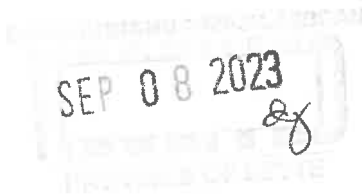


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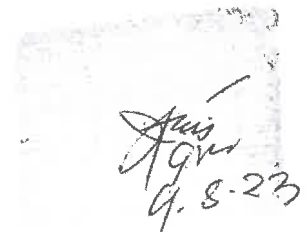
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2<sup>nd</sup> INDORSEMENT  
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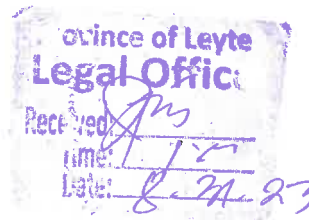
Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 2023-13 and 2023-15 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Alangalang, Leyte, recommending for the declaration of its validity, pursuant to its power under Section 56 (C) of R.A. 7160, to the opinion of the Provincial Legal Office (PLO), in consonance with the authority under R.A. no 10070 or the "Magna Carta for Disabled Persons" as amended.

**ATTY. JOSE RAYMUND A. ACOL**  
Asst. Provincial Legal Officer

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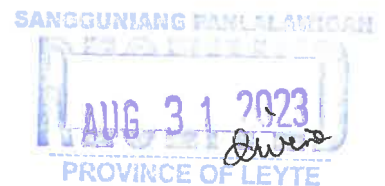


The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2023-15** of the **MUNICIPALITY OF ALANGALANG, LEYTE**, entitled: **AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE DISABILITY AFFAIRS OFFICE (PDAO) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ALANGALANG, LEYTE, PROVIDING ITS FUNCTIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF.**

  
**FLORINDA JILI S. UYVICO**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

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**OFFICE OF THE SB SECRETARY**



August 31, 2023

**MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO**  
SP Secretary  
Provincial Capitol, Tacloban City

**Ma'am:**

Respectfully forwarded herewith copies of *Municipal Ordinance No. 2023-15 "An Ordinance Creating the Disability Affairs Office (PDAO) in the Municipality of Alangalang, Leyte, Providing its Functions and Appropriating Funds Thereof."* peruse and favorable action.

Kindly acknowledge receipt hereof.

Thank you and More Power!

Very Truly Yours,



**DANI R. DE VEYRA**  
Board Secretary V



# 24<sup>th</sup> SANGGUNIANG BAYAN



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**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ALANGALANG, LEYTE HELD AT THE LEGISLATIVE BUILDING SESSION HALL ON AUGUST 07, 2023.**

**PRESENT:**

- Vice Mayor Mario V. Bague - Presiding Officer
- SB Member Gina Balderamos
- SB Member Ketchie Rex A. Barrantes
- SB Member Claire G. Yu
- SB Member Kenneth Spice M. De Veyra
- SB Member Kent Jefflord C. Guillermo
- SB Member Elmer D. Matobato
- SB Member Sheila Antoni-Rebato
- SB Member Ricardo Neil O. Eusores
- Punong Barangay Milagros E. Salazar -LIGA President
- SB Member Jan Reian Niño C. Saavedra -PPSK President

**ABSENT: NONE**

**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2023-15**

**SPONSOR: HON. GINA BALDERAMOS**  
**CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE ON WOMEN CHILDREN AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**“AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE DISABILITY AFFAIRS OFFICE (PDAO) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ALANGALANG, LEYTE, PROVIDING ITS FUNCTIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF.”**

**WHEREAS,** Section 1 of RA No. 10070 mandates the creation of a Persons with Disability Affairs Office (PDAO) in every province, city and municipality and designation of a focal person who shall perform the functions of the PDAO;

**WHEREAS,** Section 5, Rule IV of the Implementing Rules and Regulations provides that the PDAO shall be established in all province, cities, and first (1<sup>st</sup>), second (2<sup>nd</sup>), and third (3<sup>rd</sup>) class municipalities under the office of the governor, city or municipal mayor respectively.

**WHEREAS,** Section 6, Rules IV provides that the Sangguniang Bayan shall pass an ordinance creating the PDAO organizational structures, staffing pattern and its annual appropriation to carry out its functions;

**WHEREAS,** Section 40 of RA No. 7277 as amended provides that Local Government Units shall promote the establishment of organizations of persons with disabilities (PWDs) in their respective territorial jurisdictions. National agencies and LGU's may enter into joint ventures with organizations and associations of PWD's to explore Livelihood opportunities and other undertaking that shall enhance the health, physical fitness, and the economic and social well-being of PWD's.

**Wherefore,** on motion of Sangguniang Bayan Member Gina Balderamos duly seconded by SB Members Jan Reian Niño C. Saavedra and Milagros E. Salazar be it.

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan in session assembled, that;

- Section 1.** The Person with Disability Affairs Office (PDAO) is hereby created in the Local Government Unit of Alangalang, Leyte under the office of the Municipal Mayor.
- Section 2.** The Local Chief Executive shall appoint a PWD Affairs officer who shall manage and oversee the operations of the office pursuant to it's mandate under RA 10070.
- Section 3.** Functions: PDAO shall perform the following functions as stated in RA No. 10070:
- a) Formulate and implement policies, plans and programs for the promotion of the welfare of persons with disabilities in coordination with concerned national and local government agencies;
  - b) Coordinate and implement the provisions of RA No. 10070, Batas Pambansa Blg. 344, otherwise known as the Accessibility Law, and other relevant laws at the local level;
  - c) Represent persons with disabilities in meetings of local development councils and other special bodies;
  - d) Recommend and enjoin the participation of Non-Government Organization (NGOs) and People's Organization (PO's) in the implementation of all disability-related laws and policies;
  - e) Gather and compile relevant data on persons with disabilities in their localities;
  - f) Disseminate information including, but not limited to programs and activities for persons with disabilities, statistics on persons with disabilities including children with disability, and training and employment opportunities for persons with disabilities;
  - g) Submit reports to the office of their municipal mayor on the implementation of programs and services for the promotion of the welfare of persons with disabilities in their respective areas of jurisdiction;
  - h) Ensure that policies, plans and programs for the promotion of the welfare of persons with disabilities are funded by both the national and local government;
  - i) Monitor fundraising activities being conducted for the benefit of persons with disabilities;
  - j) Seek donations in cash or in kind from local or foreign donors to implement an approved work plan for persons with disabilities, in accordance with existing laws and regulations; and
  - k) Perform such other functions as may be necessary for the promotion and protection of the welfare of persons with disabilities;

**Section 4. Appropriations:**

The Local Government Unit of Alangalang, Leyte shall allocate a substantial budget allocation to cover and operationalize the expenses of the PDAO programs and activities.

**Section 5. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE**

If any provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provision not affected thereby, it shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**Section 6. REPEALING CLAUSE.**

All ordinances, local issuance's or rules inconsistent with the provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**Section 7. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE:**

This ordinance shall take effect upon approval thereof.

**ENACTED**, by the Sangguniang Bayan on August 07, 2023.

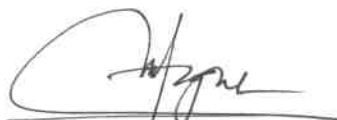
**APPROVED**, by the Mayor on \_\_\_\_\_.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing Municipal Ordinance No. 2023-15.

  
**DANI R. DE VEYRA**  
Board Secretary V


**ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED  
TO BE DULY ENACTED:**



**MARIO V. BAGUE**  
Municipal Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer




**GINA BALDERAMOS**  
SB Member



**KETCHIE REX A. BARRANTES**  
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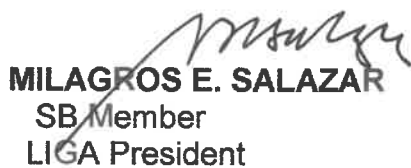
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**JAN RETAN NING C. SAAVEDRA**  
SB Member  
PPSK President

**APPROVED:**



**LOVELL ANNE M. YU-CASTRO**  
Municipal Mayor



**LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT  
ALANGALANG, LEYTE**

**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 15  
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**ENTITLED:**

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**CERTIFICATE OF POSTING**

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

This is to certify the Municipal Ordinance 2023-15 has been posted for three weeks in three public conspicuous places within the municipality and will remain posted for the information of the general public.

  
**DANI R. DE VEYRA**  
Board Secretary V

Attested:

  
**MARIO V. BAGUE**  
Municipal Vice Mayor