

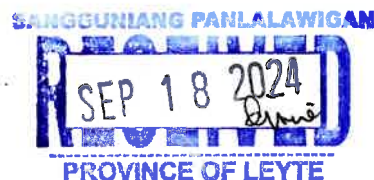


Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF LEYTE

OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR
CARLOS JERICHO L. PETILLA

September 18, 2024

Hon. LEONARDO V. JAVIER, Jr.
Vice-Governor
Province of Leyte



Thru: The Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan Members

Dear Vice-Governor Javier, Jr.:


Respectfully forwarding the herein attached Proposed Ordinances, as follows:

- 1. AN ORDINANCE GRANTING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR CONTINUING AUTHORITY TO PRESCRIBE LOAD LIMITS AND USE THEREOF ON CERTAIN CEMENTED PROVINCIAL ROADS, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, ON A CASE-TO-CASE BASIS AND WHEN THE NEED ARISES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**
- 2. AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A DIGITAL MONITORING SYSTEM ON THE OPERATIONS OF QUARRY, SAND, AND GRAVEL ACTIVITIES IN THE PROVINCE OF LEYTE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

For the Honorable August Body's consideration.

Thank you very much. Mabuhay!

By Authority of the Governor:


CORAZON M. ALVERO
Provincial Administrator



PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE No. _____
Series of 2024

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WHEREAS, the extraction of sand, gravel, and quarry resources is one of the major industries in the Province of Leyte;

WHEREAS, most of the hauling vehicles and other equipment loaded with the said resources either pass through or traverse certain Provincial Roads;

WHEREAS, Eighty-Five percent (85%) of the Provincial Roads are already paved, the rest are still classified as gravel roads;

WHEREAS, the technical design insofar as the thickness is concerned of existing paved provincial roads is either six (6) inches or eight (8) inches only;

WHEREAS, with a such technical design of said roads, it can cater only to light vehicles or equipment;

WHEREAS, most of the hauling vehicles loaded with sand, gravel, or quarry resources passing through or traversing the Provincial Roads are considered heavy vehicles or equipment, thus, adversely affecting the structural capacity and integrity of said roads;

BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED . . . to authorize the Provincial Governor, as it is hereby authorized to promulgate and prescribe certain load limits and the use thereof on certain cemented Provincial Roads, Province of Leyte.

Section 1. *Continuing Authority* - The Provincial Governor is hereby granted continuing authority, to promulgate and prescribe load limit and the use thereof on certain cemented Provincial Roads, Province of Leyte, on a case-to-case basis and when the need arises.

Section 2. *Separability Clause*– If the provision or part thereof is declared to be unconstitutional by a competent court, the unaffected portion shall remain valid and shall continue to have the full force and effect of law.

Section 3. *Repealing Clause*– All Ordinances and other issuances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby amended, modified, or repealed accordingly.

Section 4. *Effectivity* – This Ordinance shall take effect after fifteen (15) days from publication in a newspaper of general circulation.