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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 4, 2019 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

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

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 156-2019

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, AMADO I. ESPINO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN AND AMONG THE REGIONAL OFFICES-I OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH-CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, NATIONAL MEAT AND INSPECTION SERVICE, NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY, BUREAU OF FISHERIES AND AQUATIC RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY, DON MARIANO MARCOS MEMORIAL STATE UNIVERSITY, MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY, PANGASINAN STATE UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN PHILIPPINES, ILOCOS SUR POLYTECHNIC STATE COLLEGE, AND THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS OF ILOCOS NORTE, ILOCOS SUR, LA UNION, AND PANGASINAN IN CONNECTION WITH THE OPERATION OF THE REGION I INTER-AGENCY FOOD SAFETY TEAM

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10611 otherwise known as the Food Safety Act of 2013, aims to strengthen the food safety regulatory system in the country which takes into account the production of quality and wholesome food;

WHEREAS, it is imperative that government efforts be pooled to support R.A. 10611 and to assist micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs) to comply with environmental and regulatory requirements and the implementation of Food Safety Programs;



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WHEREAS, under RA 10611, the LGUs are responsible for food safety in food businesses and other activities related thereto, and may be called upon by the DOH and the DA to assist in the implementation of food laws and other relevant regulations;

WHEREAS, because of the apparent need to convene the different agencies in relation to food safety programs in the Region, the Region I Inter-Agency Food Safety team, comprised of a pool of food safety experts from various government agencies and LGUs, is organized to formulate annual action and budget plans on the implementation of the Food Safety Program, act as assessors, trainers, facilitators and consultants on food safety, technical know-how, technologies on food safety and other related interventions, assist in the implementation of the action plans, monitor the established food safety system of MSMEs and other related activities, assist in the coordination of the technical assistance to clients;

WHEREAS, to this end, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between and among the Regional Offices-I of the Department of Science and Technology, Department of Health-Center for Health Development, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Agriculture, National Meat and Inspection Service, National Food Authority, Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, Department of the Interior and Local Government and Department of Trade and Industry, Don Mariano Marcos Memorial State University, Mariano Marcos State University, Pangasinan State University, University of Northern Philippines, Ilocos Sur Polytechnic State College, and the Provincial Governments of Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur, La Union, and Pangasinan;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Members Jeremy Agerico B. Rosario and Liberato Z. Villegas, 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 between and among the Regional Offices-I of the Department of Science and Technology, Department of Health-Center for Health Development, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Agriculture, National Meat and Inspection Service, National Food Authority, Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, Department of the Interior and Local Government and Department of Trade and Industry, Don Mariano Marcos Memorial State University, Mariano Marcos State University, Pangasinan State University, University of Northern Philippines, Ilocos Sur Polytechnic State College, and the Provincial Governments of Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur, La Union, and Pangasinan in connection with the operation of the Region I Inter-Agency Food Safety Team;



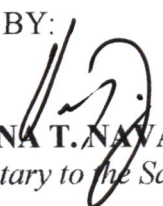
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RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution to Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III, and to all concerned agencies, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


JOSE FERDINAND Z. CALIMLIM, JR.
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)



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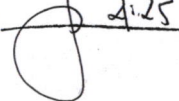
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SP SECRETARIAT OFFICE
LINGAYEN, PANGASINAN

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ATTY. VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ

Secretary to the Sanggunian
Province of Pangasinan

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Dear Atty. Nava-Perez:

Greetings from the Pangasinan State University!

This is to acknowledge receipt of your communication pertaining to the authorization of the Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan for the Honorable Governor Amado I. Espino III to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the Pangasinan State University and other Regional Offices-I, State Universities and Provincial Governments in connection with the operation of the Region Inter-Agency Food Safety Team.

Rest assured that we are one with you in providing quality service for the best interest of the many.

Thank you and God bless.



DEXTER R. BUTED
University President