



Republic of the Philippines  
 PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN  
 Tuguegarao City



**NINTH CITY COUNCIL**

**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 93<sup>rd</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON MAY 28, 2024, (TUESDAY), 09:00 A.M., AT THE SANGGUNIAN PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Jude T. Bayona	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member/Temporary Presiding Officer
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	-do-
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Tirso V. Mangada	-do-
Hon. Marc Aldous C. Baccay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Restituto C. Ramirez	Ex Officio Member
Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Quilang	-do-

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor (Acting City Mayor)
Hon. Maria Rosario B. Soriano	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Official Business)
Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Vacation Leave)

**CITY RESOLUTION NO. 323-09-2024**

**RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HON. MAILA ROSARIO S. TING-QUE, TO REPRESENT THE TUGUEGARAO CITY GOVERNMENT TO ENTER INTO A PLEA-BARGAINING AGREEMENT WITH ACCUSED ORLANDO PASCUAL (CRIMINAL CASE NO. 21453) PENDING BEFORE THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT BRANCH 10 TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN**

**WHEREAS**, the Office of City Legal Officer Atty. Vanessa T. Herrero-Verbo received a Motion to Enter a Plea-Bargaining Agreement from accused Orlando Pascual (Criminal Case No. 21453) pending before Regional Trial Court Branch 10, Tuguegarao City, Cagayan;

**WHEREAS**, the City Legal Office representative, Atty. Gerome Pagalilauan, stated during the committee meeting that the accused filed a motion to enter into a Plea-Bargaining Agreement in order to plead to a lesser offense from Estafa through falsification of public document to Simple Estafa in addition to the penalty to be imposed by the court;

**WHEREAS**, the City Legal Office representative, Atty. Gerome Pagalilauan, also mentioned that if the accused was granted the motion to a lesser offense, he will be admitted as a witness in the proceedings of the cases filed against Dr. Ian Cabalza and Marites Attaban;

**WHEREAS**, the accused will be imposed to pay the damages and return the benefits or claims he obtained before, and the same will be returned to the trust fund given by Philhealth, provided that the Tuguegarao City Government will pursue criminal cases against the persons who are directly involved in the fraud;

**WHEREAS**, for this plea-bargaining agreement to commence, there is a need to request authority from the Sangguniang Panlungsod to allow the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, to be fully clothed to give consent to the offer of a plea bargain by the accused;

**NOW, THEREFORE RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to grant authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, to represent the Tuguegarao City Government to enter into a plea-

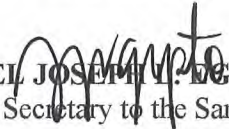
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bargaining agreement with accused Orlando Pascual (Criminal Case No. 21453) pending before Regional Trial Court Branch 10, Tuguegarao City, Cagayan.


On motion of Hon. Baccay and with inhibition of Hon. Quilang, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 323-09-2024** was **APPROVED** under suspended rules.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

  
**JOEL JOSEPH M. EGIPTO, Ph.D.**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

  
**HON. JUDE T. BAYONA**  
Sangguniang Panlungsod Member/Temporary Presiding Officer  
Date: May 20, 2024

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