

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 31st REGULAR SESSION OF THE 15TH SANGGUNIAN BAYAN OF MANOLO FORTICH, BUKIDNON WHICH WAS HELD AT THE SANGGUNIAN BAYAN SESSION HALL ON AUGUST 27, 2008.

PRESENT:

HON. HILARIO B. PAUSANOS, JR.	Presiding Officer
	Municipal Vice Mayor
HON. EVELIO E. CORDOVEZ	Majority Floor Leader
HON. ALEX D. PAYANGGA	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. MIGUEL D. DEMATA	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. VICTORIO G. DAGUNLAY	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. WARLEO A. GOAYAN	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. DIOSDADO N. DITONA	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. RONULFO D. GANAS	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. VISMINDA Q. DUMOTAN	Sangguniang Bayan Member
HON. LESTER REY L. ARAÑA	SK Federation Rep.

ABSENT:

HON. RAUL S. MIÑOZA	Liga ng mga Brgy. Rep.
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RESOLUTION NO. 2008-115
(31st Regular Session)

AN INTERIM RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ARMING OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, BARANGAY AUTHORITIES AND OTHER RESPONSIBLE AND ACCOUNTABLE PERSONNEL TOWARDS ENHANCING THE CAPACITY OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO SECURE THE PEOPLE OF MANOLO FORTICH FROM POSSIBLE ATTACKS BY THE MORO ISLAMIC LIBERATION FRONT (MILF) AND OTHER LAWLESS ELEMENTS.

WHEREAS, the raging hostilities between the Armed Forces of the Philippines and the Moro Islamic Liberation Front could possibly spread to nearby provinces including the Province of Bukidnon;

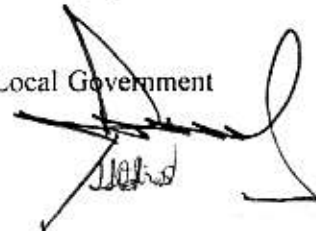
WHEREAS, the possibility of sneak attacks and other terroristic acts such as bombing, kidnappings and assassination are not necessarily remote, considering the proximity of the Province of Bukidnon to what may be called as the bastion of MILF operations such as Maguindanao, North Cotabato, Lanao del Norte and Lanao del Sur;

WHEREAS, the AFP and the PNP are equally burdened with engaging both the MILF and the new People's Army (NPA);

WHEREAS, the task of securing the local population rests primarily on the Local Government Unit;

WHEREAS, the persons proposed to be provided with firearms are accountable and responsible officers and personnel who have taken and have passed neuro-psychiatric examination;

WHEREAS, the said firearms shall form part of the properties of the Local Government Unit of Manolo Fortich, Bukidnon;



WHEREAS, premises considered, that the Local Government Unit of Manolo Fortich shall provide firearms to the elected government officials at the Municipal and other personnel who may be designated to take an active role in enhancing the security of the residents of Manolo Fortich, Bukidnon, who shall be required to return said arms until such time that the peace and order problem in Mindanao be resolved

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Hilario B. Pausanos, Jr., M.D. and seconded by Hon. Warleo A. Goayan, it was RESOLVED,

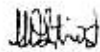
AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, Providing For The Arming Of Local Government Officials, Barangay Authorities And Other Responsible And Accountable Personnel Towards Enhancing The Capacity Of The Local Government To Secure The People Of Manolo Fortich From Possible Attacks By The Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) And Other Lawless Elements.

RESOLVED FURTHER that the provision of firearms be done as per government rules and regulations, and that both firearms and recipients be properly documented.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished the Office of the Local Chief Executive, the Chief of the Philippine National Police, Manolo Fortich Station, the PNP Provincial Director, Province of Bukidnon the Provincial Director – Department of Interior and Local Government and the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Bukidnon for their information.

APPROVED: August 27, 2008. Without 3rd Reading.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


LYDIA O. LASTIMOSA
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED:


ALEX D. FAYANGGA
Temporary Presiding Officer