

Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR
Municipality of San Pablo
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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 31ST REGULAR SESSION OF THE 5TH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL ON AUGUST 10, 2005.

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 05-0804

"AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING OF AND/OR CONTINUED SUPPORT TO THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM AND ITS GOVERNING RULES AS SET FORTH IN R. A. 7875, AS AMENDED BY RA 9241, AND ITS REVISED IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS".

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED:

Section I. Title: This ordinance shall be entitled "AN ORDINANCE adopting and/or continued support to the National Health Insurance Program and its governing rules as set forth in RA 7875".

Section II. AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE - Article II, section 15 of the Philippine Constitution, provides that the "State shall protect and promote the right to Health of the people and to instill health consciousness among them," and Article XIII, Section II further states that the State shall adopt an integrated and comprehensive approach to health development which shall endeavor to make essential goods, health, and other social services available to all the people at affordable cost. There shall be priority for the needs of the underprivileged, sick, elderly, disabled, women, and children.

Section III. SCOPE OF APPLICATION - this ordinance shall be adopted by the Municipality in the implementation of the National Health insurance Program.

Section IV. UNDERTAKINGS OF THE MUNICIPALITY

- 4.1** Adoption of and/or continued support to the National Health Insurance Program and its governing rules as set forth in R.A. 7875, as amended by RA 9241, and its Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations. Such support shall include active advocacy for NHIP participation by private and non government organizations within its territorial jurisdictions, mandating compliance to NHIP rules by entities required to obtain LGU permits/licenses, and the setting up of revolving funds for medicines in owned or managed hospitals, as may be warranted under existing rules/guidelines or similar future arrangements and/or NHIP issuance;
- 4.2** Grant of authority to the Mayor to enter into any favorable modification of the Agreement, and
- 4.3** Continuous allocation of funds as the LGU's counterpart subsidy for qualified beneficiaries within its jurisdiction as evidenced by a Certificate of Availability of Funds.

Section V. ENFORCEMENT AGENCY- The Municipal health Office, Sangguniang Bayan and Municipal Treasurer's Office are hereby mandated to strictly enforce this ordinance.

Section VI. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE- Any part of this Ordinance is hereby modified or repealed

Section VII. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE- This ordinance shall take effect after furnishing a copy of this ordinance to the President of the Philippines, Her Excellency GLORIA MACAPAGAL ARROYO and President/Chief Executive Officer of the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, HON. FRANCISCO T. DUQUE III and the Hon. Provincial Governor, HON. AURORA E. CERILLES, for their information and the approval of the application for accreditation of the Rural Health Unit of San Pablo, Zamboanga del Sur to the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation.

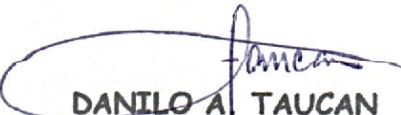
ENACTED AND APPROVED on this 10th day of August, 2005, during the 36th Regular Session of the Honorable Sangguniang Bayan Members of San Pablo, Zamboanga del Sur.

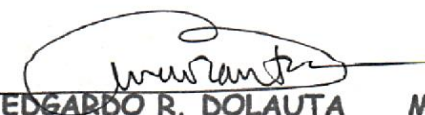
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Certified correct:


MELITA P. SUMBI
Sanggunian Secretary

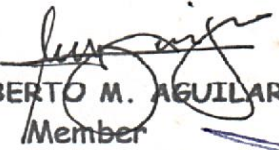
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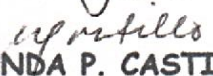

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