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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY  
Introduced by VICE GOVERNOR RANJIT R. SHAHANI August 27, 1993

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

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 27, 1993, at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following Provincial Ordinance was approved:

PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 25

REORGANIZING AND GRANTING MORE POWERS TO THE PANGASINAN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the development of the Northwestern Luzon Growth Quadrangle is one of the major development plans espoused by the Ramos Administration under its Philippines 2000 Program;

WHEREAS, such development plan has accelerated the influx of investment proposals into the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, the Pangasinan Industrial Development Authority has been created under Sangguniang Panlalawigan Resolution No. 120 to conduct proper zoning, planning, allocation, administration and acquisition or expropriation of land for conversion into industrial and economic zones within the Province;

WHEREAS, there is a need to reorganize the Pangasinan Industrial Development Authority to make it more responsive to the massive flow of investment proposals into the province and to enable it to properly identify and accept those which would best redound to the benefit of the province;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of Vice Governor Ranjit R. Shahani, co-authored by SP Member Dionisio C. Antiniw, duly seconded by SP Members Conrado P. Gubatan and Alfonso C. Bince, Jr, it was ordained that:

SECTION 1. The composition of the PIDA under SP Resolution No. 120 shall be amended as follows:

"The Pangasinan Industrial Development Authority shall be headed by the Provincial Director of the Department of Trade and Industry as its Chairman, with Provincial Heads of the following government agencies and offices and the duly authorized representatives in case of private entities, as its regular members;

- a) DENR
- b) NEDA
- c) DA
- d) DAR
- e) President of the Pangasinan Chamber of Commerce



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- f) PEDFI
- g) Representative of the Governor
- h) Representative of the Vice Governor
- i) Representative of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan to be chosen by the members *BH DC # itimio (Chaber)*
- j) Representative of Labor to be recommended by the Chairman of the Committee on Labor of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan
- k) The Elected Congressmen of all six Congressional Districts of the Province or their respective representative

The Secretariat of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan shall provide clerical and administrative support services to the PIDA.

SECTION 2. The powers of the PIDA under Sangguniang Panlalawigan Resolution No. 120 shall also be amended as follows:

"The PIDA shall have the following powers and functions:

- a) It shall have the sole authority to accept and process all investments except those relating to power and energy, in the province of Pangasinan, whether such investments be foreign or local, public or private;
- b) It shall after due deliberation and by a majority vote of all members and the Chairman decide whether or not a particular investment proposed conforms to the Provincial development plan and could best redound to the benefit of the province. The rules and regulations of the PIDA, including the criteria for determining whether an investment proposals is the most favorable to the province and the mechanics for the effective coordination with other government agencies regulating investments in the Philippines, shall be formulated by the PIDA Chairman and members as soon as the PIDA is constituted, subject to the approval by the Provincial Board;
- c) Upon certification by the PIDA that an investment proposal conforms to the provincial development plan and is the most favorable to the province, the same shall be submitted to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan for review. If approved, the investor may begin to do business within the province, subject to limitations imposed by the constitution and national, provincial and municipal laws and compliance with rules and regulations of the Board of Investments (BOI) and the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Provided however, that the Provincial Board, by a majority vote of all its members,



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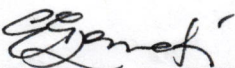
if it deems it is in the best interest of the province, may allow any person, natural or judicial, to invest in the province without the necessary certification by the PIDA or nullify any certification granted by the PIDA under this sub-section. Provided, further, that in controversial issues on investments, the Provincial Board shall decide such matters by a majority vote;

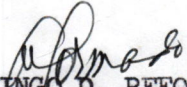
- d) It may call on any entity, including other agencies of the government and the private sector, to provide technical assistance and support especially in the study and review of investment proposals submitted to the province;
- e) It shall coordinate with the various agencies of the national and local government for the **monitoring** of the compliance of investors with national, provincial and municipal laws, especially those relating to labor and the protection of the environment.
- f) It shall recommend to the provincial Board the grant of tax incentives to preferred investors especially those who put an emphasis on creating massive employment opportunities and environment protection and preservation;
- g) To compile and maintain a masterlist of all past, present and prospective investments, domestic or foreign, in the province.

SECTION 3. All other ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance shall be deemed amended accordingly.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.

ATTESTED:

  
SP MEMBER EDITHA G. DEMETRIA  
Temporary Presiding Officer

  
DOMINGO D. REFORMADO  
Secretary to the Sanggunian