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Province of Sorsogon
CITY OF SORSOGON



Office of the Sangguniang Panlungsod

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, CABID AN, EAST DISTRICT, SORSOGON CITY ON JULY 19, 2022.

PRESENT:

HON. JO ABEGAIL C. DIONEDA
City Councilor/Temporary Presiding Officer

WEST DISTRICT

Hon. Peter Joseph J. Ravanilla
Hon. Nestor J. Baldon
Hon. Bryan J. Pingul
Hon. Ma. Teresa D. Perdigon

EAST DISTRICT

Hon. Maria Theresa S. Gonzalez
Hon. Lester R. Lubiano
Hon. Mark Jayson D. Jamisola
Hon. Angelu Magda P. Ravanilla

BACON DISTRICT

Hon. Jo Abegail C. Dioneda
Hon. Reynaldo C. Taladtad
Hon. Danilo A. Deladia

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

Hon. Bessie C. Diaz
Hon. Renalene Mae J. Duka

ABSENT:

Hon. Mark Eric C. Dioneda- OIC- City Mayor
Hon. Glenn P. Olbes – on official leave

Resolution No. 055, Series of 2022

(Author: Hon. Nestor J. Baldon)

RESOLUTION OFFICIALLY CREATING THE PEOPLE’S LAW ENFORCEMENT BOARD (PLEB) OF THE CITY OF SORSOGON AND THEREBY RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING MS. MABEL E. MORANO- DILG/LGOO VI TO INITIATE AND ASSIST THE SELECTION AND ELECTION PROCESS FOR THE COMPOSITION OF THE SAME IN CONSONANCE WITH SECTION 43 OF RA 6975 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE “DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT OF 1990”

WHEREAS, the People’s Law Enforcement Board (PLEB) is a disciplinary authority in the Local Government Unit (LGU) wherein private citizens can file against an erring police officer, established by virtue of Republic Act (RA) No. 6975 otherwise known as the DILG Act of 1990, as amended by RA No. 8551;

WHEREAS, it is hereby declared under RA 6975, to be the policy of the State to promote peace and order, ensure public safety and further strengthen local government capability aimed

towards the effective delivery of the basic services to the citizenry through the establishment of a highly efficient and competent police force that is national in scope and civilian in character;

WHEREAS, the State shall bolster a system of coordination and cooperation among the citizenry, local executives and the integrated law enforcement and public safety agencies created under RA 6975;

WHEREAS, the police force shall be organized, trained, equipped and disciplined primarily for the performance of police functions;

WHEREAS, Section 43 of RA 6975 provides that within thirty (30) days from the issuance of the implementing rules and regulations by the Commission, there shall be created by the sangguniang panlungsod/bayan in every city and municipality such number of People's Law Enforcement Boards (PLEBs) as may be necessary: Provided,

- a. That there shall be at least one (1) PLEB for every municipality and for each of the legislative districts in a city.
- b. The PLEB shall have jurisdiction to hear and decide citizen's complaints or cases filed before it against erring officers and members of the PNP.
- c. There shall be at least one (1) PLEB for every five hundred (500) city or municipal police personnel;

WHEREAS, the same law further provides that the composition and term of Office of the PLEB shall be:

- a. Any member of the Sangguniang Panlungsod/Bayan chosen by his respective Sanggunian;
- b. Any Barangay Captain of the city or municipality concerned chosen by the Association of Barangay Captains; and
- c. Three (3) other members who shall be chosen by the Peace and Order Council from among the respected members of the community known for their probity and integrity, one (1) of whom must be a member of the Bar or, in the absence thereof, a college graduate, or the principal of the central elementary school in the locality.
- d. The Chairman of the PLEB shall be elected from among its members. The term of office of the members of the PLEB shall be for a period of two (2) years from assumption of office. Such member shall hold office until his successor shall have been chosen and qualified;

WHEREAS, Section 52 of RA 8551 otherwise known as the Philippine National Police Reform and Reorganizational Act of 1998, amending Section 41 of RA 6975 provides that any complaint by a natural or juridical person against any member of the PNP shall be brought before the following:

- a. Chiefs of police, where the offense is punishable by withholding of privileges, restriction to specified limits, suspension or forfeiture of salary, or any combination thereof, for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days.
- b. Mayors of cities and municipalities, where the offense is punishable by withholding of privileges, restriction to specified limits, suspension or forfeiture of salary, or any combination thereof, for a period of not less than sixteen (16) days but not exceeding thirty (30) days.
- c. People's Law Enforcement Board, as created under Section 43 of RA 6975, where the offense is punishable by withholding of privileges, restriction to specified limits, suspension or forfeiture of salary, or any combination thereof, for a period exceeding thirty (30) days; or by dismissal;

WHEREAS, upon official declaration of the Sangguniang Panlungsod for the creation of the People's Law Enforcement Board (PLEB) of the City of Sorsogon, the former hereby sought the assistance of Ms. Mabel E. Morano-DILG/LGOO VI to initiate the selection and election process for the composition of the same;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of **Hon. Nestor J. Baldon**, duly seconded by **Hon. Ma. Teresa D. Perdigon**, resolve, as it is hereby resolved to officially create the People's Law Enforcement Board (PLEB) of the City of Sorsogon and thereby respectfully requesting Ms. Mabel E. Morano-DILG/LGOO VI to initiate the selection and election process for the composition of the same in consonance with Section 43 of RA 6975 otherwise known as the "Department of the Interior and Local Government Act of 1990".

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to all concerned for their information and guidance.

DATE APPROVED : July 19, 2022

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


ROVAN E. DOMASIAN
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


JO ABEGAIL G. PIONEDA
City Councilor/Temporary Presiding Officer