**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF TARLAC, HELD AT THE CONFERENCE ROOM 2, SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN BUILDING, THIS PROVINCE, ON THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 2022**

**PRESENT**

Hon. Carlito S. David, Vice Governor and Presiding Officer
Hon. Romeo A. Evangelista, Jr., Member, Presiding Officer Pro Tempore – *Floor Leader*
Hon. Jessie E. Aquino, Member
Hon. Joy Gilbert R. Lamorena, Member
Hon. Vernon L. Villanueva, Member
Hon. Saturnino B. Mandal, Member
Hon. Danilo C. Asiaten, Member
Hon. Jude Joseph S. David, Member
Hon. Antonio F. Cervantes, Jr., Member - *Assistant Floor Leader*
Hon. Danilo D. David, Member
Hon. Dennis Norman T. Go, Member
Hon. Kristine Anne S. Legaspi, *Ex-Officio Member (PCL)*
Hon. Joselito G. Capitulo, *Ex-Officio Member (PFABC)*
Hon. Christine D. Dizon, *Ex-Officio Member (PPSK)*

**ABSENT**

*None*

**PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 02-2022**

**AN ORDINANCE LIFTING THE CURFEW HOURS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE PROVINCE OF TARLAC**

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2021, Provincial Ordinance No. 02-2021 was adopted to address the surge of Covid-19 infections and reduce transmission by limiting nonessential interactions;

WHEREAS, the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-EID) issued Resolution No. 163-A dated February 27, 2022, placing the Province of Tarlac under Alert Level 1 status;

WHEREAS, the same Resolution defines Alert Level 1 as *"areas wherein case transmission is low and decreasing, total bed utilization rate, and intensive care unit utilization is low;"*

WHEREAS, as of March 2022, the over-all Covid-19 coverage of fully vaccinated status in the Province of Tarlac increased to eighty percent (80%);

WHEREAS, in helping to improve the economy, all the establishments within the Province of Tarlac are now operating full on-site, following the IATF-EID Guidelines on the Nationwide Implementation of Alert Level System for COVID-19 Response imposed on places under Alert Level 1;

WHEREAS, local government units should use their powers as provided for by law in providing stability for businesses to stimulate economic recovery, and promote social welfare whilst protecting the health of the people in the community;

WHEREAS, with low COVID-19 cases within the province, increased vaccination coverage, continued implementation of minimum public health standards, and for economic consideration, the Provincial Government of Tarlac finds it prudent to lift its curfew limitations within the Province of Tarlac during the implementation of the Alert Level 1 status;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Tarlac, in Regular Session assembled that:

SECTION 1. The daily curfew hours imposed within the territorial jurisdiction of the Province of Tarlac is now hereby lifted.

SECTION 2. REPEALING CLAUSE: All ordinances, local issuances, rules and regulations, or parts thereof that are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby deemed amended, modified or repealed.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after its approval.

ENACTED this 10th day of March, 2022.

ATTY. CARLITO S. DAVID
Vice Governor and Presiding Officer

*Certified to have been duly adopted during the regular session of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan on the above date and place:*

MARIA ALEJANDRA VIRGINIA E. ABUY
Asst. Secretary to the Sanggunian

Signed by the Governor on: March 24, 2022

SUSAN A. YAP
Governor