



**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

**RESOLUTION NO. 286**

**RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SINCERE APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE OF THE BANGSAMORO TO THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT, MOST ESPECIALLY TO PRESIDENT FERDINAND R. MARCOS JR. FOR HIS LEADERSHIP IN PROVIDING TIMELY AND GENEROUS ASSISTANCE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE BANGSAMORO WHO SUFFERED CATASTROPHIC DAMAGE CAUSED BY SEVERE TROPICAL STORM PAENG**

**WHEREAS**, on October 26, 2022, Severe Tropical Storm *Paeng* (international name: Nalgae) made landfall in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM) causing massive destruction, loss of lives, and damage to agriculture and critical infrastructures brought about by flooding, sea surge, and landslides;

**WHEREAS**, based on the data released by the Bangsamoro Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (BDRRMC), at least 570,285 individuals were affected by Severe Tropical Storm *Paeng* including 53 casualties, 12 missing persons, and 38 injured across the region;

**WHEREAS**, storm *Paeng* destroyed 371 houses and partially damaged 480 houses. Damage to infrastructure and agriculture within the region is estimated to cost almost Six-Hundred Million Pesos;

**WHEREAS**, on October 29, 2022, Bangsamoro Chief Minister Ahod Ebrahim declared a state of calamity in the Bangsamoro Region;

**WHEREAS**, due to the complete devastation caused by Severe Tropical Storm *Paeng*, thousands are without access to basic supplies, including food, clean drinking water, and medical equipment, necessitating urgent assistance and response efforts, including procuring, transporting, and distributing emergency relief commodities for the affected population;

**WHEREAS**, on November 1, 2022 President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. together with Department of National Defense Senior Undersecretary Jose Faustino Jr., Special Assistant to the President Sec. Antonio Lagdameo Jr., Department of Social Welfare and Development Office Sec. Erwin Tulfo, Department of Interior and Local Government Sec. Benjamin Abalos Jr., and Senator Robin Padilla, personally came to the Bangsamoro to oversee and provide much-needed collaborative action for disaster relief and disaster management to alleviate the suffering of the typhoon victims;

**WHEREAS**, this proactive initiative and compassion of President Ferdinand Marcos Jr. for the People of the Bangsamoro was instrumental in ensuring that basic goods and relief reached the calamity-stricken areas:


**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it

**RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, To express its most sincere gratitude and appreciation to President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. for his responsive action and assistance in leading the disaster relief efforts in the Bangsamoro Region.

**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, That a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Office of the Philippine President.

**ADOPTED**, *Jumada Al-Awwal* 26, 1444/December 20, 2022.

Certified Correct:



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Speaker

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