



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Davao Oriental  
**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN**  
SP Complex, Government Center, Dahican  
**CITY OF MATI**



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 30<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 17<sup>TH</sup> SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF DAVAO ORIENTAL HELD ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 2023 AT THE CITY OF MATI, THIS PROVINCE.

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Niño Sotero L. Uy, Jr. Vice Governor – Presiding Officer

**Regular Members:**

**District I**

Hon. Anna Cheryl N. Castro  
Hon. Art Benjie C. Bulaong  
Hon. Marietta D. Palmera  
Hon. Andy A. Monday

**District II**

Hon. Shella Marie S. Go  
Hon. Harold A. Montes  
Hon. Rotchie M. Ravelo  
Hon. Daud V. Linsag  
Hon. Stephen Paul L. Uy

**Ex-Officio Members:**

Hon. Joselito B. Villademosa President, Philippine Councilors League (PCL) - Davao Oriental Chapter  
Hon. Eleuterio C. Manaytay Indigenous Peoples Mandatory Representative (IPMR)  
Hon. Ronald T. Lara, Jr. Sangguniang Kabataan Provincial Federation President (SKPFP)

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Rustan R. Castellones President, Liga Ng Mga Barangay (LNB) - Davao Oriental Chapter – OB – Pasay City

**RESOLUTION NO. 17-320-01-2023**

Author : Hon. Joselito B. Villademosa

Sponsor : Hon. Joselito B. Villademosa

**A RESOLUTION REQUESTING MR. SERGS P. IGNACIO TO PROVIDE THIS SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN A COPY OF HIS VERIFIED COMPLAINT AGAINST FORMER MUNICIPAL MAYOR, HONORABLE ARTURO C. MONDAY AND MUNICIPAL TREASURER, MS. NORMA B. MORALES, OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAGANGA, DAVAO ORIENTAL, FOR INFORMATION, GUIDANCE, AND APPROPRIATE ACTION OF THIS AUGUST BODY.**

**WHEREAS**, upon careful scrutiny of the records relative to the First Indorsement from the Office of the Ombudsman for Mindanao, dated February 24, 2022 with Reference Code IC-OM-20-0533, more specifically the Verified Complaint from Mr. Sergs P. Ignacio, this Sangguniang Panlalawigan found no record of the same;

**WHEREAS**, only the letter from Mr. Sergs P. Ignacio, dated August 15, 2022, was received by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan Support Services Office on August 19, 2022 and was docketed as SP Communication No. 17-80-2022. Enclosed thereof are the following:

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- a. A letter, dated August 15, 2022, from the herein said Complainant, Mr. Sergs P. Ignacio, to Atty. Roy L. Ursal, Director IV, Regional Director of Commission on Audit, with Subject: Comments to COA RO Decision No. 2017-02;
- b. A copy of Joint Counter-Affidavit filed by Norma B. Morales and Arturo C. Monday, Respondents to the Case for Robbery with NPS Docket No. XI-05b-INV-22G-0102, done July 27, 2022;
- c. A copy of the Commission On Audit Regional Office XI Decision No. 2017-02, dated January 13, 2017, with the Subject: Request of Ms. Norma B. Morales, Municipal Treasurer, Municipality of Baganga, Davao Oriental, for relief from accountability for the loss thru robbery of cash amounting to P769,548.43 and two (2) laptops with book value of P57,516.68;
- d. A copy of Answer to the Joint Counter-Affidavit of the Respondents: Municipal Treasurer Norma B. Morales and Former Mayor Arturo C. Monday of the Municipality of Baganga, Davao Oriental, regarding the Municipal Treasurer's Office Robbery incident, filed by Mr. Sergs P. Ignacio, Complainant, dated August 12, 2022;

**WHEREAS**, in connection with the aforementioned subject matter, this August Body has acted thereon through SP Resolution No. 17-165-10-2022, dated October 12, 2022, with the request for Mr. Sergs P. Ignacio, to provide a copy of the Ombudsman's Endorsement relative to his case;

**WHEREAS**, Section 61 of RA 7160 states that:

*Form and Filing of Administrative Complaints. - A verified complaint against any erring local elective official shall be prepared as follows:*

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*(b) a complaint against any elective official of a municipality shall be filed before the sangguniang panlalawigan whose decision may be appealed to the Office of the President.*

**WHEREAS**, SP Resolution No. 33-2001, likewise provides specific procedural requirements to any administrative complaint filed or under the jurisdiction of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan. The complaint must contain or provide with the following basic information:

- a) *full name and address of the complaint;*
- b) *a narration of the relevant and material facts which shows the acts or omissions allegedly committed by the civil servant;*
- c) *Certified true copies of documentary, evidence and affidavits of this witnesses, if any; and*
- d) *Certification or statement of non-forum shopping*

**WHEREFORE**, on motion of SP Member Joselito B. Villademoso, duly and jointly seconded by SP Members Shella Marie S. Go, Daud V. Linsag, Stephen Paul L. Uy, Ronald T. Lara, Jr., and Harold A. Montes, it was

**RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, **REQUESTING MR. SERGS P. IGNACIO TO PROVIDE THIS SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN A COPY OF HIS VERIFIED COMPLAINT AGAINST FORMER MUNICIPAL MAYOR, HONORABLE ARTURO C. MONDAY AND MUNICIPAL TREASURER, MS. NORMA B. MORALES, OF THE**

*J. Ignacio*

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**MUNICIPALITY OF BAGANGA, DAVAO ORIENTAL, FOR INFORMATION,  
GUIDANCE AND APPROPRIATE ACTION OF THIS AUGUST BODY;**

**RESOLVED, FINALLY,** That copies of this resolution be furnished: Mr. Sergs P. Ignacio; Honorable Arturo C. Monday, former Municipal Mayor; and Ms. Norma B. Morales, Municipal Treasurer, Municipality of Baganga, Davao Oriental, for their information and guidance.

**CARRIED AND APPROVED.**

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**I hereby Certify to the Correctness  
of the foregoing Resolution.**

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**EVANGELINE UY-PLAZA**

*Provincial Government Assistant Department Head  
Assistant Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan  
Acting Secretary*

**Attested and Certified  
to be duly Adopted:**

*Niño Sotero L. Uy, Jr.*

**NIÑO SOTERO L. UY, JR.**

*Vice Governor and Presiding Officer*