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Puerto Princesa City

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 129TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 42ND
SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG
PANLALAWIGAN SESSION HALL ON FEBRUARY 26, 2019,
PUERTO PRINCESA CITY**

PRESENT:

Hon. Victorino Dennis M. Socrates,	Vice Governor & Presiding Officer
Hon. Leoncio N. Ola,	Chairman Pro-Tempore
Hon. Roseller S. Pineda,	Floor Leader
Hon. Winston G. Arzaga,	Assistant Floor Leader – <i>1st District</i>
Hon. Albert G. Rama,	Assistant Floor Leader – <i>3rd District</i>
Hon. David Francis P. Ponce de Leon,	S.P. Member – <i>1st District/Acting Floor Leader</i>
Hon. Cherry Pie B. Acosta,	S.P. Member – <i>1st District</i>
Hon. Marivic H. Roxas,	S.P. Member – <i>2nd District</i>
Hon. Eduardo Modesto V. Rodriguez,	S.P. Member – <i>2nd District</i>
Hon. Sunny G. Batul,	S.P. Member – <i>2nd District</i>
Hon. Joel P. Lumis, Jr.,	S.P. Member – <i>IPM Representative</i>
Hon. Anyatika R. Rodriguez,	S.P. Member – <i>SK Federation President</i>

ABSENT:

Hon. Sharon Abiog-Onda,	Assistant Floor Leader – <i>2nd District</i>
Hon. Dennis M. Sabando,	S.P. Member – <i>ABC President</i>
Hon. Clarito D. Demaala IV,	S.P. Member – <i>PCL President</i>

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PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2091-2019

**ESTABLISHING THE GUIDELINES IN THE IMPLEMENTATION AND
UTILIZATION OF FUNDS OF THE CLIMATE RESILIENT GREEN
GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (CRGGDP)**

Authored by:

ALL MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Palawan (PGP) has worked with the Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI) and the Philippine Climate Change Commission on a series of municipal-level adaptation planning efforts called “Ecotown” project (Phase 2). Ecotown Phase 2 emphasized the incorporation of considerations of climate change adaptation (CCA) and improvement in climate resilience to economic development planning and vice versa;

WHEREAS, Provincial Ordinance No. 1865, series of 2017 “Prescribing the Climate Resilience and Green Growth Framework for the Province of Palawan which refers to a participatory, systematic and objective approach for “Climate-proofing” local development priorities by considering the impacts of climate change; the trend, challenges and opportunities for inclusive and green local economic growth and the implications on the welfare of communities;

WHEREAS, Climate Resilient Green Growth and Development Program (CRGGDP) is anchored and based on current/planned sectoral strategies, provincial development plans, the National Climate Change Action Plan 2011-2028 (NCCAP) the National Strategy for Sustainable Development, and the National Disaster Risk Reduction Management Plan, as practicable. Thus, promotes the concepts of economic development that emphasizes environmental sustainability, and advances social equity goals, while also pursuing climate change adaptation that makes economic development more inclusive and climate resilient;

WHEREAS, CRGG, activities includes among others, capability building (train, equip, organize, provide funding, sustain on mainstreaming disaster risk reduction and management/CCA in development, planning, investment, programming/financing, and project evaluation and development which are among the allowable projects and activities under the Disaster Prevention and Mitigation for LDRRMF allocation (JMC No. 2013-1 dated March 256, 2013);

WHEREAS, JMC No. 2013-1 dated March 24 2013 also provides for the allocation of funds for the conduct of activities to review and integrate DRR and management/CCA to various environmental policies, plans, programs and projects (Section 5.1.4) and to conduct of risk assessment, vulnerability analysis and other science-based technology and methodologies to enhance LGU ecological profile, sectoral studies and mainstream disaster risk reduction and management activities/Climate Change Adaptation (CCA) in Comprehensive Land Use Program (CLUP) and Comprehensive Development Program (CDP);

NOW THEREFORE, upon of the Honorable Roseller S. Pineda and duly seconded:

BE IT ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN IN SESSION:

Section 1. TITLE – This Ordinance shall be known and cited as Provincial Ordinance No. 2091, series of 2019 entitled: **“ESTABLISHING THE GUIDELINES IN THE IMPLEMENTATION AND UTILIZATION OF FUNDS OF THE CLIMATE RESILIENT GREEN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (CRGGDP);**

Section 2. DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM - This Program builds on the GGGI’s green growth definition describing an economic development model that is sustainable from the point of view of environmental protection and remediation, while at the same time promoting job creation, improvements in social equity, and other related objectives. Green growth enhances, green productivity, that is, productivity gains from enhancing efficiency in the use of energy, materials, and other natural capital, green opportunity-opportunities to pursue new green industries, innovation, infrastructure, resilient economies-economies that accrue economic benefits from adapting to ecosystem-related risks, and ecosystem service benefits-the enhancement and/or restoration of the ability of ecosystems to support human and other life, both now and for future generations (GGI, 2015). Climate Resilient Green Growth and Development Program emphasizes in particular the

inclusion of measures and options – which can be combinations of policy changes, technology deployment, environmental modifications, and/or changes in the social and economic patterns-that are designed to increase the extent to which a jurisdiction is resilient to changes in climate and to the impacts and risks inherent in a changing climate;

Section 3. OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAM - Consistent with the PGP’s poverty reduction goal of reducing rural poverty from 56% to 25%, improving household income, promoting sustainable livelihood and promoting the well-being

Section 3. EFFECTIVITY - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

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I CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted Provincial Ordinance.

(SGD)ANGELA RODRIGUEZ-PEÑA
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

(SGD)VICTORINO DENNIS M. SOCRATES
Vice Governor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

(SGD)JOSE CH. ALVAREZ
Governor

March 19, 2019
Date

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