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**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 51**  
**Series of 2023**

**AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 30, SERIES OF 2022, BY DELETING SOME PORTIONS OF SECTIONS 2 AND 3 THEREOF**

**WHEREAS**, by virtue of Executive Order No. 30 dated October 24, 2022, an urban development and housing program was institutionalized in the Province of Davao Oriental through the adoption/localization of Republic Act No. 7279, as amended, also known as the Urban Development and Housing Act of 1992 or UDHA;

**WHEREAS**, under Section 2 thereof, the Provincial Housing and Urban Development Unit (PrHUDU) was created structurally and functionally under the Provincial Administrator's Office (PAO) to operate as the principal body in the Provincial Government organization authorized with continuing the implementation of the Socialized Housing Program (SHP) established under Provincial Ordinance No. 4-96 dated September 10, 1996;

**WHEREAS**, Section 3 of the EO states that the Asst. Provincial Administrator shall be designated as Head of the Unit and shall be accountable to the Provincial Governor and Provincial Administrator;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to remove the above-cited portions to allow the Provincial Governor a much wider latitude to exercise discretion *vis-à-vis* choice of Unit Head and where/how best to utilize the Unit in carrying out the mandate on shelter provision;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, NIÑO SOTERO L. UY, JR.**, Governor of the Province of Davao Oriental, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

**SECTION 1.** Section 2 of Executive Order No. 30 is hereby amended to read as follows:

***“SECTION 2. Creation and Purpose. – Pursuant to the above-cited laws, there is hereby created a Provincial Housing and Urban Development Unit (PrHUDU, for brevity) IN THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF DAVAO ORIENTAL.***

*It shall operate as the principal special body in the Provincial Government organization authorized with continuing the implementation of the Socialized Housing Program (SHP), which was established by virtue of Provincial Ordinance No. 4-96, dated September 10, 1996, in the province.”*

**SECTION 2.** Section 3 of Executive Order No. 30 is amended by deleting and replacing a new second paragraph to read as follows:

*“SECTION 3. Organization and Staffing. – For the PrHUDU to function immediately, it shall be initially complemented with personnel designated/detailed/reassigned from Provincial Government departments/offices.*

**THE PRHUDU HEAD SHALL BE DESIGNATED BY THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR THROUGH A SEPARATE ORDER, WHICH SHALL ALSO IDENTIFY UNDER WHICH DEPARTMENT/OFFICE IN THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION THE UNIT ADMINISTRATIVELY, FUNCTIONALLY/OPERATIONALLY & STRUCTURALLY FALLS UNDER. THE UNIT SHALL BE ACCOUNTABLE TO THE GOVERNOR AND DEPARTMENT HEAD CONCERNED.**

*When the exigencies of the service eventually require as the PrHUDU proceeds with the pursuit of its mandate, the Provincial Governor may resort to appropriate personnel movement to address its manpower requirements, subject to existing rules and regulations, whose salaries, remuneration, and allowances, if any, shall be chargeable against their mother unit.”*

**SECTION 3.** Executive Order No. 30 dated October 24, 2022 is hereby modified. All orders and issuances, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 4.** This Executive Order takes effect immediately upon its approval.

Done in the City of Mati, this DEC 04 2023, Twenty Hundred and Twenty-Three.

  
**NIÑO SOTERO L. UY, JR.**  
Governor