

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 22, 2021 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario and co-authored by SP Member Nestor D. Reyes

#### **PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 338-2021**

URGING THE NATIONAL INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES (IATF-EID) TO CONSIDER PRIORITIZING LAW ENFORCEMENT FRONTLINERS MANNING BORDER CHECKPOINTS AS PRIMARY RECIPIENTS OF COVID-19 VACCINES

**WHEREAS**, the national government has already identified the detailed priority population in its Covid-19 vaccination program and frontline health workers, senior citizens and persons with comorbidities are listed on the top list;

**WHEREAS,** frontline personnel in essential sectors which include uniformed personnel are included in the next category of the priority list of the Covid-19 vaccination program;

**WHEREAS**, law enforcement frontliners especially those manning the border checkpoints are at high risk of exposure since they are dealing with a lot of people during their call of duty;

**WHEREAS,** prioritizing them on the primary list would lessen the mortality and morbidity rate for men and women in uniform during this period of public health crisis;

WHEREAS, COVID-19 vaccination is a safer way to help build protection toward a severe infection for everybody especially those under police and military units who continue to man the various checkpoints set up to enforce the government's ongoing efforts to contain the spread of the disease;

WHEREAS, in Pangasinan alone, a number of men in uniform particularly those assigned at checkpoints had been reportedly infected by COVID-19;







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**NOW, THEREFORE,** on motion of SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario and co-authored by SP Member Nestor D. Reyes, duly seconded, it was –

**RESOLVED,** by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan in session assembled to urge, as it is hereby urged, the National Inter-Agency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-EID) to consider prioritizing law enforcement frontliners manning border checkpoints as primary recipients of COVID-19 vaccines;

**RESOLVED, FINALLY,** that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the National Inter-Agency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Diseases, for its information and favorable consideration.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO

Previding Officer



