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PROVINCIAL LEGAL OFFICE

2nd INDORSEMENT August 22, 2024

Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 24-08 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Inopacan, Leyte.

Issues/concerns for review/recommendation/legal opinion is/are as follows:

 Ordinance No. 24-08 entitled: "An Ordinance Granting Cash Incentives to the Poor but Deserving College Students in the Municipality of Inopacan, Province of Leyte, Providing Funds for Implementations Thereof and for Other Purposes.

REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION/LEGAL OPINION:

This office is of the opinion that the Subject Ordinance is in accordance to its power under Section 447(5)(xi)¹ of the Local Government Code of 1991 (R.A 7160). Hence, recommending for the declaration of its validity.

We hope to have assisted you with this request. Please note that the opinion rendered by this Office are based on facts available and may vary or change when additional facts and documents are presented or changed. This opinion is likewise without prejudice to the opinions rendered by higher and competent authorities and/or the courts.

ATTY. LOSE RAYMUND A. ACOL Asst. Provincial Legal Officer

¹ Section 447(5)(xi) Establish a scholarship fund for poor but deserving students residing with the municipality in schools located within its jurisdiction.

Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF LEYTE Palo, Leyte

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

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1st INDORSEMENT 15 July 2024

The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed ORDINANCE NO. 24-08 of the MUNICIPALITY of INOPACAN, LEYTE, entitled: AN ORDINANCE GRANTING CASH INCENTIVES TO THE POOR BUT DESERVING COLLEGE STUDENTS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF INOPACAN, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, PROVIDING FUNDS FOR IMPLEMENTATIONS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.p

FLORINDA JILL S. WYVICO
Secretary to the Sanggunian



Republic of the Philippines Province of Lepte Municipality of Inopacan



15TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

3 July 2024

Honorable Leonardo Javier Jr. Vice Governor/Presiding Officer Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte Provincial Government Complex

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Thru:

Ms. Florinda Jill S. Uyvico Secretary to the Sanggunian

Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte Provincial Government Complex Campetic, Palo, Leyte

Honorable Javier Jr.:

Forwarding herewith 1 original copy and 15 photocopies of **Ordinance No. 24-08** of the 15th Sangguniang Bayan of the Municipality of Inopacan, Province of Leyte, entitled "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING CASH INCENTIVES TO THE POOR BUT DESERVING COLLEGE STUDENTS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF INOPACAN, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, PROVIDING FUNDS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", for consideration by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte.

Attached herewith is the Certificate of Posting, for reference.

Sincerely,

MELANIE M. MATIN-AO, MPA Secretary to the Sanggunian





(ordinance no. 24-08 of the sangguniang bayan of inopacan, leyte dated july 1, 2024, continued)

ORDINANCE No. 24 - 08

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING CASH INCENTIVES TO THE POOR BUT DESERVING COLLEGE STUDENTS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF INOPACAN, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, PROVIDING FUNDS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

SECTION 1: TITLE. This ordinance shall be known as "The COLLEGE STUDENTS CASH INCENTIVES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF INOPACAN".

SECTION 2: DEFINITION OF TERMS. As used in this ordinance the following terms shall mean & construed as:

- 2.1 CASH INCENTIVES shall mean a monetary value given to incoming college students to motivate them in order to excel in their studies.
- 2.2 POOR BUT DESERVING STUDENTS -shall mean indigent persons whose intellectual capacities are hampered due to financial constraints.

SECTION 3. SCOPE AND COVERAGE-Residing and incoming freshmen college students in this Municipality shall be eligible in this ordinance.

SECTION 4. ELIGIBILITY. The incoming freshmen students are eligible to apply with the following rules and regulations:

- 4.1 Only one (1) honor student shall be selected per National High School;
- 4.2 In case the honor students shall not qualify as their parents have financial capacity to educate them, the next in rank shall be eligible;
- 4.3 The High School Principal in every school shall select one (1) aspirant student that belongs to poor but deserving family:
- 4.4 Among top five (5) aspirants, school principals shall endorse them to the Local Government Unit subject for verification and validation by the task force committee.

SECTION 5. Creation of student's cash incentive committee. The committee shall be created namely:

Chairman:

Municipal Mayor

Vice Chairman:

SB Member, Committee on Education

Members:

Five (5) School Principals or its Authorized Representatives

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Republic of the Philippines Province of Leyte Municipality of Inopacan -000 -



15TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE 15th SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF INOPACAN, LEYTE HELD EXCEPTE OF LEYTE JULY 1, 2024 AT THE SB SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Sanders C. Lumarda -Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer

Hon, Fernando B, Rulete -SB Member Hon. Andrew B. Dedal -SB Member Hon. Zenaida G. de los Santos -SB Member Hon. Joel D. Bernales -SB Member Hon, Alfie Jian B. Yamson -SB Member Hon. Daria D. Malanquis -SB Member Hon. Rowena K. Madrazo -SB Member Hon. Diosdado P. Siao -SB Member

Hon. Panfila I. Alonzo -SB Member (LnB Pres.) Hon. Nathaniel Dave M. Katigbe -SB Member (PSK Pres.)

ABSENT:

None

AUTHOR: Hon. Daria D. Malanguis

CO-AUTHORS: Hon. Diosdado P. Siao

Hon. Zenaida G. de los Santos

Hon. Andrew B. Dedal Hon. Joel D. Bernales

WHEREAS, RA No.4090 also known as the "Providing for State Scholarship for Poor but Deserving Student" is to establish state scholarship for financially disadvantaged but deserving students;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government recognizes the vital role of the youth for nation building, hence aims to provide opportunities to students to pursue higher education;

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary that the Municipal Government enact an ordinance in order to help those poor but deserving students;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Honorable Daria D. Malanguis duly seconded by Honorable Alfie Jian B. Yamson, be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby RESOLVED to enact the following:

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SECTION 6. POLICY. Scholars shall abide the Policies compelled of this Ordinance, to wit:

- 6.1 he/she shall submit a Class card or any proof of evidence every semester that he/she obtains a passing grade;
- 6.2 No replacements shall be made during the period covered where he/she enrolled in the university;
- 6.3 Should the student(s) obtain an incomplete grade or INC, the stipend shall be withheld unless he/she submits a documentary proof showing completion of the requirements necessary to pass the subject.
 - 6.4 He/she shall transfer to another universities or dropped his course.

SECTION 7. IMPLEMENTING AGENCY. The Local Government Unit of Inopacan shall initiate the implementation of this cash incentives ordinance and shall be given to qualified scholars in the amount of five hundred pesos (500.00) per month and be claimed to Municipal Treasurer's Office.

SECTION 8. FORFIETURE. Availment of cash incentives shall be forfeited subject to the following grounds:

- 8.1 He/she shall obtain a failing grade;
- 8.2 He/she shall not comply the policy as stipulated under section 6 of this ordinance;
- 8.3 Found out guilty of any administrative or criminal offense by any government quasi-judicial bodies of courts of justice during his/her college tenure.

SECTION 9. FUNDING REQUIREMENT. The funds to pay shall be chargeable against the Local Government Unit's appropriation. An initial amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (Php 150,000.00) shall be appropriated for the implementation of this ordinance.

SECTION 10. REPEALING CLAUSE. All Ordinances, Resolutions, Order and/or Rules and Regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and modified accordingly.



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(ordinance no. 24-08 of the sangguniang bayan of inopacan, leyte dated july 1, 2024, continued)

SECTION 11. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any sections or provisions of his Ordinance is declared void or unconstitutional the remaining section or provision hereof shall not be affected by such declaration.

SECTION 12. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED this 1st day of July 2024 at Inopacan, Leyte.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance and that the same was enacted on the date above stated.

MELANIE M. MATIN-AO, MPA
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

HON. SANDERS C. LUMARDA

Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

HON. ROGELIO D. PUA, JR.

Municipal Mayor

Date 07-03-2074

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Republic of the Philippines Province of Leyte Municipality of Inopacan



15TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

TO WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that copies of Ordinance No. 24-08 of the 15th Sangguniang Bayan of the Municipality of Inopacan, Province of Leyte, entitled, "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING CASH INCENTIVES TO THE POOR BUT DESERVING COLLEGE STUDENTS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF INOPACAN, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, PROVIDING FUNDS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", has been posted in the bulletin board in the municipal hall/building and in conspicuous places of this Municipality and will be posted as well in all the Barangay Halls of this Municipality.

This Certification is being made to facilitate consideration of the abovementioned Municipal Ordinance by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte.

Done this 3rd day of July 2024, at Inopacan, Leyte.

MELANIE M. MATIN-AO, MPA Secretary to the Sanggunian