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BANGSAMORO TRANSITION AUTHORITY

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RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BANGSAMORO AUTONOMOUS REGION IN MUSLIM MINDANAO (BARMM) THROUGH MINISTRY OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT (MOLE) AND MINISTRY OF INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MILG) TO CREATE A PROGRAM INCREASING THE HAZARD PAY OF GARBAGE COLLECTORS AND STREET SWEEPERS AND PROVIDING THEM PROTECTIVE GEARS AND FREE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

WHEREAS, RA 11054 otherwise known as "Organic Law for the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (OLBARMM)" provides in its Article IX,

Section 8. The Bangsamoro Government shall provide, maintain, and ensure the delivery of basic and responsive health programs to the Bangsamoro people and other inhabitants of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region; and

Section 10. (2nd paragraph, 2nd sentence). The fundamental rights of all workers to security of tenure, humane conditions of work, and a living wage shall be guaranteed.

WHEREAS, RA 11058 otherwise known as "An Act Strengthening Compliance with Occupational Safety and Health Standards (OSHS) and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof" provides that the State shall protect every worker against injury, sickness or death, accidents, dangerous occurrences, and hazards to employees;

WHEREAS, the Bangsamoro Government shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them. It shall also uphold the peoples' right to have access to essential goods health, and other social services that promote their well-being;

WHEREAS, the Bangsamoro Government shall ensure that the basic right to life shall be attainable through the prompt intervention of excellent and affordable medical services;

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Bangsamoro Government to protect its workers and provide them an equitable compensation based on the principle of equal remuneration for men and women workers for work of equal value;

WHEREAS, garbage collectors and street sweepers must be given hazard pay and must be provided with protective gears and free medical assistance because of the nature of their work wherein they deal with garbage and waste;

WHEREAS, the garbage collectors and street sweepers are facing blatant health risk in collecting huge volumes of garbage generated by the households and the litters in every places within the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region;

NOW THEREFORE, be it;

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, to request the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao through Ministry of Labor and Employment (MOLE) and the Ministry of Interior and Local Government (MILG) to create a program increasing the hazard pay of garbage collectors and street sweepers and providing them protective gears and free medical assistance.

Adopted, ______.

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