

Sangguniang Panlalawigan

BATAAN CAPITOL, BALANGA CITY



COMMITTEE REPORT COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND FISHERIES

Our committee received a referral concerning the following matter:

Agenda No. 412 – Ordinance No. 27, series of 2022, passed by the Sangguniang Bayan of Hermosa, Bataan, entitled, "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE HERMOSA FISHERY ORDINANCE OF 2019 AND INTRODUCING THE REQUIREMENT OF A FISHING VESSEL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE (FVCC) FOR THE REGISTRATION OF FISHING VESSELS THAT ARE THREE GROSS TONNAGE (3GT) AND BELOW."

The municipality through the Office of the Municipal Agriculturist (OMA) shall maintain a registry of the municipal fisher folk who are actually engaged or desire to engage in the fishery industry as their main source of livelihood for the purpose of determining priorities among them, of listing entry into the municipal waters, and/or monitoring fishing and related activities.

This Ordinance is enacted for the purpose of complying with Executive Order No. 305, Series of 2004, entitled: "DEVOLVING TO MUNICIPAL AND CITY GOVERNMENTS THE REGISTRATION OF FISHING VESSELS THREE (3) GROSS TONNAGE AND BELOW." Thus, pursuant to this Ordinance, the Municipality of Hermosa shall now require applicants to obtain an FVCC from the Fishing Vessel Clearance Office (FVCO) of the Philippine National Police (PNP).

The committee after its deliberation held last October 19, 2022 finds the ordinance passed within the scope of the prescribed powers of the Sangguniang Bayan of Hermosa. We hereby recommend to pass a resolution declaring the validity of Agenda No. 412 after rules are suspended.

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