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BANGSAMORO TRANSITION AUTHORITY

Resolution No. 46

Introduced by BTA Members
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RESOLUTION

RECOMMENDING THE IMMEDIATE CREATION OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL FISCAL POLICY BOARD AND THE PARTICIPATION OF THE AD HOC COMMITTEE ON THE REVENUE CODE IN ITS DELIBERATIONS

RECALLING that the 1987 Constitution mandates the creation of autonomous regions which shall have specific legislative powers over, among others, the creation of sources of revenue as articulated in Section 20, Article X thereof;

RECOGNIZING that Republic Act No. 11054 otherwise known as the Organic Law for the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (or "BOL") was enacted precisely to implement such constitutional mandate for the Muslim south;

ACKNOWLEDGING that the full implementation of the BOL necessitates, in particular instances, the creation of intergovernmental relations mechanisms to work out the details of the exercise of jurisdiction as defined in Article VI thereof, as some matters need further coordination and elaboration to complete the genuinely autonomous status of the region;

CONSIDERING that the BOL provides for the urgent passage of certain priority legislations, among which is the Bangsamoro Revenue Code;

NOTING that the BTA created several ad hoc committees to fast track the enactment of these priority legislations, among which is the Ad hoc Committee on the Revenue Code which is tasked to draft the Code for submission to the BTA in plenary;

REALIZING that some matters that have their rightful place in the prospective Bangsamoro Revenue Code are still to be decided by the Intergovernmental Fiscal Policy Board as provided in Sections 6(f), 9, 12, 31, 32, 33, 37, and 41 of Article XII of the BOL;

APPRECIATING that the BTA's approval of the Transition Plan sets a tight deadline for the fulfillment of the mandate of the Ad hoc Committee on the Revenue Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved as it is hereby **RESOLVED BY THE BANGSAMORO TRANSITION AUTHORITY** to recommend to the Chief Minister, in the interest of due performance of a legal mandate, the immediate formation of the Intergovernmental Fiscal Policy Board, and the corresponding identification of the officials from the Bangsamoro Government that will sit thereon;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to request the Chief Minister to allow the Chair or a representative of the Ad hoc Committee on the Revenue Code to participate in the deliberations of Intergovernmental Fiscal Policy Board in meetings that will affect provisions that must be included in the Bangsamoro Revenue Code.

Adopted this __th of July 2019 in Cotabato City, Philippines.

Certified Correct:

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Attested:

ATTY. ALI PANGALIAN BALINDONG
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