



**BANGSAMORO COMMISSION
FOR THE PRESERVATION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE**

Shariff Kabunsuan Cultural Complex Building, Bangsamoro Government Center, Cotabato City

**RESOLUTION NO. 17
Series of 2022**

**“A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE MINISTRIES, OFFICES, AND AGENCIES
IN THE BARMM GOVERNMENT TO GIVE CULTURAL PRODUCTS AS TOKENS
DURING CONDUCT OF ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS, OR ANY OTHER EVENTS”**

WHEREAS, the BCPCH is created by virtue of Bangsamoro Autonomy Act No. 13 otherwise known as “An Act Providing for the Bangsamoro Administrative Code and Other Related Purposes” as enacted by Bangsamoro Transition Authority Parliament;

WHEREAS, Section 24, Article IX of Republic Act No. 11054, otherwise known as the “Organic Law for the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (Bangsamoro Organic Law),” states that the Bangsamoro Government shall preserve the history, culture, arts traditions, and the rich cultural heritage of the Bangsamoro people and their Sultanates, such as those of Sulu, Maguindanao, Kabuntalan, Buayan, the Royal House of Lanao and of the Iranun, and the non-Moro Indigenous peoples of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region;

WHEREAS, the BCPCH adhere to its legal mandate as provided under Article IX, Section 25 of the Bangsamoro Organic Law which states that “The Bangsamoro Commission for the Preservation of the Cultural Heritage shall have the primary responsibility to write the history of the Bangsamoro people and to establish and sustain the cultural institutions, programs, and projects in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region. The Commission shall coordinate and work closely with the National Commission for Culture and the Arts, National Historical Commission of the Philippines, National Museum of the Philippines, and other concerned cultural agencies for the preservation of cultural heritage, shall establish libraries and museums declare and restore historical shrines and cultural sites to preserve the Bangsamoro heritage for posterity. The Commission shall ensure the inclusion of Philippine history, culture and heritage in the establishment of museums and similar institutions, programs and projects to foster unity among Filipinos;

WHEREAS, Section 49, Chapter 4, Title XVI of the Bangsamoro Administrative Code No. 13 provides that the BCPCH in carrying out its mandate, the Commission shall have the power to recommend to the Bangsamoro Government regional policies and legislation on culture, arts, heritage promotion and development programs and activities, perform any and all other acts incident to or required by virtue of its creation.

WHEREAS, Section 50 of the same title, of the Bangsamoro Autonomy Act No 13 provides that the BCPCH functions to conserve and promote the Bangsamoro’s historical and Cultural Heritage.

WHEREAS, the BCPCH observes that foreign and local visitors who came from outside the Bangsamoro region often visits the ministries, agencies, and offices of the BARMM Government for partnership in certain projects and/or programs;



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WHEREAS, as a sign of the hospitality and goodwill of the Bangsamoro Government, the ministries, offices, and agencies often provide tokens for the guests to bring along once they go back to their offices. Such token is a representation of the friendship forged between these guests and the Bangsamoro People;

WHEREAS, the diversity of the cultures and traditions within the Bangsamoro region makes it a rich source of cultural products that are mostly indigenous in the community where these products come from. However, there is still an insufficient utilization of these cultural products as most of them are not accessible in the markets where consumers outside the community often interact with;

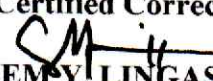
WHEREAS, as a way to promote the uniqueness of the Bangsamoro culture and arts, the giving of cultural products as token will both serve as an effective representation of the Bangsamoro People as well as promote the cultural products of our Bangsamoro communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE MINISTRIES, OFFICES, AND AGENCIES IN THE BARMM GOVERNMENT TO GIVE CULTURAL PRODUCTS DURING CONDUCT OF ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS, OR ANY OTHER EVENTS.

RESOLVED FINALLY, THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION BE FURNISHED TO THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MINISTER.

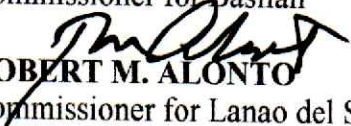
DONE and UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED BY THE BCPCH COMMISSIONERS
on this _____ day of _____, 2022.

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