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AN ORDER CREATING THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITY AFFAIRS OFFICE (PDAO)
DESIGNATING FOCAL PERSON AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7277, otherwise known as "Magna Carta for Disabled Persons" direct national and local government agencies to implement programs and services to ensure full participation of Persons With Disabilities in all aspects of community life;

WHEREAS, the 14th Congress of the Philippines passed Republic Act No. 10070, entitled "AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INSTITUTIONAL MECHANISM TO ENSURE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PROGRAMS AND SERVICES FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN EVERY PROVINCE, CITY AND MUNICIPALITY, AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7277, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "MAGNA CARTA FOR DISABLED PERSONS," AS AMENDED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES." On April 6, 2010;

NOW THEREFORE, I GERARD ROGER M. ESPINA, Governor of Biliran Province, by virtue of the power vested in me by law do hereby order as follow:

SECTION 1. CREATION OF PDAO, There is hereby created Person with Disability Affairs Office (PDAO) which shall be located at the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office (PSWDO) or at such other place as may determined by the Provincial Governor.

SECTION 2. PDAO FOCAL PERSON. The PDAO shall have a PDAO FOCAL PERSON who shall be designated by the Provincial Governor and shall be under the latter's direct control and supervision. The PDAO focal person shall handle the affairs and perform the functions of the PDAO.

SECTION 3. DESIGNATION OF PDAO FOCAL PERSON MR. VALERIANO B. CALLES/ ADMIN AIDE II is hereby designated as PDAO Focal Person and shall perform the following functions;

- Formulate and Implement policies, plans and programs for the promotion of the welfare of persons with disabilities on coordination with concerned National and Local Government agencies;
- Coordinate and implement the provision of RA No. 10070, Batas Pambansa Blg.344, otherwise known as the Accessibility Law, and other relevant laws at the local level;
- Represent persons with disabilities in meetings of local development
- Submit report to the Provincial Governor of the implementation of programs and services relative to the promotion of the welfare of disabled persons in the Province of Biliran; and

- Perform such other functions as maybe necessary for the promotion and protection of the welfare of persons with disabilities.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVITY. This order shall take effect immediately.

Done in the Province of Biliran this 17th day of August 2022



GERARD ROGER M. ESPINA
Governor