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PROPOSED RESOLUTION No. 412

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RESOLUTION URGING THE INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE AND THE JOINT PEACE SECURITY TASK FORCE TO ESTABLISH A JOINT MILITARY STATION AT SITIO NUNAGEN, BARANGAY BLANTING IN TALAYAN, MAGUINDANAO DEL SUR TO ENSURE SAFETY AND TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND ORDER IN THE COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, Section 5 Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that, "The maintenance of peace and order, the protection of life, liberty and property, and promotion of the general welfare are essential for the enjoyment by all the people of the blessing of democracy";

WHEREAS, Section 17, Art XIV of the 1987 Philippine Constitution further provides that, "The State shall recognize, respect, and protect the rights of indigenous cultural communities to preserve and develop their cultures, traditions, and institutions. It shall consider these rights in the formulation of national plans and policies";

WHEREAS, Article 4, Section 9 of the Republic Act No. 11054 or the Bangsamoro Organic Law (BOL) states that "the Bangsamoro Government shall recognize and promote the rights of non-Moro indigenous peoples within the framework of the Constitution and national laws";

WHEREAS, at least 114 Non-Moro ethnic Teduray families in Sitio Nunagen, Barangay Blanting in Talayan, Maguindanao del Sur fled their homes on the night of July 26, 2023 after armed men stormed their village and burned down their tribal worship hall and houses;

WHEREAS, the hapless and unarmed Tedurays in a tribal enclave at the border of Barangays Blanting and Marader in Talayan were temporarily relocated to the hinterland Barangay Biarong in South Upi, Maguindanao del Sur, leaving their livestock and harvestable rice and corn crops behind;

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the high incidence of fires and other crimes involving destruction be prevented to protect and preserve the social, economic and political stability of the Bangsamoro territory;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved, as it is hereby resolved, by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, to urge the Inter-Agency Joint Military Task Force and the Joint Peace Security Task Force to establish a joint military station at Sitio Nunagen, Barangay Blanting in Talayan, Maguindanao del Sur to ensure the safety of the inhabitants, both non-Moro and Moro indigenous peoples alike, and to maintain peace and order in the community.

ADOPTED,

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