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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 March 2, 2020 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

# Authored by SP Member Nestor D. Reves

#### PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 275-2020

REITERATING THE STAND OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN ON THE SUSPENSION OF THE BODY'S INDORSEMENT OF THE OPERATION OF SMALL TOWN LOTTERY IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, on August 20, 2018, Provincial Resolution No. 530-2018 entitled Recalling Provincial Resolution No. 454-2010 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan entitled "Indorsing the Operation of Small Town Lottery (STL) Project in the Province of Pangasinan including its Component Cities", pending investigation of alleged anomalies in the operation of Small Town Lottery in the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, based on the above-premise, the 9<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlalawigan has in effect suspended the indorsement by the Body of the operation of STL in the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, reports have reached the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the plan for the resumption of the operation of STL in the Province of Pangasinan despite the passage of the legislative measure;

**WHEREAS**, at present, the members of the 10<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlalawigan have not yet lifted the said recall of Provincial Resolution No. 454-2010 nor by any member of the previous Sanggunian;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is bothered by the plan of the PCSO as the Province has already been at peace and doing well sans the operation of STL in Pangasinan unlike in the past when it had experienced chaotic incidences relating to its operations that led to a series of investigations, a court action, apparent turmoil, and even to alleged loss of lives of some individuals;







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**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan reiterates its position to suspend its indorsement on the operation of STL in the Province of Pangasinan;

**WHEREFORE,** in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Nestor D. Reyes, duly seconded, it was –

**RESOLVED,** by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to reiterate, as it is hereby reiterated, the stand of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan on the suspension of the body's indorsement of the operation of Small Town Lottery in the Province of Pangasinan;

**RESOLVED, FINALLY,** that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office and Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO

Vice Governor (Presiding Officer)



