



Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 63rd REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11th SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF ISABELA HELD AT PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, ILAGAN CITY, ISABELA ON NOVEMBER 14, 2023.

PRESENT:

FAUSTINO G. DY III	Vice-Governor & Presiding Officer
DELFINITO EMMANUEL L. ALBANO	Member (1st District) & Floor Leader
EMMANUEL JOSELITO B. AÑES	Member (1st District)
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VICTOR G. DY	Member (4th District)
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EDWARD S. ISIDRO	Member (5th District)
MARCO PAOLO A. MERIS	Member (6th District)
AMADOR A. GAFFUD, JR.	Member (6th District)
ANTONIO S. HUI	Member, PCL Federation President
DANTE G. HALAMAN	Member, LnB Federation President
DAX PAOLO C. BINAG	Member, SK Federation President
ADRIAN PHILIP S. BAYSAC	Member, Agricultural Workers Sector Representative
LOURDES S. PANGANIBAN	Member, Women's Sectoral Representative
MARGARETTE U. CHIN	Member, Indigenous Cultural Communities Sector Representative
EVYN JAY C. DIAZ	Member, Labor Sector Representative

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-40-06

Series of 2023

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA, A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH SN ABOITIZ POWER-MAGAT, INCORPORATED, FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF REFORESTATION, WATERSHED MANAGEMENT, HEALTH AND/OR ENVIRONMENT ENHANCEMENT FUND (RWMHEEF) AND DEVELOPMENT AND LIVELIHOOD FUND (DLF) INTEREST-BEARING CURRENT ACCOUNTS PURSUANT TO ENERGY REGULATION NO. 1-94 PROGRAM

Sponsor: HON. EDWARD S. ISIDRO

Chairperson, Committee on Power, Energy & Franchising

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Department of Energy's (DOE) Energy Regulations No. 1-94 Program (ER 1-94), the Provincial Government of Isabela (PGI) has been duly identified as one of the Host Beneficiaries in connection with the operation of the Magat Hydroelectric Power Plant, owned and operated by SN Aboitiz Power-Magat, Inc. (SNAP-Magat Inc.);

Nagkaisa para sa Isabela

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WHEREAS, as the Host Province of the Magat Hydroelectric Power Plant, PGI is entitled to receive financial benefits derived from its net electricity sales, to be allocated for specific funds, namely: (1) Reforestation, Watershed Management, Health, Environment Enhancement Fund (RWMHEEF); and (2) Development and Livelihood Fund (DLF);

WHEREAS, in compliance with the Department Circular DC2018-08-0021 of the Department of Energy, a Memorandum of Agreement is required to be executed for the establishment of interest-bearing current accounts in favor of the host Local Government Unit to ensure a systematic remittance of the DLF and RWMHEEF to said accounts;

WHEREAS, the establishment of a Memorandum of Agreement between PGI and SNAP-Magat Inc. is deemed necessary to establish interest-bearing current accounts, and to formalize the terms and conditions governing the allocation and disbursement of funds for the benefit of the Province of Isabela and its constituents;

WHEREAS, under Section 465, (b) (1) (vi) of R. A. No. 7160, the Governor is empowered to represent the Province in all its transactions and sign on its behalf all contracts and such other documents upon the issuance of an authority by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;

WHEREAS, after a careful review, this Body deems it beneficial and advantageous for the Province to grant the Governor the necessary authority to sign the Memorandum of Agreement on behalf of the Provincial Government of Isabela;

WHEREFORE, premises considered, upon motion of the Honorable Edward S. Isidro, duly approved and seconded in a session duly assembled, it was –

RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, TO PASS A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA, A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH SN ABOITIZ POWER-MAGAT, INCORPORATED, FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF REFORESTATION, WATERSHED MANAGEMENT, HEALTH AND/OR ENVIRONMENT ENHANCEMENT FUND (RWMHEEF) AND DEVELOPMENT AND LIVELIHOOD FUND (DLF) INTEREST-BEARING CURRENT ACCOUNTS PURSUANT TO ENERGY REGULATION NO. 1-94 PROGRAM.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Governor, Honorable Rodolfo T. Albano III, for his guidance and information.

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Approved and Adopted, November 14, 2023.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS
of the foregoing Resolution:**


ATTY. FRANCIS JAMES E. MEER
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

ATTESTED/ APPROVED:


FAUSTINO G. DY III
Vice Governor