



Republic of the Philippines
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao
BANGSAMORO TRANSITION AUTHORITY
BARMM Compound, Cotabato City

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

RESOLUTION NO. 53

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AUGMENTATION OF UNEXPENDED PORTION OF THE APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONNEL SERVICES (PS) OF THE DEFUNCT REGIONAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY-AUTONOMOUS REGION IN MUSLIM MINDANAO (RLA-ARMM) TO BE UTILIZED FOR THE PAYMENT OF YEAR-END BONUSES AND CASH GIFT OF THE IMMEDIATE SUPPORT STAFF OF THE MEMBERS OF THE PARLIAMENT

WHEREAS, the funds of the defunct Regional Legislative Assembly-Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (RLA-ARMM) under the 2019 General Appropriations Act (GAA) was transferred to the Bangsamoro Transition Authority (BTA) pursuant to Section 14, Article 16 of Republic Act 11054, otherwise known as the Bangsamoro Organic Law for Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM);

WHEREAS, initially, at the inception of the BTA Parliament, the Department of Budget and Management has allocated an amount of Seven Million, Two Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand, One Hundred Eighty-Two Pesos (P7, 258,182.00), corresponding to the two hundred seventy-three (273) originally proposed positions for immediate support staff of the Members of the Parliament;

WHEREAS, the Members of the Parliament have already filled their immediate support staff, resulting to the increase in the number of positions from the initial 273 to 410 positions, including the Legislative Staff Officers deployed in the different Committees;

WHEREAS, the amount of Seven Million, Two Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand, One Hundred Eighty-Two Pesos (P7, 258,182.00) as allocated by the DBM is not enough to cover the payment of Year-end Bonuses and Cash Gift of the 410 immediate support staff of the Members of the Parliament;

WHEREAS, there is a need to augment the unexpended portion of the appropriation intended for Personnel Services to cover the payment of said bonuses;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to authorize the augmentation of unexpended portion of the appropriation for Personnel Services (PS) of the defunct Regional Legislative Assembly, Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (RLA-ARMM) amounting to Eight Million Four Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Eight Pesos (P8,485,158.00) to be utilized for the payment of year-end bonuses and cash gift of the immediate support staff of the members of the parliament including the newly-hired Legislative Staff Officers deployed in the different Committees.

Adopted, November 29, 2019.

Certified Correct:


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Attested:


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Speaker