



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Oriental Mindoro  
**MUNICIPALITY OF BULALACAO**

**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

*Municipal Building, Poblacion, Bulalacao, 5214, Oriental Mindoro*

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF BULALACAO, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON OCTOBER 15, 2015 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL

**PRESENT:**

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Hon. German S. Acosta	-	Sang. Bayan Member
Hon. Gideon B. Abuel	-	-do-
Hon. Emelita A. Osorio	-	-do-
Hon. Edwin C. Acheron	-	-do-
Hon. Senen C. Familara	-	-do-
Hon. Dexter R. Gonzales	-	-do-
Hon. Dennes M. Faner	-	-do-
Hon. Ramon G. Magbanua	-	-do-
Hon. Enrico C. Villas	-	Pangulo, Liga ng mga Brgy.
Hon. Tulay M. Caring	-	IPs Representative

**ABSENT:**

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**ORDINANCE NO. 15-10-155**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AFFAIRS OFFICE (PDAO) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BULALACAO, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

**SPONSOR:** Councilor Gideon B. Abuel  
**CHAIRMAN:** Committee on Ordinances and Legal Matters

**"WHEREAS,** Article 13 of the Constitution includes disable persons as one of the priority sectors to be given access to essential goods and services at affordable cost and further provides that the State shall establish a special agency for disable persons for their rehabilitation, self-development and self-reliance and their integration into the mainstream of the society;

**"WHEREAS,** National and Local Government Agencies are directed to implement programs and services to ensure the full participation of PWDs in all aspects of community life thru Republic Act 7277, otherwise known as the Magna Carta for Disabled Persons, and later on amended thru House Bill No. 1214 which provides other privileges and incentives to PWDs;

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**"WHEREAS**, in order to sustain and continuously carry out the task of monitoring, evaluation, data gathering, needs assessment, planning, establishment of production center, creation of jobs opportunities and advocacy in all cities and municipalities; the need for establishing a Persons with Disabilities Affairs Office (PDAO) to serve its structural organization for the implementation of the abovementioned purpose is hereto recommended;

**NOW THEREFORE; BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED; To:** Enact this Ordinance:

**SECTION 1. TITLE.** This Ordinance shall be known as the Persons with Disabilities Affairs Office (PDAO) of the Municipality of Bulalacao, Province of Oriental Mindoro;

**SEC. 2. RECOMMENDED SET-UP.**

- A. There shall be established a Persons with Disabilities Affairs Office (PDAO) which shall be under the umbrella of the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office. The office shall be manned by sufficient number of employees to ensure the delivery of services to the sector. Preference must be given to qualified persons with disabilities and who possess all the qualifications enumerated under Memorandum Circular No. 2010-103. There shall be no discrimination against a qualified disabled person by means of disability in regard to job application procedures, hiring, promotion or discharge of employees, employees compensation, job training and other terms and conditions of employment.
- B. The Local Chief Executive shall assign a Public Services Officer who shall serve as a Focal Person to handle the affairs of the sector.

**SEC. 3. TERM OF OFFICE OF THE PDAO.**

The Head of the PDAO or Focal Person shall have a term of office of three (3) years and shall be reappointed for another term based on the Sanggunian selection process. In case of death, the remaining term shall be served by the new appointee who has undergone the selection process.

**SEC. 4. COMPOSITION.** The Persons with Disabilities Affairs Office (PDAO) shall be composed of the following:

- A. One (1) Public Services Officer;
- B. Two (2) Community Relations Officer;
- C. One (1) Clerk

**SEC. 5. FUNCTIONS OF THE PDAO OR FOCAL PERSON.** The functions of the Public Services Officer are the following:

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- A. Formulate and implement policies, plans and programs for the promotion of the welfare of PWDs in coordination with the concerned national and local government agencies;
- B. Coordinate the implementation of the provisions of RA1 10070, Batas Pambansa Blg. 344, otherwise known as the Accessibility Law, and other relevant laws at the local level;
- C. Represent PWDs in meeting of the local development councils and other special bodies;
- D. Recommend and enjoined the participation of Non-Government Organizations (NGOs) and Peoples Organizations (POs) in the implementation of all disability related laws and policies;
- E. Gather and compute relevant data on PWDs in their localities;
- F. Disseminate informations about programs and activities of PWDs
- G. Submit reports to the Office of the Local Chief Executive in the implementation of programs and services for the promotion of the welfare of PWDs in their respective areas of jurisdiction;
- H. Ensure that policies, plans, programs for the promotion of the welfare of PWDs are funded both by the national and local government;
- I. Monitor fund raising activities being conducted for the benefits of PWDs;
- J. Seek donations to implement approved work plan for PWDs in accordance with existing laws and regulations and perform such other functions as may be necessary for the promotion and protection of the welfare of PWDs.

**SEC. 6. FUNDING.** Section 4 of RA 10070 mandates that LGU shall ensure that the necessary fund is allocated for the establishment of PDAO and that funds thereof shall be included in its annual plan and budget.

**SEC. 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** If for whatever reason any provision of this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional or invalid, the other provisions hereof not so affected shall continue in full force and effect.

**SEC. 8. REPEALING CLAUSE.** This Ordinance shall take effect within fifteen (15) days upon approval and the posting of the full text in at least two (2) conspicuous places.

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ENACTED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015, Bulalacao, Oriental Mindoro.

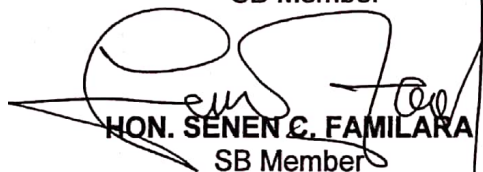
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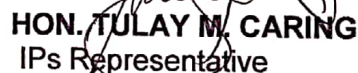
  
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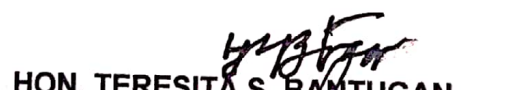
  
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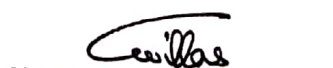
CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

  
PERLITA L. PAZ  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

  
HON. TERESITA S. BANTUGAN  
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APPROVED:

  
HON. EDNA C. VILLAS  
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Date Signed: 11-5-15