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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 30th REGULAR SESSION OF THE HONORABLE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN, TIGBAUAN, ILOILO HELD AT THE S.B. SESSION HALL, TIGBAUAN MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON JULY 24, 2019 AT 1:37 IN THE AFTERNOON

PRESENT:

HON. NERI T. CAMIÑA	- Acting Vice Mayor (<i>per Office Order No. 2019-03</i>) & Presiding Officer
HON. MARLON R. TERUÑEZ	- S.B. Member & Temporary Presiding Officer
HON. MA. GERRYLIN SANTUYO-CAMPOSAGRADO	- S.B. Member & Temp. Pres. Officer
HON. DENNIS T. VALENCIA	- S.B. Member
HON. SUZETTE MARIE HILADO-BANNO	- S.B. Member
HON. REYNALDO E. TUMABOTABO	- S.B. Member
HON. JULIUS T. LEDESMA	- S.B. Member
HON. NORBERTO T. TURALBA	- S.B. Member
HON. JERRY T. TUARES	- Liga President
HON. DYOSSA MARIE T. TERUÑEZ	- SKMF President

ABSENT:

HON. VIRGILIO T. TERUEL, - Vice Mayor (*Special Priv. Leave*)

Resolution No. 2019-088

RESOLUTION DECLARING AS **LEGAL AND VALID** BARANGAY BUYU-AN, TIGBAUAN, ILOILO ORDINANCE NO. 006-2019 - "*CHILDREN AND YOUTH WELFARE ACT OF BUYU-AN*" PROVIDED THAT IT **COMPLIES WITH SECTION 7(C) OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2017-003 AND SECTION 21, R.A. 9344.**

WHEREAS, the above-mentioned Barangay Ordinance was referred to the S.B. Committee on Rules, Ordinances, Resolutions and Legal Matters for review and recommendation and after careful study, the committee has the following findings, to wit:

The ordinance was presented in a barangay assembly last March 24, 2019 and is consistent with the provisions of Section 391 of the Local Government Code, to wit:

SECTION 391. Powers, Duties and Functions. – (a) The sangguniang barangay, as the legislative body of the barangay, shall:

- (1) *Enact ordinances as may be necessary to discharge the responsibilities conferred upon it by law and ordinance and to promote the general welfare of the inhabitants therein;*
- (24) *Exercise such other powers and perform such duties and functions as maybe prescribed by law or ordinance;*

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WHEREAS, the same is also consistent with SECTION 16 of the LGC which provides that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied there from, as well as powers necessary, appropriate or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance the right of the people to a balanced ecology, encourage and support the development of appropriate and self-reliant scientific and technological capabilities, improve public morals, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants.

WHEREAS, it is a declared state policy under the Philippine Constitution to recognize the vital role of the youth in nation building and to promote their physical, moral, spiritual, intellectual, and social well-being.

WHEREAS, however, this ordinance must comply with:

- Section 7(c) of the Smoking Ordinance of Tigbauan (***Municipal Ordinance No. 2017-003***) to wit:

“Section 7. Persons Liable. — The following persons shall be liable under this Ordinance:

- c. *If the violator is a minor, the enforcer of this Ordinance shall report the incident to the school principal/dean exercising jurisdiction over the minor-offender where he shall be required to comply with disciplinary measures under the school where he/she is enrolled, and/or Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office for the appropriate action or intervention, pursuant to Republic Act 9344. Should the school have no policy for offenses committed by their pupils outside school premises or if the minor is an out-of-school youth, the enforcer shall ensure that the minor is referred to the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office, which may likewise involve the parents or guardians and/or Barangay Official where the minor is a resident”.*

- Section 21, R.A. 9344, “Juvenile Justice Welfare Act of 2006” to wit:

“SEC. 21. Procedure for Taking the Child into Custody. - From the moment a child is taken into custody, the law enforcement officer shall:

- (a) *Explain to the child in simple language and in a dialect that he/she can understand why he/she is being placed under custody and the offense that he/she allegedly committed;*
- (b) *Inform the child of the reason for such custody and advise the child of his/her constitutional rights in a language or dialect understood by him/her;*
- (c) *Properly identify himself/herself and present proper identification to the child;*
- (d) *Refrain from using vulgar or profane words and from sexually harassing or abusing, or making sexual advances on the child in conflict with the law;*
- (e) *Avoid displaying or using any firearm, weapon, handcuffs or other instruments of force or restraint, unless absolutely necessary and only after all other methods of control have been exhausted and have failed;*
- (f) *Refrain from subjecting the child in conflict with the law to greater restraint than is necessary for his/her apprehension;*
- (g) *Avoid violence or unnecessary force;*
- (h) *Determine the age of the child pursuant to Section 7 of this Act;*
- (i) *Immediately but not later than eight (8) hours after apprehension, turn over custody of the child to the Social Welfare and Development Office or other accredited NGOs, and notify the child's apprehension. The social welfare and development officer shall explain to the child and the child's parents/guardians the consequences of the child's act with a view towards counseling and rehabilitation, diversion from the criminal justice system, and reparation, if appropriate;*
- (j) *Take the child immediately to the proper medical and health officer for a thorough physical and mental examination. The examination results shall be kept confidential unless otherwise ordered by the Family Court. Whenever the medical treatment is required, steps shall be immediately undertaken to provide the same;*
- (k) *Ensure that should detention of the child in conflict with the law be necessary, the child shall be secured in quarters separate from that of the opposite sex and adult offenders;*
- (l) *Record the following in the initial investigation:*
 - 1. *Whether handcuffs or other instruments of restraint were used, and if so, the reason for such;*
 - 2. *That the parents or guardian of a child, the DSWD, and the PAO have been informed of the apprehension and the details thereof; and*
 - 3. *The exhaustion of measures to determine the age of a child and the precise details of the physical and medical examination or the failure to submit a child to such examination; and*
- (m) *Ensure that all statements signed by the child during investigation shall be witnessed by the child's parents or guardian, social worker, or legal counsel in attendance who shall affix his/her signature to the said statement.*

A child in conflict with the law shall only be searched by a law enforcement officer of the same gender and shall not be locked up in a detention cell;”

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of HON. MA. GERRYLIN SANTUYO-CAMPOSAGRADO, *Vice Chairperson, Committee on Rules, Ordinances, Resolutions and Legal Matters (under the sponsorship of VICE MAYOR, ATTY. VIRGILIO T. TERUEL Committee Chairman)*, and duly seconded by Hon. Dennis T. Valencia, Hon. Neri T. Camiña, Hon. Suzette Marie Hilado-Banno, Hon. Reynaldo E. Tumabotabo, Hon. Julius T. Ledesma, Hon. Norberto T. Turalba, Hon. Jerry T. Tuares and Hon. Dyossa T. Teruñez,

RESOLVED, to declare as **Legal** and **Valid** Barangay Buyu-an, Tigbauan, Iloilo Ordinance No. 006-2019 - ***“CHILDREN AND YOUTH WELFARE ACT OF BUYU-AN”*** Provided that it **Complies With Section 7(c) of Municipal Ordinance No. 2017-003 and Section 21, R.A. 9344;**

RESOLVED FURTHER, to forward copies of this Resolution to: Mayor Suzette Tenefrancia-Alquisada, Municipal Mayor, this municipality, Office of Liga ng mga Barangay, Brgy. Buyu-an Council and to all concerned for their information.

APPROVED.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

MARLENE TAYO-NAVA
S.B. Secretary

ATTESTED:

MARLON R. TERUÑEZ
SB Member & Temp. Presiding Officer

HON. VIRGILIO T. TERUEL, LAWYER
Municipal Vice Mayor

Sangguniang Bayan Members:

Hon. Dennis T. Valencia	Hon. Suzette Marie Hilado-Banno, <i>M.D.</i>	Hon. Ma. Gerrylin Santuyo-Camposagrado, <i>LLB,MPA</i>
Hon. Neri T. Camiña	Hon. Reynaldo E. Tumabotabo	Hon. Norberto T. Turalba
Hon. Marlon R. Teruñez	Hon. Julius T. Ledesma, <i>O.D.</i>	Hon. Jerry T. Tuares, (LnB-Pres.)- <i>Civil Engineer</i>
		Hon. Dyossa Marie Teruñez (SKMF-Pres.)

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