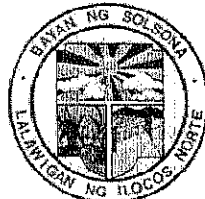


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EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 22ND OUTDOOR AND 71ST REGULAR SESSION OF THE 8TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SOLSONA, ILOCOS NORTE HELD IN BARANGAY SAN JULIAN SESSION HALL ON APRIL 30, 2012 AT NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

PRESENT:

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| Hon. Jonathan L. de Lara, | Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer, |
| Hon. Edison E. de Lara, | Member, |
| Hon. Ismael L. Agulay, | Member, |
| Hon. Dixie C. Miguel, | Member, |
| Hon. Jose A. Martin, | Member, |
| Hon. Francis Gerald L. Ganotisi, | Member, |
| Hon. Mimi Vicente- Pulicay, | Member, |
| Hon. Lorenzo M. Pascua, | Member. |

ABSENT:

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| Hon. Marcelino M. Quitoras, Jr., | Member, |
| Hon. Jovencio M. Pascua, | ABC President/Member, |
| Hon. Claudette Abigail B. de Lara, | SKPresident/Member, OnVacation Leave |

ALSO PRESENT:

The Barangay Officials of Barangay San Julian .

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2012 – 591

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A PHILHEALTH CAPITATION FUND FROM THE PROCEEDS OF THE OUTPATIENT BENEFIT PACKAGE TO BE PROVIDED BY THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (PhilHealth) FOR LGU IDENTIFIED FAMILIES OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOLSONA, ILOCOS NORTE THROUGH THE PARTIAL SUBSIDY SCHEME OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (NHIP).

WHEREAS, the Philippine Constitution declares as a State policy to provide its territorial and political subdivisions genuine and meaningful local autonomy to enable them to attain their fullest development as self-reliant communities and as effective partners in the attainment of national goals.

WHEREAS, the State likewise declares that the vesting of duly, responsibility and accountability in local government units (LGUs) shall be accompanied with provisions for reasonably adequate resources to effectively carry out their functions.

WHEREAS, in pursuit of these constitutional mandates, Congress has enacted Republic Act No.7875, as amended by 9241, for the implementation of the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP).

WHEREAS, recognizing the priority of **HIS EXCELLENCY BENIGNO S. AQUINO, III**, to ensure that all Filipinos shall have access to health care services through universal health care in three years or less.

WHEREAS, this priority program is aimed at *“setting into motion a meaningful health care financing and delivery mechanism anchored on local government autonomy and the national health”*.

WHEREAS, the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) provides as mechanism for indigents who are proposed to be controlled by the LGU or premium donor/s but do not qualify for full premium subsidy under the existing means test rule of PhilHealth to gain financial access to medical services in all NHIP accredited providers;

WHEREAS, the Body, considering the benefit features of RA 7875 as it will vastly improve the over-all health status of the population and ultimately, their general quality of life and rationalize the Municipal Government's expenditure for health, collectively agreed to adopt the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) of the National Government;

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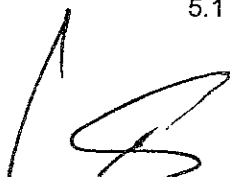
WHEREAS, the creation of a PhilHealth Capitation Fund (PCF) is necessary to attain the purpose and objective of the Indigent Program;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Dixie C. Miguel, duly seconded by Hon. Ismael L. Agulay, be it

ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang Bayan of Solsona, Ilocos Norte in session assembled, that:

SECTION 1 - the use, management and disposition of the PhilHealth Capitation Fund shall be governed by the following rules:

1. The capitation amount shall be released on a quarterly basis by the Corporation under the following conditions:
 - 1.1 The initial release shall be made on the first week of the first month of the applicable quarter subject to prior accreditation of the Rural Health Unit and the payment of premium contribution by the Municipality; and
 - 1.2 On the third week of the first month of succeeding quarters upon submission of required reports, subject to the prior payment of premiums in case of quarterly mode of premium payment.
2. The disposition of the PCF shall be governed by the following rules:
 - 2.1 The disbursement and liquidation of the PCF shall be in accordance with pertinent government accounting and auditing rules and regulations;
 - 2.2 A separate book of accounts shall be maintained by the local government unit; and
 - 2.3 Only drugs listed in the Primary Medical Care Drugs of the Philippine National Drug Formulary, medical supplies and equipment necessary to carry out the delivery of the required services including referral fees enumerated under Article V hereof and administrative cost not to exceed twenty percent (20%) of the PCF may be charged to the fund. The twenty percent administrative cost shall be divided among personnel directly involved in the implementation Philhealth OPB in the municipality, fifty percent (50%) of which shall accrue to the physician/s while the remaining fifty percent (50%) to the other personnel mentioned.
3. The Corporation may withhold the release of the subsequent quarterly PCFs due to any of the following:
 - 3.1 Delay or non-payment of premium contribution;
 - 3.2 Violation of government accounting and auditing rules and regulations on the disbursement and liquidation of the PCF; and
 - 3.3 Non-submission of the required reports under subsection 1.1 hereof.
4. The capitation amount shall be released on a quarterly basis by the Corporation under the following conditions:
 - 4.1 The initial release shall be made on the first week of the first month of the applicable quarter subject to prior accreditation of the Rural Health Unit and the payment of premium contribution by the Municipality; and
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6. The Corporation may withhold the release of the subsequent quarterly PCFs due to any of the following:
- 6.1 Delay or non-payment of premium contribution;
 - 6.2 Violation of government accounting and auditing rules and regulations on the disbursement and liquidation of the PCF; and
 - 6.3 Non-submission of the required reports under subsection 1.1 hereof.

SECTION 2 - the Sangguniang Bayan of the Municipality of Solsona, Ilocos Norte will authorize the **HONORABLE MAYOR JOSEPH E. DE LARA** to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, represented by the President, Dr. Rey B. Aquino, in accordance with the rules set forth under this Resolution.

SECTION 3 - This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval;

Copies of this Municipal Ordinance shall be forwarded to the President of the Republic of the Philippines, **HIS EXCELLENCY BENIGNO S. AQUINO, III**, Malacañang Palace, Manila, the President and Chief Executive President of the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, **DR. EDUARDO P. BANZON** and the **Sangguniang Panlalawigan**, Laoag City for their information and appropriate action;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY, with the following votes:

Infavor - Hons. E. de Lara, Agulay, Miguel, Martin, Ganotisi, Pulicay, L. Pascua;

Against - None.

CERTIFIED TRUE & CORRECT:


GLORIA S. ESPIRITU
Administrative Assistant II

ATTESTED:


HON. JONATHAN L. DE LARA
Vice Mayor/ Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


HON. JOSEPH E. DE LARA
Municipal Mayor
Date MAY 09 2012

