



**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 13<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 9<sup>th</sup> SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD AT THE CAMILO A. PEPITO SESSION HALL IN THE NEW LEGISLATIVE BUILDING, CULION, PALAWAN ON SEPTEMBER 30, 2019**

<b>PRESENT:</b>	<b>Hon. Alister S. Leyson</b>	<b>Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding</b>
	<b>Hon. Cecilia C. Cunanan</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Leonilo R. Sarmiento</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Jovel Marvie A. Balleca</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Alejandro G. Astor</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Felford G. Solas</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Warnell F. Dayandante</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Haydee M. Fonte</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Rodel D. Nacachi</b>	<b>LNB President/Ex-Officio Member</b>
<b>ABSENT:</b>	<b>Hon. Ronald H. Alcantara</b>	<b>Sanggunian Member</b>
	<b>Hon. Aljon P. Daco</b>	<b>SKMF President/Ex-Officio Member</b>

**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2019-110**

**ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 6(a) OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2017-062 ENTITLED "ORDINANCE PRESCRIBING RULES AND REGULATIONS ON THE ESTABLISHMENT, FRANCHISING, LICENSING, OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF COCKPITS AND COCKFIGHTING IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CULION, PALAWAN" TO CONFORM WITH SECTION 5(d) OF P.D. NO. 449 OR THE COCKFIGHTING LAW OF 1974**

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**WHEREAS**, in its 31<sup>st</sup> regular session held on February 6, 2017, the 8<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Bayan of Culion, Palawan enacted Municipal Ordinance No. 2017-062 prescribing rules and regulations on the establishment, franchising, licensing, operations and maintenance of cockpits and cockfighting in the municipality of Culion, Palawan;

**WHEREAS**, Section 6 of the aforesaid ordinance provides for the place and time of holding cockfights in which subsection(a) thereof states that regular cockfights shall be held only in licensed cockpits during Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays except Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Philippine Independence Day, National Heroes Day – December 30, Election/Referendum Day, and Registration Day on such Election/Referendum;

**WHEREAS**, Section 5(d) of P.D. No. 449 or the Cockfighting Law of 1974 mandates that cockfights shall be allowed only in licensed cockpits during Sundays and legal holidays;

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**WHEREAS**, there is, thus, the imperative need to amend Section 6(a) of Municipal Ordinance No. 2017-062 to conform with the section mentioned in the immediately preceding clause;

**WHEREFORE**, be it enacted by the 9<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Bayan of Culion, Palawan in session assembled: **THAT**:

*Section 1. Title.* This ordinance shall be entitled and known as "Ordinance prescribing rules and regulations on the establishment, franchising, licensing, operations and maintenance of cockpits and cockfighting in the municipality of Culion, Palawan to conform with Section 5(d) of P.D. No. 449 or the Cockfighting Law of 1974.

*Section 2. Amendment.* Section 6(a) of Municipal Ordinance No. 2017-062 is hereby amended to read now as follows: "Section 6(a). Regular cockfights shall be held only in licensed cockpits during Sundays and legal holidays except Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Philippine Independence Day, National Heroes Day – December 30, Election/Referendum Day, and Registration Day on such Election/Referendum".

*Section 3. Separability Clause.* Any provision of this ordinance which is declared null and void by any competent authority shall not affect the other provisions thereof that are not declared invalid.


*Section 4. Repealing Clause.* Any rules and regulation inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, revoked, amended, or modified accordingly.

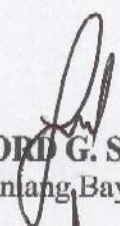
*Section 5. Effectivity.* This ordinance shall take effect upon compliance with the mandatory posting requirements prescribed under R.A. No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

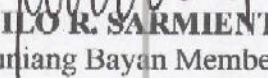
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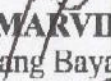
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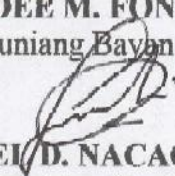
  
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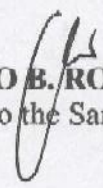
  
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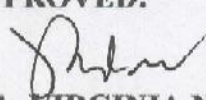
I hereby certify to the correctness of the aforequoted ordinance.

  
**HONESTO B. ROSELLO**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

**ATTESTED:**

  
**ALISTER S. LEYSON**  
Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding

**APPROVED:**

  
**MA. VIRGINIA N. DE VERA**  
Municipal Mayor

Date: Oct. 18, 2019

*(Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam)*

