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RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CREATION OF THE REGIONAL NUTRITION COMMITTEE OF THE BANGSAMORO AUTONOMOUS REGION IN MUSLIM MINDANAO UNDER THE SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE OF THE BEDC

WHEREAS, the National Nutrition Council (NNC) was created by Presidential Decree No. 491 in 1974 as the country's highest policy-making and coordinating body on nutrition, and was reorganized through Executive Order No. 234 in 1987, Administrative Order No. 88 in 1988, and Executive Order No. 472 in 2005;

WHEREAS, to carry out its mandate, the NNC has a Governing Board chaired by the Secretary of the Department of Health with the following members:

1. Secretary of the Department of Agriculture,
2. Secretary of the Department of the Interior and Local Government
3. Secretary of the Department of Education
4. Secretary of the Department of Social Welfare and Development,
5. Secretary of the Department of Trade and Industry,
6. Secretary of the Department of Science and Technology,
7. Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management, and
8. National Economic and Development Authority, and
9. three (3) representatives from the private sector appointed by the President for a two-year term with possible reappointment.

WHEREAS, in 2013, the Regional Nutrition Committee (RNC) was established by the ARMM Regional Government;

WHEREAS, in view of the passage and ratification of Republic Act No. 11054, it is imperative to create a Regional Nutrition Committee in the BARMM under the Social Development Committee (SDCom);

WHEREAS, during the first regular meeting of the Social Development Committee held on February 8, 2021, the Committee passed a resolution requesting the BEDC to create the Regional Nutrition Committee under the SDCom;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to create the Regional Nutrition Committee for BARMM as one of the Sub Committees of the Bangsamoro Social Development Committee with the following composition, powers and functions.

Section 1. Composition. The Regional Nutrition Committee shall be composed of the following:

- Chairperson : Office of the Senior Minister
- Vice Chairperson: Ministry of Health (MOH) for Health and Nutrition Cluster;
Ministry of the Interior and Local Government (MILG) for Local Governance Cluster;
Ministry of Basic, Higher and Technical Education (MBHTE) for Education, Information and Advocacy Cluster;
Ministry of Social Services and Development (MSSD) for Social Services Cluster;
Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries, and Agrarian Reform (MAFAR) for Food Security Cluster;
Ministry of Labor and Employment (MOLE) for Livelihood Cluster; and
Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST) for Research and Development Cluster
- Members : Ministry of Public Works (MPW);
Ministry of Trade, Investments, and Tourism (MTIT);
Ministry of Environment, Natural Resources and Energy (MENRE);
Ministry of Indigenous Peoples' Affairs (MIPA);
Ministry of Transportation and Communications (MOTC);
Bangsamoro Planning and Development Authority (BPDA);
Bangsamoro Women Commission (BWC);
Bangsamoro Youth Commission (BYC);
Bangsamoro Sports Commission (BSC);
Bangsamoro Darul Ifta (BDI);
Bangsamoro Information Office (BIO);
Bangsamoro Human Rights Commission;
Philippine Statistics Authority;
One (1) representative from each of the three (3) International NGOs working with nutrition and other nutrition-related programs, projects and activities and operating within the region; and
One (1) representative from the Local NGO working with nutrition and other nutrition-related programs, projects and activities and operating within the region.

The NNC-BARMM shall serve as the technical secretariat.

Section 2. Powers and Functions. The RNC shall have the following powers, functions and responsibilities:

1. Formulate regional food and nutrition policies and strategies;
2. Coordinate the planning, monitoring and evaluation of the regional food and nutrition programs/projects;
3. Promote food security and good nutrition through education, training and public awareness;
4. Spearhead the formulation and recommend the Bangsamoro Plan of Action for Nutrition for approval;
5. Represent, through its chair, the Bangsamoro Government in food and nutrition-related planning monitoring and evaluation activities called for or initiated by the National Government;

6. Spearhead the conduct of research on the state of food security and nutrition in the BARMM and reports its findings to the Bangsamoro Government;
7. Ensure that all local nutrition action plans of the local government units of BARMM are consistent with the Regional Plan of Action for Nutrition (RPAN); and
8. Promote ownership of stakeholders over food and nutrition plans, programs, and strategies by intensifying participative approach in all stages of planning, monitoring and evaluation at the regional and local levels.

Internal Rules and Procedures – to ensure smooth and proper discharge of its mandates, the RNC in its regular meeting, shall promulgate and adopt its own internal rules and procedures.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the concerned ministries, offices and agencies and other stakeholders for information and appropriate action.

Done in the City of Cotabato this 2nd day of September, 2021.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of this resolution.



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