

**REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
BATANGAS CITY**

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL SESSION HELD BY THE
MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BATANGAS CITY
ON APRIL 7, 2020 THROUGH ZOOM APPLICATION**

PRESENT:

Hon. Emilio Francisco A. Berberabe Jr.,	Presiding Officer
Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz,	Councilor
Hon. Aileen Grace A. Montalbo,	“
Hon. Nestor E. Dimacuha,	“
Hon. Karlos Emmanjuel A. Buted,	“
Hon. Gerardo A. Dela Roca,	“
Hon. Oliver Z. Macatangay,	“
Hon. Nelson J. Chavez,	“
Hon. Julian B. Villena,	“
Hon. Isidra M. Atienza,	“
Hon. Maria Aleth A. Lazarte,	“
Hon. Lorenzo A. Gamboa, Jr.,	“
Hon. Angelito Dondon A. Dimacuha,	ABC-Rep.
Hon. Marjorie A. Manalo,	SK-Fed. Pres

“On motion of Councilor Lazarte duly seconded, the following Resolution was Adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 120 S. 2020

**RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING ALL PRIVATE ESTABLISHMENTS IN BATANGAS
CITY THAT HAVE IMPLEMENTED FLEXIBLE WORK ARRANGEMENTS OR
TEMPORARY CLOSURE TO AVAIL DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND
EMPLOYMENT (DOLE) COVID-19 ADJUSTMENT MEASURES PROGRAM (CAMP)
GRANTING ONE-TIME FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE OF FIVE THOUSAND PESOS
(PhP 5,000.00) TO AFFECTED WORKERS PURSUANT TO DOLE DEPARTMENT
ORDER NO. 209 SERIES OF 2020**

WHEREAS, by virtue of Department Order No. 209 Series of 2020, the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) promulgates guidelines on the implementation of the COVID-19 Adjustment Measures Program (CAMP), pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 922 Series of 2020 declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines due to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 pandemic and its impact on the country's economy;

WHEREAS, the CAMP, which took effect on March 2020, is a safety net program that offers Financial Support and Employment Facilitation to affected workers in affected establishments;

WHEREAS, the Financial Support component of CAMP provides a one-time financial assistance equivalent to PhP 5,000.00 to affected workers in lump sum, non-conditional, regardless of employment status, while the Employment Facilitation component of CAMP provides affected workers access to available job opportunities suitable to their qualifications through job matching, referral and placement services either for local or overseas employment, employment coaching, and labor market information;

Continuation of Resolution No. 120 S. 2020

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WHEREAS, according to Department Order No. 209 Series of 2020, affected establishments are private establishments that have implemented flexible work arrangements as defined under DOLE Labor Advisory No. 09 Series of 2020 (i.e. reduction of workhours/workdays, rotation of workers, forced leave) or temporary closure as mitigating measures due to the COVID-19 pandemic,;

WHEREAS, under DOLE Labor Advisory No. 12 Series of 2020, affected workers are those workers, regardless of status (i.e. permanent, probationary, or contractual), employed in private establishments whose operations are affected due to the COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, since there are establishments that refuse to submit their report along with the payroll to the detriment of their workers, DOLE Secretary Silvestre H. Bello III, in his April 1, 2020 official statement, appealed again to companies, for the sake of their employees and workers, to submit reports so that DOLE may be able to extend them their most needed assistance under the CAMP;

WHEREAS, in a News Release dated April 5, 2020, DOLE stated that it hopes to aid more than 350,000 formal and informal sector workers by the middle of the month utilizing over Php 1.5 billion in assistance funds under CAMP and TUPAD, respectively;

WHEREAS, availment of CAMP financial assistance by affected establishments in Batangas City pursuant to DOLE Department Order No. 209 Series of 2020 is urgently needed to mitigate the adverse economic impacts of the enhanced community quarantine, and to help the formal sector workers and their families survive the COVID-19 pandemic;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves to encourage all private establishments in Batangas City that have implemented flexible work arrangements or temporary closure to avail Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) COVID-19 Adjustment Measures Program (CAMP) granting One-time Financial Assistance of Five Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00) to affected workers pursuant to DOLE Department Order No. 209 Series of 2020.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copy of this Resolution be furnished to all private business establishments in Batangas City, for their information and appropriate action.


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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 120 S.2020 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City during its Special Session held on April 7, 2020.

ATTESTED:


EMILIO FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE JR.
Presiding Officer