



OFFICE OF THE SAGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SANITATION

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Received by: Janet Brigg  
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COMMITTEE HEARING REPORT

CHS-PCR-486-2024

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Subject: *A resolution authorizing the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla to sign a memorandum of agreement on behalf of the City Government of Bacoor with the Philippine Business for Special Progress (PBSP) relative to its intention to implement the advancing client-centered care and expanding sustainable services for tuberculosis (Access TB) project from 2024-2026.*

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The above-mentioned subject matter underwent first reading on January 15, 2024 during the 74<sup>th</sup> Regular Session of the Sangguniang Panlungsod. The said subject matter was referred by the Acting Presiding Officer, City Councilor and President Pro-Tempore Hon. Reynaldo C. Palabrica to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

The Committee on Health and Sanitation sent out invitations to the resource persons and conducted a committee hearing on February 08, 2024 at the Sangguniang Panlungsod Session Hall at 9:30 a.m.

**FINDINGS:**

Philippine Business for Social Progress (PBSP) is the principal recipient of the Grant provided by the Global Fund (GF) to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria.

One of the key service delivery areas of the GF Project is to support the Philippine Department of Health (DOH) in implementing the National Tuberculosis Program (NTP), particularly the Philippine Acceleration Action Plan for Tuberculosis (PAAB TB).

The DOH works through Local Government Units, private and public health facilities, hospitals and institutions to effectively and efficiently deliver quality and laboratory services, and Tuberculosis (TB) care treatment among TB patients covered by the GF Project.

The City Government of Bacoor is one of the LGUs that could effectively and efficiently deliver clinical and laboratory services among patients covered by the GF Project and has in fact collaborating with PBSP for many years now to provide quality clinical and laboratory services needed by the GF Project. This is beneficial to the City Government of Bacoor without incurring any expense in the implementation of the said project.



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**RECOMMENDATION:**

After a thorough review of all the circumstances and statements from the resource persons, the Committee respectfully recommends that the Sangguniang Panlungsod approve the above subject matter.

By the motion of Hon. Reynaldo C. Palabrica duly seconded by all the members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, the above subject matter was **APPROVED** during its 78<sup>th</sup> Regular Session.

**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** that the contents of the foregoing report are true and correct.

Signed this 12th day of February 2024 at the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

**Committee on Health and Sanitation**

  
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**COUN. REYNALDO C. PALABRICA**  
Chairman

  
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**COUN. LEVY TELA**  
Vice Chairman

  
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**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN**  
Member

  
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**COUN. CATHERINE SARINO EVARISTO**  
Member



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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE HEARING

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A committee hearing on the above-subject matter was conducted last February 8, 2024, 9:30 a.m. at the Sangguniang Panlungsod presided by Committee Chairman Hon. Reynaldo C. Palabrica.

**MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:**

HON. LEVY TELA  
HON. ROGELIO NOLASCO  
HON. ALDE PAGULAYAN  
HON. SIMPLICIO DOMINGUEZ

**RESOURCE PERSONS:**

ATTY. MARIUS D. SUMIRA	-	OFFICE OF THE CITY LEGAL SERVICES
DRA. IVY MARIE YRASTORZA	-	CITY HEALTH OFFICE
MR. JASON CALEZE	-	PBSP REPRESENTATIVE
MR. LODGENE ASUNCION	-	E-GOVERNANCE/MIS

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "The proposed resolution authorizing the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla to sign a memorandum of agreement on behalf of the City Government of Bacoor with the Philippine Business for Special Progress (PBSP) relative to its intention to implement the advancing client-centered care and expanding sustainable services for tuberculosis (Access TB) project from 2024-2026 is now called to order."

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "In attendance to this committee hearing are Councilors Levy Tela, Bok Nolasco, Alde Pagulayan and Simplicio Dominiguez"





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**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Wala kaming idea kung ano itong entity na ito, ano pangalan mo?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Jason po, Jason Caleze po. So bali wala po akong ibang kasama, so yung iba naming kasama ay nasa activity po, so ako po yung representative. Ako rin po kase yung may hawak ng ano, ahh nitong area pong ito".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "So ganito para maintindihan namin noh, hihingi kame ng ano, ng ano tawag dito, na ma-inform niyo kame. Ano ba itong PBSP? Ipakilala mo muna sa amin kung ano itong PBSP?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Bali Philippine Business for Special Progress, isa po itong N.G.O. na..."

**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN** "Boy Morales?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Boy Morales? Hindi po, bali ang nagsu-support po dito ay global fund po, ayun po. So hindi lang po siya dito sa atin, buong Pilipinas po ito na sinusupport ng global fund"

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Ahh, parang foundation ang dating nito".

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Opo Konsi. Bali hindi lang po T.B. ang program na sinusupport ni PBSP. Actually may mga program pa po silang nakakalat sa buong Pilipinas.

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Pero concern nyo dito sa Bacoor ay specific muna sa T.B".

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Yes po. Bali yun po ang support na binibigay. Actually po ang PBSP ang nanalo uli ng another bidder grant para isupport po yung programa ng T.B."

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "So ang proposal nyo rito ay 2024-2026, three years. Anong tulong ang maibibigay nyo sa amin?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Yes po, three years po. Ang nakapaloob po sa MOA natin Na ibibigay na support ay yung sa gene expert po, yung sa machine".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Ahh, bibigyan nyo kame ng machine?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Ahh, actually may machine na po tayo".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "So yung mga ano na lang, yung mga kailangan na lang ng machine sa pag test".

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Yes po".



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**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Sa machine po, yung mga cartridges ang ibibigay namin as part ng PBSP and then PBSP rin po ang mag-aayos kapag may diprensa ang machine at ang maintenance nito at no cost in the part of the City".

**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN** "Parts and repair?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Yes po. Actually may engineer po tayo na umiikot dito buong Cavite para po ayusin yung mga machine natin if ever na magkakaroon ng problema".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Aside sa machine or maintenance ng mga machine kung meron na, ano pa ang maibibigay ng foundation relative to this T.B. program natin?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Yun pong mga cartridges na ibibigay, medyo costly po kase ang mga yun, yun po kase ang ginagamit sa pagpa process sa machine. Yun po ang support na ibibigay ni PBSP".

**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN** "Dito ba sa etibac, ahh sa Cavite, hahaha, marami na ba kayong naibigay na machine?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Actually, nakakalat na po sa buong Cavite ang mga gene expert machines po natin, sa malalaking bayan, Dasma, Bacoor".

**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN** "Chair, Chair? Ilang test ang kaya nyong gawin sa isang buwan halimbawa?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Ahh, sa isang araw po, kaya ng machine na magsalang ng 60. Medyo matagal din kase ang process".

**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN** "So 60 times 30 days, ayun yung kaya niyo?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Actually, kapag nagka problema naman po dito sa area natin ng expert machine, may mga areas naman tayo na pwedeng ipadala ang mga specimen para doon i-process".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Walang bayad yun?"

**MR. JASON CALEZE** "Wala po. Kargo po iyon ng PBSP".

**DRA. IVY MARIE YRASTORZA** "Sila rin po ang nagta-transport ng specimen from the health center".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Doc, matanong ko lang po, anong status natin sa T.B. cases?"

**DRA. IVY MARIE YRASTORZA** "Hindi ko dala yung record pero mataas po ang cases natin, and also we are concentrating sa drug resistance T.B. Hindi na po ito ordinary treatment, kumbaga, level-up na".



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**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "Pero yung mga gene expert machines natin ang pag-gamit?"

**DRA. IVY MARIE YRASTORZA** "Yes po. Specially sa jail natin, kase marami silang pinapadalang specimen eh".

**COUN. REYNALDO PALABRICA** "So okay na tayo, Maganda naman ito at parang renewal lang ito ng dating MOA. Any more comments, wala na?"

**COUN. ALDE PAGULAYAN** "Since there are no more matters to be discussed, I move for the adjournment of this committee hearing".


**COUNCILORS LEVY TELA, ROGELIO NOLASCO, SIMPLICIO DOMINGUEZ** "Second the motion".

The committee hearing ended at 10:00 a.m.

Prepared by:

  
RONALDO M. VERONA  
Clerk

Attested by:

  
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**COUNCILOR REYNALDO C. PALABRICA**  
Chairman  
Committee on Rules and Privileges, Laws and Ordinances





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*Committee on Health and Sanitation and  
Committee on Rules and Privileges, Laws and Ordinances*

**NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING  
(PROOF OF RECEIPT)**

(February 08, 2024 09:30 AM)  
(SP Session Hall)

**Subject:** A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF BACOOOR WITH THE PHILIPPINE BUSINESS FOR SPECIAL PROGRESS (PBSP) RELATIVE TO ITS INTENTION TO IMPLEMENT THE ADVANCING CLIENT-CENTERED CARE AND EXPANDING SUSTAINABLE SERVICES FOR TUBERCULOSIS (ACCESS TB) PROJECT FROM 2024-2026. (PCR No. 486-2024) dated (January 22, 2024)

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HON. ALDE PAGULAYAN	SP	-	<i>Alde Pagulayan</i> 2/7/24
HON. ADRIELITO GAWARAN	SP		<i>Adrielite Gawaran</i> 2/7/24
HON. ALEJANDRO GUTIERREZ	SP		<i>Alejandro Gutierrez</i> 2/7/24
Dr. IVY MARIE YRASTORZA (CHO)	CNO		<i>Ivy Marie Yrastorza</i> 2/7/24
Atty. KIM NYCA LOFRANCO (City Legal)			<i>Kim Nyca Lofranco</i> 2/7/24
Mr. LODGENE ASUNCION MIS	MIS / E-LOV		<i>Lodgene Asuncion</i> 02/07/24
Mr. ELMER G. JIMENEZ			
Mr. JASON B. CALEZE Program Officer			

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1001-7329

January 5, 2024

HON. ROWENA BAUTISTA-MENDIOLA  
Vice Mayor, City of Bacoor  
Bacoor Government Center  
Bacoor City, Cavite

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THRU Atty. Khalid Atega, Jr.  
Sangguniang Panlungsod Secretary

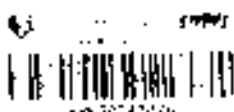
SUBJECT Request for Authority to Enter Into and Sign the  
Memorandum of Agreement with Philippine Business for  
Social Progress

Dear Hon. Bautista-Mendiola:

I hereby endorse to the esteemed members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod the letter dated 24 November 2023 from Philippine Business for Social Progress (PBSP), relative to its intention to formalize its partnership with the City Government of Bacoor for the implementation of the Advancing Client-centered Care and Expanding Sustainable Services for TB (ACCESS TB) Project from 2024-2026 for your appropriate action. The City Government of Bacoor has previous agreement with PBSP and it is beneficial to the City without incurring any expense in the implementation of the same.

Attached herewith is the aforementioned letter including the proposed Memorandum of Agreement for your immediate reference.

Sincerely yours,



STRIKE B. REVILLA  
City Mayor



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24 November 2023

HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA  
Mayor  
City Government of Bacoor  
Molina Building, Bacoor, Cavite

Attention: DR. IVY MARIE C. YRASONZA  
City Health Officer

Dear Mayor Revilla

Greetings from PRSP!

The Global Fund is First Against AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria. The Global Fund awarded a new grant in favor of Philippine Business for Social Progress, Inc. (PBSP) for the implementation of The All-in-one Client-centered Care and Expanding Sustainable Services for TB-ACCESS TB Project for 2024-2026. GF Project.

This award would allow PRSP to provide support to the Department of Health particularly the Philippine Accelerated Action Plan Against Tuberculosis (PAAP-TB), covering TB operations and activities of which shall focus on the screening, diagnosis, and treatment of TB patients.

With this, PRSP is able to enter into a new Memorandum of Agreement with the City Government of Bacoor for all three phases of the GF Project. The initial phase of the GF Project is for the period from January 01, 2024 to December 31, 2024. The next phase of the GF Project shall be for the period from January 01, 2025 to December 31, 2025, while the final phase of the GF Project shall be from January 01, 2026 to December 31, 2026. Attached is a copy of this new Memorandum of Agreement for your perusal and own finalization.

During the complete execution of the Memorandum of Agreement, PRSP wishes to formalize the partnership of PRSP and the City Government of Bacoor for the implementation of the GF Project to ensure its seamless transition for 2024-2026. Through this letter, PRSP guarantees to provide and fulfill its obligations indicated in 2021-2023 Memorandum of Agreement including the service warranty and supplies for the RTO operations provided by the City Government of Bacoor from 01 January 2024 until the conclusion of the Memorandum of Agreement.

PRSP requests the City Government of Bacoor sign this acknowledgment to be on record. Provided that the services it has already rendered for the GF Project as well as its commitment to include the Memorandum of Agreement on or before January 31, 2024 by signing the corresponding portion of this letter.

We look forward to receiving the duly signed portion of this letter on or before **January 15, 2024**.

For the City of Bacoor, please direct all correspondence to City Health Officer and Program Officer **Mr. Jason B. Caleza** through direct details: 0917-8921450 / 0917-8921456 / 0917-8921459.

cc: Local Government of Bacoor, Cavite; Sangguniang Panglungsod, City of Bacoor; Project Mgr. (2021-2023) of the GF Project; (2024-2026) Project Mgr. (2024-2026)

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**PRSP**

We thank you for your continued support for AGFSS-TR Project

Secretary

**ELVIN JARVY UY**  
Executive Director

Chairman

**HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA**  
Mayor  
City Government of Bacoor  
Municipal Government of Bacoor, Cavite

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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