Resolution No. 014-2425

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF ALEX DAVE ESCALANTE AS THE DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT

Introduced by: Hon. Sung Goon L. Acosta Status: [Approved]

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WHEREAS, according to Article V, Section 5.3 of the 2020 SAMAHAN Constitution, the Student Assembly shall "Serve as the Commission on Appointments which shall review, approve, and/or reject appointments made by the SAMAHAN Central Board, which shall only include Department Heads and Commissioners;"

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2024, the SAMAHAN Central Board President, Hon. Leen Juliet S. Lapatis, issued Memorandum No. SCB-Pres-03-060124, titled "Appointment of the SAMAHAN Deputies and Department Directors for A.Y. 2024-2025," which officially appointed Mr. Alex Dave Escalante (hereafter referred to as the Appointee) as the Department Director of the Department of Disaster Risk Reduction and Management;

WHEREAS, according to Article V, Section 5.3.1 of the 2020 SAMAHAN Constitution, "The Student Assembly shall require the SAMAHAN Central Board to submit the Curriculum Vitae of the appointee, accompanied by a Letter of Endorsement;"

WHEREAS, according to Article VIII, Section 1.4 of the 2023 Student Assembly Code of Internal Procedures, "As part of the deliberation process, a Panel Interview with the new Department Directors and Head Commissioners must be conducted inside the Student Assembly;"

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2024, the Student Assembly received Mr. Alex Dave Escalante's Curriculum Vitae and Letter of Endorsement, and the Commission on Appointments subsequently conducted a panel interview for his prospective

appointment approval on July 18, 2024;

WHEREAS, it was identified through the Curriculum Vitae, Letter of Endorsement, and the Panel Interview that the appointee has a vast knowledge of the role and the experience working within the department, equipping him to effectively fulfill his duties as the Department Director of the SAMAHAN Sponsorship and Support;

WHEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Commission on Appointments, chaired by the SAMAHAN Vice President and the Convener and Chairperson of the 4th Student Assembly, Hon. Sung Goon Acosta, after rigorous and careful deliberation, has determined that Mr. Alex Dave Escalante demonstrates a clear understanding of the responsibilities associated with his appointed position as the Department Director of Department of Disaster Risk Reduction and Management, as well as the objectives of the department;

WHEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Commission on Appointments commends Mr. Alex Dave Escalante for his qualifications and preparedness for the role, and encourages him to advance the goals and initiatives of the Department of Disaster Risk Reduction and Management with dedication and effectiveness;

WHEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the appointment of Mr. Alex Dave Escalante as the Department Director of the Department of Disaster Risk Reduction and Management has been duly approved.

Approved by the 4th Student Assembly on the 21st day of September, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.

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