Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR

Municipality of San Pablo

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 20TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 6TH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL ON APRIL 9, 2008.

RESOLUTION NO. 280483

WHEREAS, for a few years now, many countries in Asia surrounding the Philippines have been pestered and affected by the Avian Influenza (AI) otherwise known as the Bird Flu Virus:

WHEREAS, the Bird Flu causes severe disease to chickens and ducks which would lead to death in a few days and likewise could be transmitted to humans inflicting illness and eventually death thru direct contact and food intake.

WHEREAS, because of the growing concern of the Bird Flu outbreak and its devastating effects to the poultry industry and the livelihood of the poultry farmers-raisers, all government instrumentalities concern including all law enforcement agencies and the military have been directed to take immediate, necessary and appropriate measures to prevent and control its entry into the country and contain or confine its spread in a particular area should there be an outbreak in any part of the country

WHEREAS, in response to the immanent threat of the Bird Flu virus, the Provincial Government of Zamboanga del Sur had enacted Ordinance no. 017-2006 last August 3, 2006 entitled "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE AVIAN INFLUENZA PREVENTION AND CONROL TASKFORCE OF THE PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR"

WHEREAS in view of the urgency of the matter this august body finding it just and in order, hereby adopt the abovementioned ordinance to give the Local Government Unit of San Pablo legal basis and authority to implement, pursue and prosecute the provisions of the natural and Provincial laws pertaining to the matter.

WHEREFORE, on motion by Hon, Erlinda P. Castillo, duly seconded by Hon. Noel Requillo, be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, Adopting the Provincial Ordinance No. 017-2006, re: "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE AVIAN INFLUENZA PREVENTION AND CONTROL TASKFORCE OF THE PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR".

Let copies of this resolution be furnished to the Hon. Sangguniang Panlalawigan Members, thru the Provincial Secretary, Capitol Building, Pagadian City.

"UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED".

Certified correct:

NELYTA P. SUMBI Sanggunian Secretary

Verified:

ERLINDA P. CASTILLO Acting Floor Leader

Approved:

ORGE R. GONZALES Acting Presiding Officer