
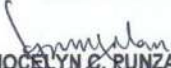




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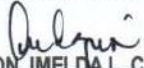
  
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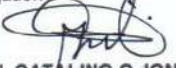
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**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-090**

**RESOLUTION ENACTING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2021-15 - AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE ACT OF BEING TOPLESS OR GOING HALF-NAKED IN PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANAO (MoA) AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.**

**WHEREAS**, section 446 (l)(v) of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, states that, "the Sangguniang Bayan have the power to promote public order through providing penalties for activities inimical to the welfare and morals of the inhabitants;

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Bayan recognizes the importance of promoting an atmosphere of decency, propriety and orderliness among the members of its community and all those who come within the municipality's area of responsibility and territorial jurisdictions;

**WHEREAS**, MoA is promoting itself as a "CHARACTER MUNICIPALITY" and "CHILD FRIENDLY MUNICIPALITY" so it is just fitting and proper for people of all ages to give courtesy and respect as well as observe proper decorum wherever they may be;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of Municipal Councilor Rodolfo F. Guerrero and duly seconded by the Body:

**RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, to enact:

**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2021- 15**

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**BE IT ORDAINED** by the **SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANAO, TARLAC** that:

**Section 1. Title.** This Ordinance shall be known as the "Anti-Half-Naked Ordinance of the MoA".

**Section 2. Scope.** This Ordinance shall be applicable to all persons, especially the male gender population, within the territorial jurisdiction of the MoA.

**Section 3. Definition of Terms.** As used in this Ordinance, the following terms will mean:

- a. Topless/Half-Naked – the act appearing bare breasted
- b. Public Places – Include but not limited to the following roads, street, alleys, sidewalks, parks and plazuelas, bridges, markets, schools/learning centers, public cemeteries/memorial parks

**Section 4. Prohibition.** No person shall be allowed to move around in public places and/or outside his private residence topless or half-naked within the territorial jurisdiction of the MoA.



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**Section 5. Exception.** The following shall be considered as an exemption to the foregoing ordinance:

- a. Persons in private premises;
- b. Activities or events with special permit issued by the Municipal Government implementing agencies;
- c. In cases of medical emergencies;
- d. Indigenous people wearing ethnic clothes;
- e. Persons in public swimming pools, creeks and rivers;
- f. Persons who are engaged in sports and sport activities on the day the permit was granted

**Section 6. Implementing Authority.** The MoA PNP Station Officers and men, Barangay Officials/Enforcers are hereby assigned and given authority to implement this Ordinance.

**Section 7. Penalty.** The following penalties shall be imposed for violation of this Ordinance:

First Offense:	Warning
Second Offense:	P500.00
Third Offense:	P500.00 plus four (4) hours community service.

Succeeding offences shall be punishable with a fine or imprisonment, or both on discretion of courts of law.

**Section 8. Separability Clause.** If for any reason of reasons, any part or provisions of this ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, other part or provisions hereof which are not affected hereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**Section 9. Repealing Clause.** All previous ordinance/ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance shall be deemed repealed or modified accordingly.

**Section 10. Effectivity Clause.** This Ordinance shall take effect after completion of its publication in a newspaper of local circulation or after two (2) weeks display in all Barangay Multi-Purpose Hall Information Board and after due public information and dissemination to be conducted by Barangay Officials.

Voting on the foregoing Ordinance are as follows:

Ayes: Coun. Jocelyn C. Punzalan  
Coun. Rodolfo F. Guerrero  
Coun. Imelda L. Cuchapin  
Coun. Johanna Donata A. Caymo  
Coun. Wilmar J. Tabile  
Coun. Catalino G. Ignacio, Jr.  
Coun. Cesar C. Bautista  
Coun. Rafael M. Jacinto (8)

Nays: None (0)  
Abstain: None (0)  
Proponent: Coun. Rodolfo F. Guerrero

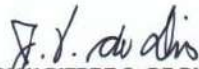
**RESOLVED FINALLY** that copy of this Resolution-Ordinance be furnished to all Government Agencies concerned for their information, guidance and file.



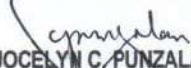
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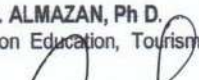
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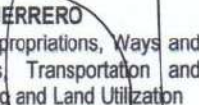
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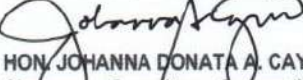
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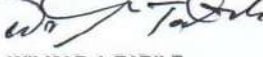
  
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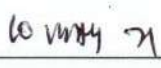
  
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I hereby **CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing Municipal Ordinance No. 2021-15 which was duly enacted by the Members of the Sangguniang Bayan of Anao during their Regular Session held at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Anao, Tarlac on April 5, 2021.

  
**MARIA ROSETTE R. BAGAYAS**  
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**ATTESTED:**

  
**GIAN PIERRE O. DE DIOS**  
Presiding Officer

**APPROVED:** 

  
**RAFAEL M. NARAL**  
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