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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 28, 2022 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 405-2022

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, AMADO I. ESPINO III TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE INTEGRATION SITES

WHEREAS, RA 11223 or the Universal Health Care Act of 2019 mandates the implementation of health reform program which ensures that every Filipino is guaranteed an equitable access to quality and affordable healthcare services and is protected against financial risks;

WHEREAS, the law endeavors to integrate local health systems into province-wide and city-wide health systems to ensure the effective and efficient delivery of population-based and individual-based health services;

WHEREAS, Section 33 of RA 7160 provides that local government units may group themselves, consolidate or coordinate their efforts, services, and resources for purposes commonly beneficial to them in order to provide basic health services and facilities to the people;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan is one of the integration sites of the Universal Health Care Act and has signified its commitment to integrate its local health systems into province-wide health system;

WHEREAS, the Universal Health Care Integration Sites will be supported by the Department of Health and Philippine Health Insurance Corporation for the implementation of various approaches and mechanisms to achieve technical, managerial, and financial integration, as mandated by the UHC law that guarantees equitable access to quality and affordable health care for all Pangasinenses;



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WHEREAS, it is to the best interest of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Understanding with the Department of Health and the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation to further enhance implementation of health programs and services to the people of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Governor Amado I. Espino, III, the Department of Health, represented by Dr. Francisco T. Duque III, Secretary of Health, and the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, represented by Atty. Dante A. Gierran, President and CEO;

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

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Provincial Governor, Amado I. Espino III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Department of Health and the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation in connection with the implementation of the Universal Health Care Integration Sites;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Provincial Governor, Amado I. Espino III, Province of Pangasinan, Dr. Francisco T. Duque III, Secretary of Health, Department of Health, and Atty. Dante A. Gierran, President and CEO, Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)