

Republic of the Philippines  
PROVINCE OF BOHOL  
City of Tagbilaran



## PROVINCIAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PROVINCIAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (PDC EXECOM) HELD ON MAY 6, 2024 AT THE ATTY. JUANITO G. CAMBANGAY CONFERENCE ROOM, PROVINCIAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE, PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, TAGBILARAN CITY, BOHOL, PHILIPPINES

In Attendance:

Gov. Erico Aristotle C. Aumentado.....Chairman, Presiding Officer

and

Majority of the Members of the PDC Executive Committee

### PDC EXECOM RESOLUTION NO. 49-2024

A RESOLUTION FAVORABLY ENDORSING TO THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN (SP) OF BOHOL THE PROPOSED INSTALLATION AND OPERATION OF A 20 MEGAWATT (MW) BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) PROJECT IN BARANGAY IMELDA, UBAY, BOHOL OF SAN MIGUEL GLOBAL POWER, INC. FOR FURTHER ENDORSEMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (DOE) AND OTHER CONCERNED AGENCIES

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9513, otherwise known as the Renewable Energy Act of 2008, provides that it is the policy of the State to accelerate the exploration and development of renewable energy resources such as but not limited to solar energy including hybrid systems, to achieve energy self-reliance through the adoption of sustainable energy development strategies to reduce the country's dependence on fossil fuels;

WHEREAS, the development and utilization of renewable energy resources will be one of the tools to effectively prevent or reduce harmful emissions and thereby balance the goals of economic growth and development with the protection of health and the environment;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Bohol passed Provincial Ordinance No. 2018-005, prohibiting the construction of any coal power plant in Bohol and recognizes the importance of renewable energy as a means to a more sustainable and reliable source of electricity;

WHEREAS, San Miguel Global Power, Inc. proposed for the installation and operation of a 20 Megawatt (MW) Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) facility to be located in Barangay Imelda, Ubay, Bohol;

WHEREAS, the Barangay Council of Imelda, Ubay, Bohol through Barangay Resolution No. 27-2024, Series of 2024 dated February 20, 2024, favorably endorsed the installation and operation of a 20 MW BESS in Barangay Imelda, Ubay, Bohol;

**WHEREAS**, the Municipal Development Council (MDC) of the Municipality of Ubay, through MDC Resolution No. 11-2023, Series of 2023 dated October 25, 2023, favorably endorsed the establishment of power plants and facilities especially the renewable type in the Barangays of Imelda, Benliw, Sinandigan, Union and Other Potential Barangays/Areas in the Municipality of Ubay, Bohol;

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Bayan (SB) of the Municipality of Ubay, through SB Resolution No. 252, Series of 2020 dated January 8, 2020, favorably endorsed the installation and operation of an integrated renewable power facility hub and approved the reclassification of a portion of land adjacent to the National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) Substation in Barangay Imelda, Ubay, Bohol;

**WHEREAS**, the installation and operation of a 20 MW BESS will redound to the socio-economic development of Barangay Imelda and the Municipality of Ubay as host barangay and municipality, respectively, through financial benefits warranted under RA 9136 and RA 9513, corporate social responsibility projects, and additional job opportunities for the respective local residents;

**WHEREAS**, the Local Government Code of 1991 mandates the Provincial Development Councils (PDC) to, among others, appraise, prioritize and coordinate the implementation of socio-economic programs and projects within its territorial coverage;

**WHEREFORE**, upon proper motion duly seconded, be it resolved by this Body in a meeting duly convened –


To favorably endorse to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan (SP) of Bohol the proposed installation and operation of 20 Megawatt (MW) Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Project in Barangay Imelda, Ubay, Bohol of San Miguel Global Power BESS Power, Inc. for further endorsement to the Department of Energy (DOE) and Other Concerned Agencies

**UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED.**

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

  
**ATTY. JOHN TITUS J. VISTAL**  
PPDC-Bohol  
Head, PDC Secretariat

APPROVED:   
**ERICO ARISTOTLE C. AUMENTADO**  
Governor  
Chairman, PDC-Bohol