Republic of the Philippines REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

MIMAROPA Region Calapan City

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 1st QUARTER RDC FULL COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON MARCH 5, 2021 THROUGH VIDEOCONFERECING

RDC Resolution No. 2021-074-987

APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE GUIDELINES ON THE CERTIFICATION OF THE REGIONAL POOL OF GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT RESOURCE PERSONS

WHEREAS, the Regional Development Council (RDC), during its first quarter meeting on March 6, 2020, in Pasay City, passed RDC Resolution No. 2020-070-828, approving the Regional Gender and Development Committee (RGADC) Strategic Plan 2020-2025 which contains the RGADC vision and mission for the region, challenges of the committee in fulfilling the functions as the regional arm in mainstreaming GAD in the region, and annual priority activities to be implemented by the committee;

WHEREAS, to better guide the committee in accomplishing its Strategic Plan 2020-2025, PCW and RGADC formulated the RGADC work plan for 2020, which detailed the major activities of the committee for the said year;

WHEREAS, one of the activities specified in the strategic plan and work plan is the formulation of the certification guidelines for the MIMAROPA pool of experts on GAD, which shall address issues on the limited number of GAD experts in the region;

WHERES, during the 4th quarter Social Development Committee (SDC) and RGADC joint meeting held on November 8, 2019, at Ermita, Manila, PCW presented the framework of regional guidelines on the certification of GAD resource pool that served as guide and reference of the MIMAROPA RGADC in crafting its own guidelines;

WHEREAS, during the RGADC Technical Working Group (TWG) meeting held on October 9, 2020, the Department of Education (DepEd) MIMAROPA was assigned to draft the guidelines on the certification of the Regional Pool of GAD Resource Persons (RPGRP) for the region;

WHEREAS, on December 1, 2020, RGADC TWG discussed the comments on the draft guidelines prepared by DepEd MIMAROPA and finalized the guidelines;

WHEREAS, the guidelines specify the processes of application, shortlisting, and certification of GAD resource persons, which also include the terms of reference, GAD technical assistance referral process, and the roles of the RGADC and PCW in the accreditation of GAD pool of experts;

WHEREAS, the RGADC MIMAROPA, during its first quarter joint meeting with the SDC on February 5, 2021, reviewed and recommended RDC approval and adoption of the guidelines.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, to approve and adopt the guidelines on the certification of the regional pool of gender and development resource persons.

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