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“CREATING/CONSTITUTING THE CITY COMMITTEE ON ANTI-TRAFFICKING AND VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (LCAT-VAWC) OF THE CITY OF ALAMINOS, PANGASINAN”

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9208 declares that the State shall give highest priority to the enactment of measures and development of programs that will promote human dignity, protect the people from violence and exploitation, eliminate trafficking in persons, and mitigate pressures for involuntary migration and servitude of persons to ensure their recovery, rehabilitation, and reintegration;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 9262, underscores the commitment of the State on safeguarding the dignity of women and children while guaranteeing full respect on their human rights and to protect them from violence and threats to their personal safety and security;

WHEREAS, the Inter-Agency Councils (IACs) for trafficking and VAWC were organized at the national level to address human trafficking and VAWC which serve as the coordinating and monitoring bodies on anti-VAWC and trafficking initiatives;

WHEREAS, there is a need to establish functional and parallel structure and system at the local level which will monitor and oversee implementation of the provisions of RAs 9208 and 9262 and other women/VAW-related laws and policies;

NOW THEREFORE, I, ARTHUR F. CELESTE, City Mayor of the City of Alaminos, Pangasinan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby create/constitute the CITY COMMITTEE ON ANTI-TRAFFICKING AND VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (LCAT-VAWC), this city, as follows:

Section 1: COMPOSITION

The LCAT-VAWC shall be composed of the following:

- Chairman:
City Mayor - HON. ARTHUR F. CELESTE
- Members:
 - City Planning and Development Coordinator - ENGR. ROEL T. AÑONUEVO
 - City Social Welfare and Development Officer - MRS. IMELDA M. RUIZ
 - City Health Officer - DR. MA. VICTORIA O. CARAMBAS
 - Chairperson of the Committee on Women, Children and Family, Sangguniang Panlungsod - HON. JAN MARIONNE R.FONTELARA
 - Vice-Chairperson of the Committee on Women, Children and Family, Sangguniang Panlungsod - HON. RUFINA J. GABRIEL
 - City Public Employment Services Officer - MR. NEHEMIAS R. RACHO
 - DOJ City Prosecutor-OIC - ATTY. CRISTOBAL CAALAMAN
 - City Local Government Operations Officer - DOMICIANO N. SORIANO, JR.
 - City Chief of Police - P/SUPT. ROBERTO M. VOCAL
 - NGO Representatives - MRS. ROSALINA HISANAN (KALIPI)
 - Women -

**Section 2. FUNCTIONS OF THE CITY COMMITTEE ON ANTI-TRAFFICKING AND
VAWC**

The LCAT-VAWC shall exercise the following functions:

1. Institute policies and programs to protect women and children who are victims of trafficking and violence; formulate local ordinances
2. Create and establish systems on surveillance, investigation and rescue effective and efficient coordination.
3. Undertake information, education and advocacy campaign against trafficking in persons and VAWC.
4. Monitor and oversee the strict implementation of R.A 9262 and other related laws for the protection of women and their children and IACAT and IACVWC national plans of action.
5. Implement the programs and activities as stated in the national plans of action.

In addition to the above mentioned functions, the City Committee shall implement the program and activities as stated in the national plan of action.

Section 3. DESIGNATION OF THE CO-CHAIRPERSON OF THE LCAT-VAWC

City Councilor **RUFINA J. GABRIEL** is hereby designated co-chairperson of the LCAT-VAWC.

Section 4. LCAT-VAWC SECRETARIAT

The Secretariat of the LCAT-VAWC shall be the City Social Welfare and Development Office headed by **MRS. IMELDA M. RUIZ**.

Section 5. EFFECTIVITY

This executive order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 24th day of October 2013 at the City of Alaminos, Pangasinan.



HON. ARTHUR F. CELESTE
City Mayor