRONGLY SUPPORTING SENATE BILL NO. 2629, AN ACT SETTING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF BARANGAY OFFICIALS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 2629, authored by Senator Imee R. Marcos, aims to set the term of office of barangay officials to six (6) terms;

WHEREAS, the objective of Senate Bill No. 2629 is anchored on the provision of Article II, Section 25 of the 1987 Philippine Constitution which provides that the State shall ensure the autonomy of local governments, and Article X, Section 8 which also provides that the terms of office of barangay officials shall be determined by law;

WHEREAS, barangay officials play important roles in the promotion of basic rural health programs and maintenance of peace and order in their respective localities;

WHEREAS, barangay officials are always in the forefront of the government's thrusts in the implementation of the programs, projects and activities of municipal, city and provincial governments;

WHEREAS, considering the roles of barangays as self-reliant communities and the barangay officials as basic service providers, there is indeed a necessity to set their term of office to six (6) years as their present term of three years may not be enough to concretize the implementation and development of their programs and projects;

WHEREAS, the Senate Bill setting the term of office of barangay officials for six years and for not more than two consecutive terms in the same position would ensure the continuity of their programs and projects;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, fully supportive of any proposal that will be beneficial to the concerns of barangays, is requesting the immediate passage of a pending legislative measure in the Senate that seeks to set the term of office of barangay officials;



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WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Raul R. Sabangan, duly seconded, it was –

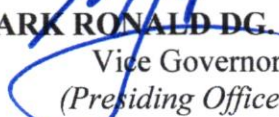
RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to strongly support, as it is hereby strongly supported, Senate Bill No. 2629, An Act Setting the Term of Office of Barangay Officials and for Other Purposes;

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish a copy of this resolution to Honorable Senate President Francis G. Escudero, for his information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)