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CITY RESOLUTION NO. CR 2016-063
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A RESOLUTION NOT CONCURRING WITH THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. GERONIMO B. DEL ROSARIO AS THE NEW HEAD OF THE BACOOR TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT.


WHEREAS, the records of the Sangguniang Panlungsod show that a request was received by the SP Secretariat on 25 April 2016 for the City Council to concur with the appointment of Mr. Geronimo B. Del Rosario as “City Government Department Head 1” with salary grade 25.

WHEREAS, that aside from the letter request of the Human Resources Development and Management Department Head, Ms. Natividad Ludwig-Ople, dated 21 April 2016, no other documents have been submitted to the city council in relation to the said request. Thereafter, the said matter was referred to the city council en banc for appropriate action.

WHEREAS, on 16 May 2016, Ms. Ople was requested by the Sangguniang Panlungsod Secretary, Atty. Khalid A. Atega Jr., to submit the various credentials of Mr. Del Rosario related to his appointment including his various credentials. On the same date, Ms. Ople submitted the following documents to the SP Secretariat:

a) Endorsement letter dated 16 May 2016;
b) Appointment paper of Mr. Del Rosario as City Government Department Head 1 SG 25 (also known as KSS Porma Blg. 33) signed by Hon. Strike B. Revilla dated 18 May 2016; and
c) Personal Data Sheet of Mr. Del Rosario consisting of four (4) pages signed by Mr. Del Rosario.

WHEREAS, after deliberating on the said matter based on the various documents mentioned above, the members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod resolved NOT TO CONCUR with the appointment of Mr. Del Rosario.

NOW THEREFORE, upon motion of Councilor Reynaldo Palabrica seconded by majority of the City Council, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in regular session duly assembled, NOT TO CONCUR with the appointment of Mr. Del Rosario due to the following reasons:

1. The appointment of Mr. Del Rosario, as per the appointment paper mentioned above, is erroneous inasmuch as it was indicated therein that the position of “City Government Department Head 1” for the Bacoor Traffic Management Department is “PERMANENT” when Section 19 of City Ordinance

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No. 2013-2 (also known as the “Revised Traffic Code of the City of Bacoor”) clearly provides that  

2. The position of the City Government Department Head I is “coterminal with the term of office of the appointing authority”. Even if Section 16 of City Ordinance No. 2013-047 which further amended the Traffic Code is taken into consideration, it will be noted that the status of the appointment of the person who shall head the BTMD is not permanent as erroneously indicated in Mr. Del Rosario’s appointment. The SP cannot concur with an appointment that clearly violates an ordinance that the city council passed.  

3. The position title of “Traffic Management Officer” does not exist in the Qualification Standards of the Civil Service Commission. A review of the QS by the city council revealed that only the following positions can be appointed in the BTMD: Traffic Operations Officer I (SG 11), Traffic Operations Officer II (SG 15), Traffic Operations Officer III (SG 18), Traffic Operations Officer IV (SG 22), and Traffic Operations Officer V (SG 24). The position of “Traffic Management Officer” with a salary grade of 25 does not exist in the said QS. The SP cannot concur with an appointment that does not conform with the Qualification Standards of the CSC.  

4. Lastly, aside from the Personal Data Sheet of Mr. Del Rosario – none of his credentials were submitted to the city council which could have convinced its members to conclude that he is indeed qualified for the position for which he was appointed. The SP cannot concur with an appointment unless its members are convinced that an appointee is qualified for a particular post.  

RESOLVED LASTLY, to furnish the Human Resources Development and Management Department and other government agencies concerned with copies of this Resolution.  

APPROVED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor this 13th day of June 2016.  

I hereby certify the truth and correctness of the above-quoted Resolution.  

Certified by:  

HON. CATHERINE SARINO-EVARISTO  
City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer  

Attested by:  

ATTY. KHALID A. ATEGA JR.  
Sangguniang Panlungsod Secretary  

Certified by:  

HON. CATHERINE S. EVARISTO  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer  

Approved by:  

HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA, Phd  
City Mayor  

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