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**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 December 13, 2021 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:*

Authored by SP Member Nestor D. Reyes

**PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1079-2021**

**ENDORING TO THE INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE (IATF) THE REQUEST OF THE COCKPIT ASSOCIATION OF PANGASINAN TO ALLOW THE RESUMPTION OF COCKPIT OPERATIONS IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN**

**WHEREAS**, since the Province of Pangasinan is presently under Alert Level 2, a group of cockpit aficionados has been clamoring for the reopening of cockpit arenas in the Province of Pangasinan and the resumption of its operations;

**WHEREAS**, the Cockpit Association of Pangasinan has manifested its intention to resume the operations of cockpit in the Province of Pangasinan as COVID-19 cases in the Province is continuously declining and normalcy is beginning to be back on the lives of everyone amid the public health crisis;

**WHEREAS**, cockfighting industry is one of the businesses which has been hardly hit by the pandemic and to reopen cockpits would also help balance the economy in terms of employment and livelihood;

**WHEREAS**, minimum public health protocols must be strictly complied with by cockpit operators to be monitored by the Philippine National Police, if and when the IATF will allow the operations of cockpits in the Province of Pangasinan;

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is now endorsing to the IATF the request of the Cockpit Association of Pangasinan to let the operations of cockpits in the Province of Pangasinan subject however, to compliance with specific guidelines imposed by the concerned authorities;



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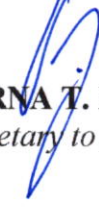
**WHEREAS**, DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2020-140, dated October 23, 2020, provides for the guidelines on the resumption of cockpit operations or cockfighting in areas under Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ) or lower;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of SP Member Nestor D. Reyes, duly seconded, it was –

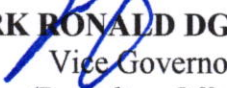
**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to endorse, as it is hereby endorsed, to the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) the request of the Cockpit Association of Pangasinan to allow the resumption of cockpit operations in the Province of Pangasinan;

**RESOLVED, FINALLY**, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF), for their information and appropriate action.

CERTIFIED BY:

  
**VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ**  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*

ATTESTED:

  
**MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO**  
Vice Governor  
*(Presiding Officer)*