



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Zamboanga del Norte
MUNICIPALITY OF PIÑAN



Office of the Sangguniang Bayan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 113th REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11th SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF PIÑAN, ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 30, 2024 AT ITS SESSION HALL

Present:

Honorable Rommel I. Gudmalin

Honorable Glecerio Y. Redillas, Jr.

Honorable Benedicto C. Cainta II

Honorable Gina R. Aleta

Honorable Al Immanuel U. Cantila

Honorable Ricardo R. Sabandal

Honorable Celso M. Montemayor

Honorable Jose Antonio L. Galan

Honorable Greg C. Belangoy

Honorable Ignacio L. Galan

Honorable Joel Audrey Cristal P. Galvez

Municipal Vice-Mayor

Presiding Officer

Sangguniang Bayan Member

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Ex-Officio Sangguniang Bayan Member
(Liga ng mga Punong Barangay- President)

Ex-Officio Sangguniang Bayan Member

SKF President

Ex-Officio Sangguniang Bayan Member

IPMR

Absent: Honorable Jodilyn P. Tatad

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2024-011
Series of 2024

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING BUSINESSES OPERATING WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF PIÑAN, ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE TO SECURE A PNP CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY AND/OR CERTIFICATE OF PNP UNIFORMS, INSIGNIAS, AND OTHER ACCOUTREMENTS AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF

Sponsored by: Hon. Gina R. Aleta

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 under the General Welfare Clause provides in part, that every local government unit shall ensure and support the maintenance of peace and order within their respective territorial jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 297, entitled "*Regulating the Manufacture, Sale, Distribution and Use of PNP uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements was signed on October 4, 2000 to control and manage the unauthorized manufacture, sale, and distribution of PNP uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements*";

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 297, imposes as penalties the immediate closure of establishment, cancellation of business license or permit; condemnation, seizure and forfeiture of unauthorized items and imposition of reasonable fines for

violators of the said order, all of which could be undertaken by the Local Government Unit concerned;

WHEREAS, the unauthorized manufacture, sale, use and distribution of PNP uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements impose serious concerns since such symbolic PNP identifiers, instead of providing a comforting sense of security, could be used by lawless elements in the commission of crimes within the municipality and in other places;

WHEREAS, considering that the PNP National Headquarter sits within the territorial jurisdiction of Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte and there business establishments that engage in the manufacture, sale, and distribution of PNP uniforms, insignias, accoutrements, there is a dire need to enact a corresponding municipal ordinance to mitigate, or even eradicate the proliferation of the unauthorized PNP uniforms and commission of illegal activities within the municipality;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan of Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as *“An Ordinance Mandating Businesses Operating within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte to secure a PNP Certificate of Conformity and/or Certificate of PNP Uniforms, Insignias, and Other Accoutrements and Prescribing Penalties for Violations Thereof.*

SECTION 2. SCOPE AND APPLICATION. All businesses, whether in physical, online or in digital platforms, engaged in the manufacture, sale, use and distribution of Philippine National Police uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements are covered in this Ordinance. It also includes enterprises dealing with raw materials for the production of aforementioned items.

SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS. For purposes of implementation of this ordinance, the following definitions shall be binding and controlling:

- a) PNP Uniforms, Insignias and Accoutrements – these are authorized clothing, garments, distinguishing mark, emblem, merchandise, or decorations worn by bonafide members and officially acknowledged by the Philippine National Police;
- b) PNP Certificate of Conformity – a certification issued by the PNP through the Directorate for Research and Development which signifies authority to manufacture, sell, or distribute PNP uniforms, insignias and accoutrements;
- c) Distributor – an authorized agent of a supplier or manufacturer to supply or deliver PNP uniforms, insignias and accoutrements wherein the latter has a valid Certificate of Conformity.
- d) Manufacture and Sale – act of producing or trading of fit-to-use, ready-to-wear, or ready-to-use PNP uniforms, insignias, and accoutrements.
- e) Certificate of Distributorship – a certification issued by a holder of PNP Certificate of Conformity which warrants that the person/company is

authorized to distribute, supply, or sell specific PNP uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements.

SECTION 4. REQUIREMENT FOR PNP CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY AND/OR CERTIFICATE OF DISTRIBUTORSHIP – All businesses engaged and dealing with PNP uniform, insignias, and accoutrements must secure PNP Certificate of Conformity and/or Certificate of Distributorship before applying for a corresponding business license or permit. All existing businesses must likewise secure the same certification prior to its application for business license/permit renewal.

SECTION 5. IMPLEMENTING OFFICES. – The Business Permit and Licensing Office (BPLO) is the primary office mandated to make the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) and execute the provisions of this ordinance, with the assistance of the Philippine National Police.

SECTION 6. COORDINATION WITH THE PNP. – The Business Permit and Licensing Office (BPLO) will regularly coordinate with the Piñan Municipal Police Station (MPS) for the latest list of manufacturers, suppliers, sellers, distributors, etc., with valid and existing PNP Certificate of Conformity and/or Certificate of Distributorship. The updated list will be the basis of verification by the Piñan Municipal Government of the status of applicant for business license/permit.

SECTION 7. AUTHORITY TO INSPECT ESTABLISHMENTS. – The Business Permits and License Office (BPLO) shall be authorized to conduct inspection of business establishments requiring the presentation of its respective PNP Certificates of Conformity and/or Distributorship. Authorized distributors of PNP uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements shall likewise present acceptable proof of authority to supply, sell, or trade the aforementioned items.

SECTION 8. PENALTIES. – Failure to present or submit PNP Certificate of Conformity and/or PNP Certificate of Distributorship is a ground for denial of application for issuance/renewal of business permit or license for the covered businesses. For purposes of this ordinance, after thirty (30) days from the initial findings of non-compliance, continued and subsequent failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance shall constitute ground for suspension, revocation, or cancellation of the establishment's business permit.

In case of violations found during the aforementioned inspections for failure to present competent proof of authority to deal with PNP uniforms, insignias, and other accoutrements, the items found therein shall be seized or confiscated subject to proper disposal, without prejudice to the cancellation/revocation of business license/permit and the filing of appropriate administrative, civil, or criminal cases.

SECTION 9. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. – If for any reason, any section of the Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other sections which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 10. REPEALING CLAUSE. – All ordinances, rules and regulations or parts thereof in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, provided, that the rights that are vested upon the effectivity of this Ordinance shall not be impaired.

SECTION 11. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. – This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its posting in three (3) conspicuous places and in the barangay hall of the 22 barangays of this municipality.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

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I **HEREBY ATTEST** that the foregoing ordinance was duly enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte during its Regular Session.


MARIA CELESTE B. CANOY
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

CERTIFIED CORRECT AS TO ITS PASSAGE
ON THE THIRD AND FINAL READING.:


ROMMEL I. GUDMALIN
*Municipal Vice-Mayor
(Presiding Officer)*

APPROVED:


CECILIA J. CARREON
Municipal Mayor
07 OCT 2024



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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SECRETARY

CERTIFICATION OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that a public hearing was conducted on Friday, September 30, 2024 at 9:00 o'clock in the morning at Poblacion South Covered Court, Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte to treat and consider the proposed enactment re: *"An Ordinance Mandating Businesses Operating within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte to secure a PNP Certificate of Conformity and/or Certificate of PNP Uniforms, Insignias, and Other Accoutrements and Prescribing Penalties for Violations Thereof"*.

The said public hearing was participated by representatives from PNP, BFP, 5th Infantry Battalion and other officers for further deliberation and clarification on the proposed enactment.

THIS FURTHER CERTIFIES that officers from national agencies particularly those men in uniform, stakeholders, business owners and other affected parties attended favored for this enactment.

THIS FURTHERMORE CERTIFIES that the proposed measure was finally enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan during the Regular Session conducted on September 30, 2024.

ISSUED this 11th day of October, 2024 at Local Government Unit of Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte, Philippines.


MARIA CELESTE B. CANOY
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan



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CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

TO WHOM IT MY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that pursuant to Section 59, Chapter 3, Title Two, Book 1, of the Local Government Code of 1991, the undersigned had caused the posting of copies of Municipal Ordinance No. 2024-011, Series of 2024 entitled **“AN ORDINANCE MANDATING BUSINESSES OPERATING WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF PIÑAN, ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE TO SECURE A PNP CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY AND/OR CERTIFICATE OF PNP UNIFORMS, INSIGNIAS, AND OTHER ACCOUTREMENTS AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF”**, enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan on September 30, 2024 and approved by the Local Chief Executive on October 7, 2024. Copies of the said ordinance were actually posted on October 10, 2024, in the following conspicuous places in the Municipality of Piñan.

- 1) One copy in the bulletin board at the entrance of Piñan Municipal Hall;
- 2) One copy in the bulletin board at the Public Market of Piñan;
- 3) One copy in the bulletin board at Barangay Poblacion North; and
- 4) One copy in the bulletin board at Barangay Poblacion South;

Issued this 11th day of October, 2024 at Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte.


MARIA CELESTE B. CANOY
Secretary to the SB