



**COMMITTEE REPORT
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND FISHERIES**

Our committee received a referral concerning the following matter:


Agenda No. 310 - Municipal Ordinance No. 370, series of 2022, passed by the Sangguniang Bayan of Abucay, Bataan, entitled, "AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING, PROMOTING AND DEVELOPING ORGANIC AGRICULTURE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ABUCAY, BATAAN, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFORE, AND FOR THE PURPOSES."

Republic Act 10068 otherwise known as the "Organic Agriculture Act of 2010" provides for the development and promotion of Organic Agriculture in the Philippines. Section 2 thereof states that it is the policy of the State to promote, propagate, further develop and implement the practice of organic agriculture in the Philippines.

Towards this end, the Municipality of Abucay, Bataan shall promote organic agriculture as main agricultural practice in its jurisdiction and shall influence large-scale and monoculture agri-industries to integrate organic agriculture practices in their systems.

The committee after its deliberation held last August 17, 2022 hereby recommends to declare the validity of Agenda No. 310 after rules are suspended.

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