

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 October 4, 2021 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 846-2021

REQUESTING THE NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY TO INTENSIFY THEIR PARTNERSHIP WITH THE DIFFERENT LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS TO HELP THE FARMERS WITH THE PRICE PROBLEM OF PALAY IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Pangasinan has been consistent in its commitment to help local rice farmers achieve increased productivity output and profitability of their farm produce;

WHEREAS, however, based on latest reports from the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), the buying price of palay has been declining and there is a need to help local rice farmers in the Province of Pangasinan who are either earning less or suffering losses from the prevailing situation;

WHEREAS, the National Food Authority (NFA) is mandated by law to procure and market the produce of farmers and to ensure that the supply of rice is enough for the year;

WHEREAS, the NFA is also tasked to provide assistance to local farmers through the help of local government units cognizant of their need as a result of the declining prices of palay;

WHEREAS, it is the aim of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan to help local rice farmers because they deserve to earn more for their hard work;

WHEREAS, the National Food Authority should institutionalize its partnership with local government units by concreting long-term solutions to help local rice farmers by providing them an assured market and reasonable prices for their produce;







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WHEREAS, sustaining the Province's capacity as one of the leading rice producers in the region can be achieved by directly supporting rice farmers and strengthening the local rice industry;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison, duly seconded, it was –

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan in session assembled to request, as it is hereby requested, the National Food Authority to intensify their partnership with the different Local Government Units to help the farmers with the price problem of palay in the Province of Pangasinan;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the National Food Authority, for its information and appropriate action.

CERTIFIED BY

VERNAT. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK ROXALD DG. LAMBINO

(Presiding Officer)



