

Republic of the Philippines Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao BANGSAMORO PARLIAMENT



Bangsamoro Government Center, Cotabato City

THIRD REGULAR SESSION

RESOLUTION NO. 189

RESOLUTION URGING THE MINISTRIES AND OFFICES OF THE BANGSAMORO GOVERNMENT TO UTILIZE THE SERVICES OF BUSINESSES AND ESTABLISHMENTS WITHIN THE BANGSAMORO AUTONOMOUS REGION IN THE CONDUCT OF THEIR CAPACITY-BUILDING ACTIVITIES

WHEREAS, Section 19, Article II of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall develop a self-reliant and independent national economy effectively controlled by Filipinos;

WHEREAS, Section 1, Article XIII of the Bangsamoro Organic Law (BOL) provides that the Bangsamoro Government shall establish an economic system based on the principles and state policies declared in the Constitution. Pursuant to these principles, the Parliament shall enact laws pertaining to the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region economy and patrimony that are responsive to the needs of its people;

WHEREAS, Section 2 of the same Article of the Organic law also states that the Bangsamoro Government shall promote the effective use of economic resources and endeavor to attain economic development that facilitates growth and full employment, human development, and social justice;

WHEREAS, Section 2, Article IV of the same Organic Law provides that in the exercise of its right to self-governance, the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region is free to pursue its political, economic, social, and cultural development as provided for in the Organic Law;

WHEREAS, the ratification of the Bangsamoro Organic Law (BOL), which paved the way for the establishment of the new Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM), happened more than two (2) years ago now;

WHEREAS, the Bangsamoro Transition Authority (BTA), which is the interim government in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region, is mandated to organize the bureaucracy of the Bangsamoro Government during transition, including the approval and implementation of a transition plan, and the institution of a placement process for the hiring of personnel during transition (Section 4, Article XVI, R.A. 11054), was also established and organized in the same year the BOL was ratified;

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provision of the BOL, a transition plan was approved by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority (BTA) Parliament through Resolution No. 12, containing the organizational plan and the schedule of its implementation by the Bangsamoro Government;

WHEREAS, in 2019, the Bangsamoro Government launched a job portal to give equal opportunity for all individuals seeking to be employed in the regional government;

WHEREAS, following the hiring process of the different ministries and offices of the Bangsamoro Government is the conduct of of capacity-building activities or trainings for the newly hired personnel to make them well-equipped and to enhance their competencies to be more effective in their delivery of public service;

WHEREAS, the Civil Service Commission (CSC) is the premiere human resource institution of the Philippine Government mandated by the Constitution to establish a career service, adopt measures to promote morale, efficiency, integrity, responsiveness, and courtesy in the civil service, strengthen the merit and rewards system, integrate all human resource development programs for all levels and ranks, and institutionalize a management climate conducive to public accountability;

WHEREAS, in order to contribute to the upturning of the Bangsamoro region's economic activities, the Bangsamoro Government ministries and offices must consider conducting their capacity-building activities within the Bangsamoro region. Increasing economic activities will help uplift the regional economy of the Bangsamoro;

WHEREAS, travelling outside the BARMM especially during the pandemic is too risky, dangerous, and costly;

WHEREAS, there are numbers of hotel, restaurant, and resort businesses that are operating in the region that are offering good services, which the Bangsamoro ministries and offices can choose from to be the venues of their meetings, trainings, and other similar activities;

WHEREAS, the business operations in the region have been unfavorably affected by the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, thus patronizing their products and services that conform with the quality standards and other requirements set forth by the ministries and offices is a significant way that the Bangsamoro Government can help these businesses bounce back:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, to urge the ministries and offices of the Bangsamoro Government to utilize the services of businesses and establishments within the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in the conduct of their capacity-building activities.

ADOPTED, Rabi Al-akhir 13, 1443/November 18, 2021.

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