



Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 71st REGULAR SESSION OF THE 10th SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF ISABELA HELD AT PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, ILAGAN CITY, ISABELA ON MARCH 16, 2021.

PRESENT:

FAUSTINO G. DY III	Vice Governor & Presiding Officer
DELFINITO EMMANUEL L. ALBANO	Member (1 st District) & Floor Leader
EMMANUEL JOSELITO B. AÑES	Member (1 st District)
ED CHRISTIAN S. GO	Member (2 nd District)
EDGAR R. CAPUCHINO	Member (2 nd District)
RAMON JUAN N. REYES, JR.	Member (3 rd District)
RANDOLPH JOSEPH P. ARREOLA	Member (3 rd District)
CLIFFORD R. RASPADO	Member (4 th District)
ABEGAIL V. SABLE	Member (4 th District)
FAUSTINO U. DY IV	Member (5 th District)
EDWARD S. ISIDRO	Member (5 th District)
ALFREDO V. ALILI	Member (6 th District)
MARCO PAOLO A. MERIS	Member (6 th 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 /Industrial Workers Labor Sector Representative
VENUS T. BAUTISTA	Member, Women's Sectoral Representative
GRETCHEN F. VALDEZ	Member, Indigenous Cultural Communities Sector Representative

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-11-05
SERIES OF 2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, HONORABLE RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA A CONTRACT WITH FABERCO LIFE SCIENCES, INC., THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, AND THE NATIONAL TASK FORCE AGAINST COVID-19 FOR THE ACQUISITION OF NVX-COV2373 VACCINE

Sponsor: HON. FAUSTINO U. DY IV
Chairperson, Committee on Finance and Appropriations

Co-Sponsor: HON. EMMANUEL JOSELITO B. AÑES
Chairperson, Committee on Health and Sanitation

WHEREAS, the country is experiencing an unprecedented public health crisis due to the spread and pervasiveness of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, various countries and private entities are engaged in the development of safe and effective vaccines against COVID-19, among which is the Novavax, Inc., a biotechnology company based in Maryland, USA that has developed a vaccine candidate which it named as "NVX-CoV2373";

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WHEREAS, NovaVax has partnered with the Serum Institute of India Private Limited and Serum Life Sciences Limited for the mass production of the NVX-CoV2373 and its immediate availability in the global supply chain;

WHEREAS, Faberco Life Sciences, Inc. is the duly appointed and duly recognized distributor of NVX-CoV2373 in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Isabela, in fulfillment of its mandate to safeguard the health and safety of its people, is eager to conduct mass COVID-19 vaccinations for the immediate resolution of the ongoing pandemic;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Isabela is desirous to obtain doses of NVX-CoV2373 for its local mass COVID-19 vaccination campaign;

WHEREAS, the National Task Force Against COVID-19 (NTF-COVID19) is the lead agency in the implementation of the policies, rules, and regulations issued by the National Government to address and resolve the COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, the acquisition of COVID-19 vaccines and the conduct of COVID-19 vaccinations require the approval of the NTF-COVID19;

WHEREAS, to facilitate the process of acquiring NVX-CoV2373 doses, the Provincial Government of Isabela aspires to enter into an Agreement with the NTF-COVID19, the Department of Health, and Faberco Life Sciences, Inc.;

WHEREAS, presented for consideration of this Honorable Body is the proposed Agreement between the Provincial Government of Isabela, NTF-COVID19, the Department of Health, and Faberco Life Sciences, Inc. for the acquisition of NVX-CoV2373 doses;

WHEREAS, this Honorable Body finds the Agreement to be just, reasonable, lawful, and in line with the campaign of the Provincial Government of Isabela and the National Government to resolve the COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, Section 465, par. VI of the Local Government Code empowers the Provincial Governor to represent the Province in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all contracts and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;

WHEREFORE, premises considered, upon motion of Honorable Faustino U. Dy IV, duly approved and seconded in a session duly assembled, it was –

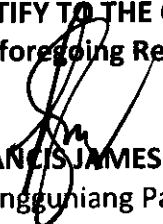
RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, TO PASS A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, HONORABLE RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA A CONTRACT WITH FABERCO LIFE SCIENCES, INC., THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, AND THE NATIONAL TASK FORCE AGAINST COVID-19 FOR THE ACQUISITION OF NVX-COV2373 VACCINE

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

Approved and Adopted. March 16, 2021.

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


ATTY. FRANCIS JAMES E. MEER
Secretary, Sangguniang Panlalawigan

ATTESTED/ APPROVED:


FAUSTINO G. DY III
Provincial Vice-Governor & Presiding Officer