



THIRD REGULAR SESSION

RESOLUTION NO. 183

RESOLUTION URGING THE BANGSAMORO PARLIAMENT TO CONDUCT CONSULTATIONS WITH THE STAKEHOLDERS OF PETROLEUM DEPOT LOCATED IN PARANG, MAGUINDANAO FOR LEGISLATIVE PURPOSES

WHEREAS, under RA 11054, the Bangsamoro Government recognizes the private sector as a mover of trade, commerce and industry;

WHEREAS, RA 11054 further states that to achieve equity, social justice, and economic development, it shall encourage and support the economic activities and building up of entrepreneurial capability in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region;

WHEREAS, big corporations and companies like the Shell Philippines, Petron Corporation, and Caltex Philippines were established and operating in the coastal area in Parang, Maguindanao. The longest in operation is Caltex Philippines that has served the region for more than two decades;

WHEREAS, these petroleum depots has been the source of fuel oil and gasoline retailers operating in Cotabato City and some areas in the provinces of Maguindanao and Lanao del Sur;

WHEREAS, the presence of these big corporations made a huge investment to the region and also served the fuel needs of service stations, agriculture and industrial users in a comparatively low price;

WHEREAS, these big petroleum companies have stoped operation two years ago thus the escalation of petroleum prices sold by retailing outlets that hauls their supply from Davao City, Digos or General Santos City;

WHEREAS, the absence of these petroleum companies has a significant impact to the transport industry, commerce and industries, private car owners and the Region's economy in general;

WHEREAS, for the above-mentioned concern, it is highly requested that the Parliament conduct a formal inquiry on the status of these petroleum depots located in Parang, Maguindanao:


NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, to urge the Bangsamoro Parliament to conduct consultations with the stakeholders of petroleum depot located in Parang, Maguindanao for legislative purposes.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to forward the foregoing Resolution to the concerned ministries of the BARMM for information and appropriate consideration.

ADOPTED, Rabi ul Awwal 14, 1443/October 21, 2021.

Attested:


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Speaker

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