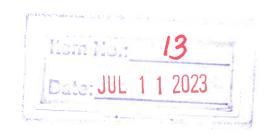


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Palo, Leyte



#### PROVINCIAL LEGAL OFFICE

2<sup>nd</sup> INDORSEMENT June 30, 2023



Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 2023-03 and 2023-06 of the SB of Bato, Leyte with the following comments and/or opinion:

- 1. That subject Ordinances are manifestations of the exercise by the Sangguniang Bayan of its power authorized under Section 20 of the Code;
- 2. That one of the requirements set under the law is the conduct of a "prior public hearing" to which, subject ordinance is not supported with proof thereof. Hence, this office recommends its due compliance regarding the matter;
- 3. That from the title of subject ordinances, It appears that the reclassification applied for by the owners of the parcels of land, to which no application letter is attached thereto, nor copy of "Tax Declaration" with the name of the owners indicated thereon. Hence, this office recommends the attachment of both the application letter and the Tax Declaration copy;
- That pursuant to DILG opinion No.22, S. 2020 dated January 31, 2020 and citing the Supreme Court Decision in the case of "Chamber of Real Estate and Builders Associations, Inc. (CREBA), vs The Secretary of Agrarian Reform (G.R. No.183409)", reclassification alone will not suffice to use the agricultural lands for other purposes. Conversion is needed to change the current use of the reclassified lands.

ATTY. JOSE RAYMUND A. ACOL Asst. Provincial Legal Officer Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF LEYTE Palo, Leyte

#### OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

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1st INDORSEMENT 27 June 2023

The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed ORDINANCE NO. 2023-03 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BATO, LEYTE, ENTITLED: Authorizing the Reclassification of Parcels of Land Applied For By Mr. Ralph Y. Salinas and Owned and Declared Under Mr. Ralph Y. Salinas and Designation as Lot No. 2162-A with Tax Declaration Number 08-06-0007-00739 Containing an Area of 546 Square Meters Located on Bato-Bontoc Road, Barangay Alejos, Bato, Leyte from Residential to Industrial Purpose.

FLORINDA JIIUS. UYVICO Secretary to the Sanggunian



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#### **Ordinances for Review**

Sangguniang Bayan Bato, Leyte <sangguniangbayanbato6525@gmail.com>

Fri, Jun 23, 2023 at 3:29 PM

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June 23, 2023

# Republic of the Philippines SANGGUNIANG BAYAN Bato, Leyte

June 23, 2023

## THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

Province of Leyte Tacloban City

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I thank you in advance and look forward to your granting this request.

Respectfully,

#### PORFERIO M. PITOGO II

Secretary to the Sanggunian

#### 4 attachments

- Transmittal Ordinance 2023 Various land conversions.pdf 127K
- $\stackrel{\bullet}{\text{\footnote{1.5}}}$  3 Ordinance 2023-03 Authorizing the reclassification of land Ralph Salinas.pdf  $_{614\text{K}}$
- 6 Ordinance 2023-06 Authorizing the reclassification of land Prycegas.pdf
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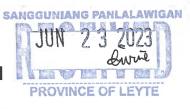
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### SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

Bato, Leyte



Ordinance No. 2023-03

AUTHORIZING THE RECLASSIFICATION OF A PARCEL OF LAND APPLIED FOR BY MR. RALPH Y. SALINAS AND OWNED AND DECLARED UNDER MR. RALPH Y. SALINAS AND DESIGNATED AS LOT NO. 2162-A WITH TAX DECLARATION NUMBER 08-06-0007-00739 CONTAINING AN AREA OF 546 SQUARE METERS LOCATED ON BATO-BONTOC ROAD, BARANGAY ALEJOS, BATO, LEYTE FROM RESIDENTIAL TO INDUSTRIAL PURPOSE

Sponsored by:

#### HON. ARNULFO B. TANEO

SB Committee Chair on Laws and Ordinances

#### **HON. RAUL M. ACENAS**

SB Committee Chair on Land Use

WHEREAS, presented for consideration before the Sanggunian is the herein application for land use reclassification of Mr. Ralph Y. Salinas from residential to commercial purpose;

WHEREAS, Section 20 of R.A. 7160 vests upon the Sangguniang Bayan through an ordinance the authority to reclassify lands and provide for the manner for their utilization and disposition;

WHEREAS, the subject residential lands applied for were substantially of greater economic value for commercial and industrial purposes;

WHEREAS, the subject lands are not tenanted nor covered pursuant to R.A. 6657 otherwise known as the Comprehensive Agrarian Reform Law;

WHEREFORE, premises considered and on motion of Hon. Raul M. Acenas seconded by Hon. Dorman P. Suarez and Hon. Mark S. Salvatierra;

BE IT ENACTED, AS THE SANGGUNIAN IN SESSION HEREBY ENACTS, that:

**Section 1. Authority to reclassify.** – Section 20 of Republic Act 7160 empowers the Sangguniang Bayan to enact an ordinance reclassifying lands to other purposes.

**Section 2.** *Reclassification.* – The parcel of land applied for by Mr. Ralph Y. Salinas and registered under Mr. Ralph Y. Salinas with Tax Declaration Nos. 08-06-0007-0007-00739 containing an area of 546 square meters located on Bato-Bontoc Road, Barangay Alejos, Bato, Leyte.

**Section 3.** *Manner of Utilization.* – The subject land shall be strictly utilized in accordance with the Municipal Zoning Ordinance of the municipality and other applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

**Section 4.** Conversion. – This ordinance shall not be construed as a conversion order which shall be issued by the Department of Agrarian Reform.

Section 5. Effectivity. – This ordinance shall take effect upon approval.

ENACTED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2023 during the Sangguniang Bayan's regular session held at the SB Session Hall, Bato, Leyte.

The Honorable Members of the Sangguniang Bayan

ANTHONY'S. ECHEVARRE

DANILO A RITOGO

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DORMAN P. SUAREZ

**CERTIFIED CORRECT:** 

ATTESTED TO BE ADOPTED:

PORFERIO M. PITOGO II
Secretary to the Sanggunian

HON. BRYAN MILE A. GERTOS
Presiding Officer/Municipal Vice Mayor

**APPROVED:** 

HON, NATHANIEL B. GERTOS

Municipal Mayor