

Sangguniang Panlalawigan

BATAAN CAPITOL, BALANGA CITY



COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee on Youth and Sports Development

Agenda No. 410- Municipal Ordinance No. 23 Series of 2022 passed by the Sangguniang Bayan of Hermosa, Bataan, entitled, " AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY AND PREVENTION PROGRAM OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HERMOSA."

Adolescent pregnancy undermines the rights to education, health, autonomy and intertwined with issues of human rights. Maternal mortality and morbidity directly impairs a woman's right to life and impair their vital role in nation-building both as women and young Filipinos.

Thus, the Municipality of Hermosa calls for the need to establish a local policy that addresses adolescent's sexual and reproductive health need and reduces the adolescent birth rate significantly through institutionalizing social protection program to ensure corresponding interventions that could respond to the socioeconomic, health and emotional needs of adolescents and youth especially young women.

After conducting a review during our committee meeting held on October 19, 2022, we hereby request to declare the VALIDITY of the Agenda No. 410- Municipal Ordinance No. 23 Series of 2022 passed by the Sangguniang Bayan of Hermosa as it had been passed within the scope of the prescribed powers conferred upon the Sangguniang Bayan.

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