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CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the special session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on December 16, 2019 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Members Liberato Z. Villegas and Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 724-2019

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, AMADO I. ESPINO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE TARLAC ASSOCIATION OF SWINE AND POULTRY RAISERS, INC. (TASPRI), THE PANGASINAN POLICE PROVINCIAL OFFICE - PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE (PPPO-PNP) AND UNITED ASSOCIATION OF PANGASINAN SWINE GROWERS, INC. (UAPSGI) FOR THE TRANSSHIPMENT/PASSING THROUGH ONLY OF LIVE HOGS/SWINE COMING FROM THE PROVINCE OF TARLAC EXCLUDING THOSE COMING FROM THE MUNICIPALITIES OF MONCADA, CAMILING, CONCEPCION, CAPAS AND SAN CLEMENTE

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 0092-2019, dated September 10, 2019, issued by the Provincial Governor, Amado I. Espino III, implemented a temporary total ban on the entry of all live swine/pigs into the Province of Pangasinan to address the concerns of African Swine Fever (ASF);

WHEREAS, the Tarlac Association of Swine and Poultry Raisers, Inc. (TASPRI) in its letter dated November 18, 2019, through the intercession of Department of Agriculture Secretary Honorable William C. Dar, requested the Provincial Governor to reevaluate the said Executive Order and allow TASPRI to pass-through within the Province of Pangasinan on the way to Baguio City;

WHEREAS, a dialogue was held between the Province of Pangasinan and TASPRI on November 29, 2019 and the latter reiterated their request for pass-through to reach and deliver only to Baguio City customers and not to sell their pigs to any market in Pangasinan; and offered to pay fees necessary in the grant of the transshipment such as inspection fee per pig for Pangasinan and escort fee per truck for the Pangasinan Police Provincial Office;



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WHEREAS, after learning of the dialogue between Province of Pangasinan and TASPRI on the passing through of hogs in the Province, UAPSGI also requested for a dialogue with the Governor to voice out their concerns on the request of TASPRI;

WHEREAS, on December 6, 2019, following the dialogue with the Provincial Government through the Provincial Administrator, the proposal of UAPSGI to be a party to the Memorandum of Agreement was approved, specifically in ensuring the compliance of TASPRI of its roles and responsibilities indicated in the Memorandum of Agreement;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan is now considering the request which is solely for transshipment/passing-through purposes, hence, no direct contact whatsoever with swine/hogs within the Province; however, transshipment of live hogs/swine coming from the Municipalities of Moncada, Camiling, Concepcion, Capas and San Clemente are not allowed to enter into the Province of Pangasinan as they are reportedly still banned from entering the Province of Benguet;

WHEREAS, the duties and responsibilities of the parties including other conditions are stipulated in the Memorandum of Agreement which is made an integral part of this resolution;

WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed a Memorandum of Agreement between the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III, Tarlac Association of Swine and Poultry Raisers, Inc., represented by its President Romeo Co, the Pangasinan Police Provincial Office - Philippine National Police, represented by its Provincial Director Redrico Maranan, and United Association of Pangasinan Swine Growers, Inc., represented by its President, Engr. Albert Francis H. Estolas;

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Members Liberato Z. Villegas and 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 Agreement with the Tarlac Association of Swine and Poultry Raisers, Inc. (TASPRI), the Pangasinan Police Provincial Office - Philippine National Police (PPPO-PNP) and the United Association of Pangasinan Swine Growers, Inc. (UAPSGI) for the transshipment/passing through only of live hogs/swine coming from the Province of Tarlac excluding those coming from the municipalities of Moncada, Camiling, Concepcion, Capas and San Clemente;



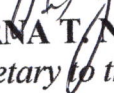
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RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III, Province of Pangasinan, President Romeo Co, Tarlac Association of Swine and Poultry Raisers, Inc., Provincial Director Redrico Maranan, Pangasinan Police Provincial Office - Philippine National Police, and President Albert Francis H. Estolas, United Association of Pangasinan Swine Growers, Inc., for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)