

## "EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 1<sup>st</sup> REGULAR RSC-I MEETING HELD ON 03 FEBRUARY 2021 AT NATIONAL ECONOMIC AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY REGIONAL OFFICE I, CITY OF SAN FERNANDO, LA UNION"

RSC Resolution No. 02, series of 2021

## REQUESTING THE REGIONAL LINE AGENCIES (RLAS) AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUS) TO PRIORITIZE THE GENERATION OF THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL (SDG) TIER 2 INDICATORS OF ILOCOS REGION

WHEREAS, during the United Nations (UN) Sustainable Development Summit on September 2015, 193 UN Member States (MS), including the Philippines committed to the achievement of the SDGs;

WHEREAS, the UN Statistical Commission adopted the SDG Indicator Framework wherein this shall serve as the core of all other sets of indicators and MS will develop indicators at regional, National and Sub-national levels to complement the global indicators, taking into account national circumstances;

**WHEREAS**, the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development is a plan of action for people, planet, and prosperity. It also seeks to strengthen universal peace in larger freedom. All countries and all stakeholders, acting in a collaborative partnership, will implement this plan;

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Board approved and adopted the initial SDGs for monitoring in the Philippines on May 18, 2017;

**WHEREAS**, the Regional Statistics Committee I (RSC – I) organized a technical working group for the formulation of the Regional Statistical Development Program for monitoring development indicators such that of the SDGs;

**WHEREAS**, the TWG spearheaded by the National Economic Development Authority (NEDA) and PSA conducted workshops for the identification, validation, and finalization of SDG indicators for Ilocos Region;

WHEREAS, the RSC – I through RSC Resolution No. 03 series of 2019, approved the SDG Indicators for Ilocos Region covering the Core Regional SDG Indicators (CoRe-SDGIs) and additional SDG indicators from the Regional Development Program Results Matrix considered as Unique Regional SDGIs for Ilocos Region;

WHEREAS, the RSC – I through RSC Resolution No. 05 series of 2020, approved the establishment of the SDG Watch for the Ilocos Region and mandated Philippine Statistics Authority – Regional Statistical and Services Office I (PSA – RSSO I) to compile and maintain an SDG Indicators database, prepare the SDG Watch, and report to RSC – I the updates on the monitoring of Region 1 SDG Indicators;



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**WHEREAS**, the SDG Indicators classified under Tier 2 (indicators with established methodology, data not regularly collected) are also vital in monitoring the progress of the region in attaining the targets in the SDGs;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED,** to request RLAs and LGUs to prioritize the generation of SDG Tier 2 Indicators of Ilocos Region as hereto attached (Annex – RSC-I Res. 02-2021);

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that the concerned RLAs and LGUs shall prioritize the generation of SDG Tier 2 Indicators in support to SDG Watch for Ilocos Region;

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that PSA – RSSO I shall regularly report to the Committee the updates on the monitoring of SDG indicators of Ilocos Region;

**APPROVED**, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2021 at Justo Orros Conference Hall, National Economic and Development Authority, City of San Fernando, La Union.

## **CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:**

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