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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 044-A, S. 2022

DESIGNATING THE LOCAL POPULATION WORKER OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ASINGAN, PANGASINAN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Section 12, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that "(t)he State recognizes the sanctity of life and shall protect and strengthen the family as a basic autonomous social institution";

WHEREAS, Section 14, Article XIII, *supra*, provides that "(t)he State shall protect working women by providing safe and healthful working conditions, taking into account their maternal functions, and such facilities and opportunities that will enhance their welfare and enable them to realize potential in the service of the nation";

WHEREAS, Section 3 (o) of Republic Act No. 10354, otherwise known as the Responsible Parenthood and Reproductive Health Act, provides that "(d)development is a multi-faceted process that calls for the harmonization and integration of policies, plans, programs, and projects that seek to uplift the quality of life of the people, more particularly the poor, needy, and the marginalized";

WHEREAS, the DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2019-100 dated July 8, 2019 mandated the designation of a Local Population Officer in each local government unit;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Engr. CARLOS F. LOPEZ, JR., Municipal Mayor of Asingan, Pangasinan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. DESIGNATION. Hereby designating SHARON M. BUGARIN – Sanitation Inspector II, as the Local Population Worker of the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan.

SECTION 2. POWERS, DUTIES, AND FUNCTIONS.

- a) Coordinate with local departments or offices including the barangays (for cities and municipalities) the planning and conduct of critical strategies for the full implementation of the program on population and family planning which is community/barangay-based within the locality;
- b) Mobilize community workers to map and locate couples and individuals with unmet need for modern family planning methods;
- c) Conduct intensive community-based demand generation and referral activities, and ensure provisions of quality modern family planning information and services guided by the principle of informed choice and voluntarism;
- d) Engage, collaborate, and partner with relevant government agencies such as DOH and POPCOM, CSOs, and other private sector in attaining and sustaining unmet need for modern family planning methods;
- e) Generate and mobilize necessary resources for the implementation of the program; and
- f) Sustain continuing training and capacity-building activities to be designed and supported by the national program under DOH-NEDA-POPCOM Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2019-01, s-2018, recruitment and deployment of Barangay Service Point Offices (BSPOs) and other community-based population volunteers and continually support them through logistics provision and monetary and/or non-monetary incentives as appropriate and allowable.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Let copies hereof be furnished to all concerned for information, reference, and guidance.

DONE this 21st day of September 2022 in the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan.

Engr. CARLOS F. LOPEZ, JR.
Municipal Mayor