

# REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN

## MUNICIPALITY OF ANDA

#### OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 22 Series of 2020

CREATING TASK FORCE FOR THE DEMOLITION OF ANY ILLEGALLY CONSTRUCTED STRUCTURES THAT WILL OBSTRUCT THE FREE NAVIGATION OR IMPEDE THE FLOW AND EBB OF THE TIDE TO AND FROM THE MUNICIPAL WATERS OF ANDA, PANGASINAN

**WHEREAS,** Pursuant to the provision of RA 8550 Section 4.58 – municipal waters include not only stream, lakes, inland bodies of water and tidal waters within the municipality which are not included within the protected areas as defined under Republic Act No. 7856 (**THE NIPAS LAW**), public forest, timber lands, forest reserves or fishery reserved, but also marine waters included between two (2) lines drawn perpendicular to the general coastline from points where boundary lines of the municipality touch the sea at low tide and a third line parallel with the general coastline including offshore islands and fifteen (15) kilometers from such coastline where two (2) municipalities are so situated on the opposite shores that there is less than thirty (30) kilometers of marine waters between them, the third line shall be equally distant from opposite shore of the respective municipalities;

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Article III, Section 55 of RA 8550: Non-obstruction to navigation-nothing in the foregoing sections shall be constructed as permitting the lessee, licensee, or permittee to undertake any construction which will obstruct the free navigation in any stream, rivers, lakes, or bays flowing through or adjoining the fish pens, fish cages, fish traps and fishponds, or impede the flow of the tide to and from the area. Any construction made in violation hereof shall be removed upon the order of the Department in coordination with the other government agencies concerned at the expense of the lessee, licensee, or occupants thereof, whenever applicable. The Department shall within thirty (30) days after the effectivity of this code formulate and implement rules and regulations for the immediate dismantling of existing obstruction to navigation;

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Section 57 of the code, likewise provides that non-obstruction to defined migration paths – nothing in the foregoing sections shall be constructed as permitting the lessee, permittee, or licensee to undertake any construction, which will obstruct any defined migration path of migratory fish species such as rivers mouths and estuaries within a distance determined by the concerned LGUs in construction with and upon the recommendation of the FARMCs;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOGANIE C. RARANG,** Municipal Mayor of Anda, in the Province of Pangasinan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

**SECTION 1. Creation and Composition.** The Task is hereby created, to be composed of the following:

Chairman : **JOGANIE C. RARANG** – Municipal Mayor

Vice-Chairman : ARTEMIO B. CAROLINO, JR. - Vice Mayor

Members : LORENZO CABALQUINTO - Chairman, Committee

on Fisheries

**ELIZABETH T. TOMAS –** Municipal Agricluturist

LEOPOLDO C. CAROLINO, JR. - ABC Pres.

LEOPOLDO CELESTE – PB, Mal-ong
ALL Committee Members on Fisheries

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**SECTION 2. Separability Clause.** Should any provision of this Order be declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other promising area affected hereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

**SECTION 3. Repealing Clause.** All orders, proclamations, rules, regulations, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with any provisions of this Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 5. Effectivity.** This Order shall take effect immediately in the exigency of public health and service.

**DONE,** in Anda, Pangasinan, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, in the year of Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.

JOCANIE C. RARANG Municipal Mayor