

Sangguniang Panlalawigan





COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE, HUMAN RIGHTS, AND LEGAL MATTERS

This was referred for review and evaluation of the herein committee, as urgent request, to wit:

Agenda No. 362 - Urgent Request for a resolution affirming the participation of the Province of Bataan in the Philippine Rural Development Projects (PRDP) to finance its proposed projects, to authorize the undersigned, to enter, sign and execute Memoranda of Agreements (MOAs), amended MOAs, Implementation Management Agreements (IMAs) and Enterprise Investment Agreements (EIAs).

The Province of Bataan has been actively participating in the Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP), which supports the government's efforts to reduce poverty among rural communities by providing them equitable access to resources, income, opportunities, support services and rural infrastructure.

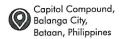
The PRDP is designed to establish the government platform for a modern, climate-smart and market-oriented local government units (LGUs) and the private sector in providing key infrastructure, facilities, technology, and information that will raise incomes, productivity, and competitiveness in the countryside.

The said urgent request was deliberated last regular session, however due to some discrepancies in the language of the request, it was referred to the Committee on Justice, Human Rights, and Legal Matters for further study.

During the conduct of committee meeting on September 21, 2022, it was mentioned that the Provincial Legal Office (PLO) submitted a corrected request letter, revising text in letters f, h, and i of the letter as well as the title of the request. The corrected letter indicates that the PLO has already reviewed and favorably endorses the urgent request. We find the urgent request meritorious and beneficial to the Bataan. Accordingly, the Committee respectfully recommends the approval of Agenda No. 362 upon suspension of the rules in today's session.

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