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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 October 21, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 968-2024

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE NATIONAL DAIRY AUTHORITY (NDA) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NDA DAIRY ANIMAL DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM-UNITED STANDARD PAYMENT-IN-KIND SCHEME FOR CATTLE 1:1 IN 6 SCHEME PROJECT

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7884, otherwise known as the National Dairy Development Act of 1995, provides that it is the declared the policy of the State to strive for national self-sufficiency in milk and dairy products as a vital feature in the attainment of a self-reliant and independent Philippine economy in the provision of proper nutrition and the generation of more employment opportunities for the people is also the policy of the State to recognize the primary role of private sector in research, training, production, processing and marketing and to provide incentives to those undertaking these activities with government limiting itself to policy-making, facilitation and regulation;

WHEREAS, it is the mandate of the National Dairy Authority (NDA) to accelerate the development of the Philippine dairy industry by actively engaging in the distribution of dairy animals among dairy farmers in the country;

WHEREAS, dairy animal distribution spurs the crossbreeding and upgrading of dairy animals, promotes dairy animal trading among stakeholders of the local dairy industry, and promotes the production of local milk;

WHEREAS, the National Dairy Authority has an on-going Project entitled NDA Dairy Animal Distribution Program-United Standard Payment-in-Kind Scheme for Cattle 1:1 in 6 Scheme Project whereby NDA lends to eligible dairy farm operators' dairy animals payable within a long period;

WHEREAS, the payment shall be made under the 1:1 in 6 scheme for the animals shall generally be in-kind, consisting of one similar dairy animal for every animal developered by the NDA and received by the Dairy Farm Operator;





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WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Pangasinan owns and operates the Pangasinan Dairy Farm located in the Municipality of Laoac as an identified vital project of the Province to further enhance the livelihood and job opportunities for the people;

WHEREAS, through the Project, the Dairy Farm Operator shall be provided by the NDA with fifty (50) heads of dairy animals with a total book value of P7,500,000.00 to be repaid in accordance with the stipulations provided in the Memorandum of Agreement;

WHEREAS, a Memorandum of Agreement is necessary therefore, to set out the terms of payment, duties and obligations and other conditions necessary in the implementation of the Project;

WHEREAS, local government units are empowered under Section 22 (a) (5) (c) and Section 465 (b) (vi) of RA 7160 to enter into contracts, but such power may be exercised with prior authorization emanating from the Sangguniang Panlalawigan through a resolution/ordinance;

WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Provincial Governor Ramon V. Guico III, and the National Dairy Authority, represented by OIC-Administrator Gavino Alfredo C. Benitez;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Napoleon C. Fontelera, Jr., 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 the National Dairy Authority (NDA) for the implementation of the NDA Dairy Animal Distribution Program-United Standard Payment-In-Kind Scheme for Cattle 1:1 In 6 Scheme Project;

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of the resolution be furnished to the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, and Mr. Gavino Alfredo C. Benitez, OIC-Administrator, National Dairy Authority, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNAT. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunia

ATTESTED:

MARK ROYALD DG. LAMBINO

Vice Governor

Presiding Officer)