

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 April 12, 2021 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 373-2021

URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES THROUGH THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH TO CAUSE THE GRANTING OF SECURITY OF SERVICE/TENURE TO QUALIFIED BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS OF THE COUNTRY

WHEREAS, barangay health workers play important roles in rendering primary health care services needed by the people in the community;

WHEREAS, during this period of pandemic, barangay health workers are also considered as frontliners because they are helping to contain the spread of Covid-19 virus;

WHEREAS, RA 7883 or the Barangay Health Workers' Benefits and Incentives Act of 1995 which provides benefits and incentives to the barangay health workers does not have a provision granting security of tenure to them;

WHEREAS, the granting of security of tenure to qualified barangay health workers nationwide will be an act of recognition to their continuous services and sacrifices to the people;

WHEREAS, with the grant of security of tenure, barangay health workers cannot just be unjustifiably removed from office without due process;

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend Republic Act 7883 by granting security of tenure to barangay health workers in recognition of their selfless and tireless efforts at the community even they are just receiving meager allowances;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario, duly seconded, it was -







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RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to urge, as it is hereby urged, the Congress of the Philippines through the Committee on Health to cause the granting of security of service/tenure to qualified barangay health workers of the country;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Congress of the Philippines through Congresswoman Angelina Tan, Chairman of the Committee on Health, for their information, support and appropriate action.

CERTIFIED B **F. NAVA-PEREZ** Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

D DG. LAMBINO MARK F Vice Governor (Presiding Officer)



