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**2<sup>nd</sup> INDORSEMENT**

May 4, 2026

Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 26-023 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Burauen, Leyte.

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

- Ordinance No. 26-023 entitled: “ **Ordinance awarding a franchise to Panfilo B. Canaber for the operation of a motorized tricycle-for-hire along the Poblacion Route within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Burauen, Leyte.**”

**REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION/LEGAL OPINION:**

This office opines that the subject Ordinance is, in general, within the legislative authority of the Sangguniang Bayan under Section 447(a)(3)(vi)<sup>1</sup> of the Local Government Code of 1991 (R.A 7160). Hence, we recommend 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 the 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. JOSE RAYMUND A. ACOL**

*Provincial Legal Officer*

<sup>1</sup> (vi) Subject to the guidelines prescribed by the Department of Transportation and Communications, regulate the operation of tricycles and other vehicles and grant franchises for the operation thereof within the territorial jurisdiction of the municipality;

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**1<sup>ST</sup> INDORSEMENT**  
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The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed **Municipal Ordinance No. 26-023** of the **Municipality of Burauen, Leyte**, entitled: **An Ordinance awarding a franchise to Panfilo B. Canaber, Jr for the operation of a motorized tricycle-for-hire along the poblacion (BUTODA) route, Municipality of Burauen, Leyte.**

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



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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

April 29, 2026

THE HONORABLE MEMBERS  
Sangguniang Panlalawigan  
Province of Leyte

ATTENTION: FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO  
Secretary to the Sanggunian  
Province of Leyte  
Palo, Leyte

Ladies/Gentlemen:

We transmit herewith 12 copies of **Municipal Ordinance No. 26-023**, Series of 2026 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Burauen, Leyte, entitled "*An Ordinance Awarding a Franchise to Panfilo B. Canaber, Jr. for the Operation of a Motorized Tricycle-for-Hire Along the Poblacion (BUTODA) Route, Municipality of Burauen, Leyte*", for review and approval of the body.

Thank you and please acknowledge receipt hereof.

Respectfully yours,

  
ATTY. RUDJANE S. TAN  
Secretary to the Sanggunian



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 Municipality of Burauen  
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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 26-023  
 Series of 2025

Sangguniang Panlalawigan  
 Province of Leyte  
**RECEIVED**  
 APR 29 2026  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 By: \_\_\_\_\_

**AN ORDINANCE AWARDING A FRANCHISE TO PANFILO B. CANABER, JR. FOR THE OPERATION OF A MOTORIZED TRICYCLE-FOR-HIRE ALONG THE POBLACION (BUTODA) ROUTE, MUNICIPALITY OF BURAUEN, LEYTE**

WHEREAS, Section 447(a)(3)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, empowers the Sangguniang Bayan to regulate the operation of tricycles-for-hire and grant franchises for their operation within the municipality;

WHEREAS, Mr. Panfilo B. Canaber, Jr. has applied for a franchise to operate a motorized tricycle-for-hire along the Poblacion (BUTODA) route within the Municipality of Burauen, Leyte;

WHEREAS, the Committee on Transportation, Public Utilities, and General Services favorably recommended the granting of the said franchise;

NOW, THEREFORE, upon the motion duly made and seconded, be it enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Burauen, Leyte, in session assembled:

**Section 1. GRANT OF FRANCHISE.** A franchise is hereby granted to MR. PANFILO B. CANABER, JR. to operate one (1) unit of motorized tricycle-for-hire along the Poblacion (BUTODA) route within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Burauen, Leyte.

**Section 2. VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS.** The authorized unit shall have the following specifications:

<b>Make:</b>	RUSI
<b>Engine No.:</b>	RF162FMKCS6002116
<b>Chassis No.:</b>	RFCPCLXJ4SY002116
<b>LTO Plate No.:</b>	H7950V

**Section 3. PERIOD OF FRANCHISE.** The franchise granted herein shall be valid for a period of three (3) years from the approval of this Ordinance, unless sooner revoked or suspended for cause, and may thereafter be renewed upon proper application and compliance with applicable requirements.

**Section 4. COMPLIANCE.** The grantee shall comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the Municipality of Burauen and the Land Transportation Office (LTO), and shall secure the necessary permits and clearances for the continued operation of the franchise.

**Section 5. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All ordinances, resolutions, rules, and regulations, or parts thereof, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

**Section 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** If any provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**Section 7. EFFECTIVITY.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.

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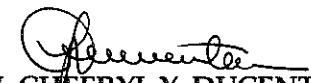
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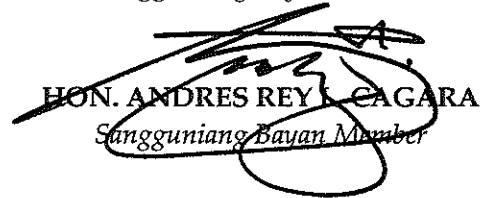
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ENACTED, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026, at the Municipality of Burauen, Leyte, Philippines.

  
ATTY. LEOS S. APOSTOL  
Sangguniang Bayan Member

  
HON. CHEERYL Y. DUCENTES  
Sangguniang Bayan Member

  
HON. SEAN T. CORDERO  
Sangguniang Bayan Member

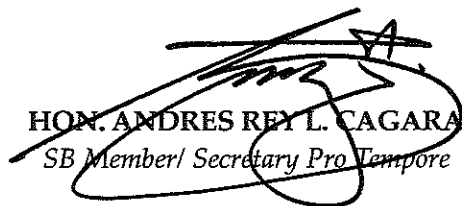
  
HON. ANDRES REY L. CAGARA  
Sangguniang Bayan Member


  
HON. MA. HAZEL E. BELATORRES  
LnB Municipal Chapter President/Ex-Officio  
SB Member


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SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was duly enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Burauen, Leyte during its 28<sup>th</sup> Regular Session held on January 12, 2026, at the Municipal Session Hall.

  
HON. ANDRES REY L. CAGARA  
SB Member/ Secretary Pro Tempore

ATTESTED:  
  
HON. BRYAN R. CINCO  
Acting Vice Mayor/ Presiding Officer

APPROVED:  
  
HON. WARREN V. HERMANO  
Acting Municipal Mayor

01 - 19 - 2026  
Date



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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that **Municipal Ordinance No. 26-023**, Series of 2026 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Burauen, Leyte, entitled, *"An Ordinance Awarding a Franchise to Panfilo B. Canaber, Jr. for the Operation of a Motorized Tricycle-for-Hire Along the Poblacion (BUTODA) Route, Municipality of Burauen, Leyte"*, was enacted on January 12, 2026, and has been posted in two (2) conspicuous and publicly accessible places of the municipality from *January 14, 2026 to February 3, 2026* in compliance with Section 59, paragraph (b) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991".

Burauen, Leyte, February 13, 2026.

  
ATTY. RUDEJANE S. TAN  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*