

Republic of the Philippines Province of Cagayan Tuguegarao City



OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR

14 February 2025



THE PRESIDING OFFICER AND MEMBERS Sangguniang Panlungsod This City

Dear **Presiding Officer and Members of the Sanggunian**:

Pursuant to Section 54 of Republic Act No. 7160, being the Local Chief Executive of this City, I am exercising my veto power and vetoing 4-09-2025 entitled "An Ordinance Amending Section 1 and Section 3 of City Ordinance No. 17-2002 Titled "An Ordinance Regulating Certain Activities Within the Premises of the Tuguegarao City Airport".

This veto is being made in the interest of public welfare and good governance on the following grounds:

I. The assailed city ordinance did not comply with the required publication provision as mandated by the Local Government Code of 1991.

Please be informed that Article 114 (Rule XVII) of the Rules and Regulations Implementing the Local Government Code of 1991 pertains to posting and publication of ordinance with penal sanctions, which states that:

> "ART. 114. Posting and Publication of Ordinance with Penal Sanctions – (a) Ordinances with penal sanctions shall be posted at prominent places in the provincial capitol, city, municipal or barangay hall, as the case may be, for a minimum of three (3) consecutive weeks. Such ordinances shall also be published in a newspaper of general circulation, where available, within the territorial jurisdiction of the local government unit concerned, except in the of barangay ordinances. Unless otherwise provided therein, said ordinances shall take effect on the





day following its publication, or at the end of the period of posting whichever occurs later".

Considering that the proposed amended city ordinance has a penal sanctions, and by failing to include this publication requirement, the proposed ordinance undermines the principles of transparency and public accountability that are crucial for a functioning democracy. It also deprives citizens of the opportunity to be fully informed of new regulations that could affect their daily lives.

Therefore, may we urge the inclusion of a clear publication provision in the proposed ordinance with penal sanctions, regardless of the same being a mere amendment, in compliance with the Local Government Code of 1991.

In the name of public service,

MAILA ROSARIO S. TING-QUE City Mayor



Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN Tuguegarao City



NINTH CITY COUNCIL

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 124th REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON FEBRUARY 03, 2025 (MONDAY), 9:00 A.M., AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II
Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag
Hon. Maria Rosario B. Soriano
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang
Hon. Jude T. Bayona
Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay
Hon. Grace B. Arago
Hon. Tirso V. Mangada
Hon. Marc Aldous C. Baccay
Hon. Restituto C. Ramirez
Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Quilang

City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer Sangguniang Panlungsod Member Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) Sangguniang Panlungsod Member -do--do--do--do-Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) Sangguniang Panlungsod Member -do-Ex Officio Member -do-

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 04-09-2025

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 AND SECTION 3 OF CITY ORDINANCE NO. 17-2002 TITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING CERTAIN ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE PREMISES OF THE TUGUEGARAO CITY AIRPORT

Sponsors:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag Hon. Maria Rosario B. Soriano Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan Hon. Gilbert S. Labang Hon. Jude T. Bayona Hon. Jude T. Bayona Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes Hon. Arnel T. Arugay Hon. Grace B. Arago Hon. Tirso V. Mangada Hon. Marc Aldous C. Baccay Hon. Restituto C. Ramirez Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Quilang

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, states that "Every Local Government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied there from, as well as powers necessary, appropriate incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those who are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;"

WHEREAS, Memorandum Circular No. 023-2024 of the Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines (CAAP) titled "Amendment to Philippine Civil Aviation Regulations Air Navigation Services (CAR-ANS) Part 15 Adopting Amendment 43 to ICAO Annex 15- Aeronautical Information Services," particularly, 15.5.3.3.4 states that "For aerodromes regularly used by international civil aviation, additional

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terrain data should be provided within Area 2 (b) within the area between 10 km and the Terminal Maneuvering Area (TMA) boundary or a 45km radius (whichever is smaller);"

WHEREAS, Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II sponsored a Draft Ordinance Amending City Ordinance No. 17-2002 Regulating Certain Activities within the Premises of the Tuguegarao City Airport which was included in the agenda of the 109th Regular Session of the Ninth City Council and was referred to the joint Committee on Transportation as the lead committee and Committee on Rules, Laws and Ethics;

WHEREAS, after a deliberation in a committee meeting held for the said purpose, the said Committees found the request to be in order and beneficial to the constituents of Tuguegarao City;

WHEREAS, after the approval of the concomitant committee report, the Ninth City Council during its 121st Regular Session held on January 14, 2025 deemed it proper and necessary to approve the herein ordinance;

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing for this consideration was held on January 22, 2025 at the Sangguniang Panlungsod Session Hall.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it **ORDAINED** by the Sangguniang Panlungsod, in session assembled, to enact:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 AND SECTION 3 OF CITY ORDINANCE NO. 17-2002 TITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING CERTAIN ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE PREMISES OF THE TUGUEGARAO CITY AIRPORT."

SECTION 2. AMENDMENTS.

Section 1 and Section 3 of Ordinance No. 17-2002 shall be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. No kite or kites, pigeons, drones and balloons and any other flying gadgets shall be flown or caused to be flown within the radius of ten (10) kilometers from the center of the Tuguegarao City Airport.

Section 2. No person, vehicle or animal shall, without the permission from the Civil Aeronautics Administration Office, enter or loiter or be allowed to enter or loiter within the runway premises of the Tuguegarao City Airport and other designated areas thereof to which entry is prohibited by said Office.

Section 3. Any person who violates the provision of this Ordinance shall be fined:

First Offense – a fine of One thousand pesos (P1,000.00) Second Offense – a fine of Three thousand pesos (P3,000.00) Third Offense – a fine of five thousand pesos (P5,000.00)

SECTION 4. For purpose of enforcement, the Air Transportation Office shall be deputized to implement the ordinance.

SECTION 5. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If for any reason, any provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions not affected thereby shall remain and continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE. Any resolution or ordinance or part thereof not consistent with the provision of this ordinance is hereby repealed.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

JOEL JOSEPH L. EGIPTO, Ph.D. Secretary to the Sanggunian

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ATTESTED: HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer Date: 02-05 -2075

APPROVED:

HON. MAILA ROSARIO S. TING-QUE City Mayor Date: _____

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