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

Authored by SP Member Von Mark R. Mendoza.

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 787-2021

INVITING THE IRON ORE, GOLD, AND VANADIUM RESOURCES, (PHILIPPINES) INC., DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES PROVINCIAL CHAPTER PRESIDENT, ENVIRONMENTAL ADVOCACY GROUP TO A QUESTION HOUR OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN DURING ITS SEPTEMBER 20, 2021 REGULAR (PHYSICAL) SESSION TO BRIEF AND/OR UPDATE THE BODY ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF AN ALLEGED LARGE-SCALE MINING PROJECT IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, during its Question Hour held on September 13, 2021 Regular Session, has invited the Department of Environment and Natural Resources and the League of Municipalities Provincial Chapter President to confirm the veracity of the alleged implementation of a large-scale mining project in the Province of Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan has been informed that a large-scale mining project is to be undertaken in the Province covering the Municipalities of Lingayen, Labrador, Sual and Binmaley, and the City of Dagupan;

WHEREAS, the project proponent has been identified as Iron Ore, Gold, and Vanadium Resources, Inc., an Australian mineral exploration company;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan deemed it necessary to schedule again a Question Hour and invite the project proponent to brief the Body on the development of the implementation of the project;



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WHEREAS, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources, the League of Municipalities Provincial Chapter President as well as the environmental advocacy group have also been requested to appear before the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;


WHEREAS, Section 20 of the Internal Rules of Procedure of the 10th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan provides that a Question Hour is the period of time allotted for members of the Sanggunian to ask questions from invited resource persons coming from both the government and private sectors, usually heads of offices, technical men and prominent individuals, primarily intended to seek information from the latter on certain matters that are of public interest and in aid of legislation;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Von Mark R. Mendoza, duly seconded, it was –


RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan in session assembled to invite, as they are hereby invited, the Iron Ore, Gold, And Vanadium Resources, (Philippines) Inc., Department of Environment and Natural Resources, League of Municipalities Provincial Chapter President, environmental advocacy group to a Question Hour of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan during its September 20, 2021 Regular (Physical) Session to brief and/or update the body on the implementation of an alleged large-scale mining project in the Province of Pangasinan;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Iron Ore, Gold, And Vanadium Resources, (Philippines) Inc., Department of Environment and Natural Resources, the League of Municipalities Provincial Chapter President, and the environmental advocacy group, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)