

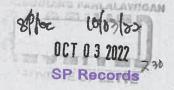
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OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR CARLOS JERICHO L. PETILLA

October 3, 2022



Hon. LEONARDO V. JAVIER, Jr. Vice-Governor Province of Leyte

Attention: FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO Provincial Board Secretary

Dear Vice-Governor Javier, Jr.:

Pursuant to Section 22(c), Chapter II, and Section 465(b)(1)(vi), Chapter III, Article 1 of the Local Government Code of 1991, this Office most respectfully requests the Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan for the issuance of a RESOLUTION authorizing, among others, the Governor and/or the Provincial Administrator to represent the Province in all cases to be filed by Province of Leyte and/or filed against the Province of Leyte, before any court, tribunal, quasi-judicial office, to wit:

- 1.) To initiate and file any case, and represent for and on behalf of the Province of Leyte;
- 2.) Sign the Verification and Certification of Non-Forum Shopping;
- 3.) Appear for and on my behalf of the Province of Leyte, at all stages of the proceedings, including hearings of whatever motions or pending incidents involved in the action;
- 4.) Enter into an amicable settlement or to submit any case to other alternative modes of dispute resolution;
- 5.) Decide for and on behalf of the Province of Leyte, on matters



involving simplification of the issues in the above-mentioned case;

- 4.) Decide for and on my behalf of the Province of Leyte, on matters involving the necessity or desirability of amendments to the pleadings; and other matters, such as:
- 5.) The possibility of obtaining stipulations or admissions of facts to avoid unnecessary proof;
- 6.) The limitation on the number of witnesses;
- 7.) The advisability of a preliminary reference of the issues to a commissioner;
- 8.) Determining the propriety of rendering judgment on the pleadings or summary judgment or of dismissing the action should a valid ground therefore be found to exist;
- 9.) The advisability or necessity of suspending the proceedings; and
- 10.) Such other matters as may aid in the prompt disposition of the action."

Your expeditious consideration of the matter is highly appreciated, as the same is considered urgent.

Thank you very much!

CARLOS JERICHO L. PETILLA Governor

By Authority of the Governor:

CORAZONM. ALVERO Provincial Administrator