

AFFIRMING ORDINANCE NO. 13-25 DATED JUNE 10, 2025 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CAGWAIT, THIS PROVINCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE CREATING CAGWAIT HUMAN RIGHTS ACTION CENTER (CHRAC) UNDER THE OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR AND DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS," IT BEING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE PRESCRIBED POWERS OF THE SANGGUNIAN BAYAN CONCERNED TO ENACT SUCH ORDINANCE PURSUANT TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991

SPONSORS:

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WHEREAS, Chapter 3, Article III, Section 468 Par. (a) No. 1 (i) of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that, "the sangguniang panlalawigan shall review all ordinances approved by the sanggunians of component cities and municipalities and executive orders issued by the mayors of said component units to determine whether these are within the scope of the prescribed powers of the sanggunian and of the mayor";

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 13-25 dated June 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Cagwait, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating Cagwait Human Rights Action Center (CHRAC) Under the Office of the Municipal Mayor and defining its Powers and Functions", was submitted to this Body for review and same was referred to the Committee on Good Government, Public Ethics and Accountability, for appropriate action and was indorsed to the Provincial Human Resource Management Office (PHRMO) and to the Provincial Finance Committee (PFC), all of this Province, for technical review;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Finance Committee (PFC), in its letter dated July 30, 2025, informed this August Body that the aforementioned Ordinance falls within the scope of the prescribed powers of the Sangguniang Bayan, as outlined in Section 447 of Republic Act No. 7160. Additionally, the PHRMO notes that the creation of the HRAC is mandated under DILG-CHR JMC No. 1-2014 dated December 16, 2014;

WHEREAS, after a careful review by the Committee to which the matter was referred to, it was found out that it is within the ambit of the provisions of the Local Government Code of 1991;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing and on motion of _____, and seconded by _____;

NOW THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur to affirm Ordinance No. 13-25 dated June 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Cagwait, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating Cagwait Human Rights Action Center (CHRAC) Under the Office of the Municipal Mayor and defining its Powers and Functions", it being within the scope of the prescribed powers of the Sangguniang Bayan concerned to enact such Ordinance pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991.

RESOLVED FINALLY: To furnish copies of this Resolution to Hon. Glenn G. Batiancila, REE, Municipal Mayor and to the Sangguniang Bayan thru Hon. Melchie C. Tuscano, Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer, all of the Municipality of Cagwait, this Province, for their information, guidance and appropriate action.